



# TOMATO TALK

FRANKSTON BASEBALL CLUB

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CELEBRATING 65 YEARS

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## A1

### Frankston 10 defeated Dingley 9

**Hits:** 3 - Pitta, Yarna. 2 - Fisho, Disco. 1 - Barr, Cando, Mirrors, Blaux, Adam.

**Pitching:** Pitta 6IP 7K 2BB 7RS 3ER  
Vealy 2IP 3K 4BB 2RS 0ER

**Highlights:** We jumped out of the blocks early with 2 runs but Dingley hit straight back with 3 of their own, all unearned so I was thinking it was a hitters day. By the 6th we were down 7-3 and with 6 errors and 4 unearned runs we didn't look good, but that all changed and the bats fired up and the fielding was better and by the end of the 6th we were level at 7 apiece. We blew the game open and scored 3 in the next. Pitta threw 6 strong innings and was backed up with 2 innings from young Vealy to finish them off, eventually winning another tight one 10-9. The guys showed great heart to come from behind to the 2nd placed side and we now are in equal 3rd spot at 3 and 3. With an important game against Bonbeach lets hope we back up the pitchers in the field this week as batting was good as we out hit Dingley 15 to 9.

Won 3 - Lost 3

Jonesy

## A2

### Frankston 3 lost to Dingley 6

Won 1 - Lost 5

Stu

## A3

### Frankston 13 defeated Dingley 8

**Hits:** 3 - Mark Anderton (inc 2x2B). 2 - Daryl Dicker (inc 2B), David Atkinson (inc 2B). 1 - Paul Dent, Rob Davis, Luke Wallis, Brad Gibson. Mark Greasley.

**Pitching:** Mark Greasley 7IP 10H 3K 6RS 3ER  
Michael O'Halloran 2IP 3H 3K 2RS 0ER

**Highlights:** Another glorious day at the Patch against the other Dingley side. These guys weren't travelling too well so we decided to give our ace starting pitcher a rest for the week and give our relievers some solid work. As seems normal with the A3 side we were missing guys with injury and work commitments but also welcomed some back. So a different looking A3 side took to the park. Greaser started the day on the on

the hill and was solid for 7 innings, only to get sore when he realised he'd thrown over 100 pitches. Scoop then came in to close the game out and was also solid. The Dingley boys, although sitting at the bottom took it up to us and after having a 5-nil lead they came back and tied it up in the 5th at 5-5. I asked the guys to be a bit more committed in the batters box and they came through. A great day in the box by Ando saw him pick up three shots which included 2 doubles, and all the other guys contributed with good team hitting advancing runners scoring runs. A 13-8 win was the result and although we didn't blow them away we did enough to rack up another win.

Won 4 - Lost 2

Davo

## A4

### Frankston 24 defeated Dingley 4

**Hits:** 3 - Dan (inc 2 x 2B), Cale, Brent. 2 - Lovey, Steve, Drew. 1 - Sean, Stu, Fi, Scoop.

**Pitching** Drew 4IP 3H 4K 1BB 1R 1ER  
Lovey 2IP 3H 1K 1BB 3R 2ER

**Highlights:** After 5 weeks of so-so performances, spasmodic offence, brittle defense and some inconsistent pitching, which has resulted in some wins and more losses, we finally put together the all around performance we had been waiting for. Drew was quite brilliant on the hill, giving up only 3 hits in his 4 innings of work before handing the ball to Lovey who continued the good work. Defense was rock solid, showing us how important it is when our pitchers are throwing well, something we learned from last week. Offensively it was a great team effort, racking up 19 hits, standouts being Dan, Cale and Brent with three apiece and everyone contributing to our run tally, Hors taking up Gibbo's mantle as the teams 'ball magnet'. The coveted 'mung', the traditional trophy between Bonbeach and Frankston 4ths is again up for grabs this week, with the added bonus of a winning record to complete the first round of games also there for the taking. If we can reproduce the same desire and attitude I'm sure we will do well, not just this week, but for the remainder of the season.

Won 3 - Lost 3

SeanO



## UNDER 12

### Frankston 14 defeated Pakenham 1

**Hits:** 2 - Ben Clarke, Mac Hura. 1 - Ned Omar, Murray Evans.

**Pitching:** Mac Hura 3IP 1R 0H 7K 4BB  
Rohan Pilai 1IP 0R 2H 2K 1BB

**Highlights:** On the weekend we travelled out through the fog to take on Pakenham. They are about the same standard as us, but we got off to a good start scoring 4 in the first. Then with a very solid battery of Mac to Ben we kept them to 1 run for the game. Some encouraging signs from the game was a couple of the boys getting their first hits and scoring for the first time. There was a lot more cheering on and off the field which tells me they are into the game and not the patch of grass in front of them. Our cheering on the bench was commented on by the Pakenham coach - saying how good it was.

Won 2 - Lost 3

Russell

## UNDER 14

### Frankston 13 defeated Mornington Black 6

**Hits:** 2 - Josh, Tom, Harley. 1 - Dylan, Jack, Courtenay, Emma, Mel.

**Pitching:** Emma 3IP, Josh 1IP, Harley 1IP

**Highlights:** We started off with Emma pitching 3 fantastic innings where we all fielded great. There was a lot of good stuff done in the game and we really did some fantastic fielding out there. We all batted amazingly getting a lot of runs, no-one was swinging at anything too high and everyone got on base. Lauchie took an awesome fly ball at centrefield. We got some good outs at every base and we got some good throw overs. Josh pitched one inning and did an amazing job and Harley got some more experience pitching. I think this is just the start of a great season. (Report written by Harley)

Won 2 - Lost 3

Murray

## UNDER 16

Bye

Won 2 - Lost 3

Davo

## SUBSCRIPTIONS 2010

Membership and subscriptions are **now due** and payable to Rod Burt (Treasurer). Game selection preference will be given to financial players. Take advantage of the savings by paying before 14 June! See the clubroom notice board or club website for fees payable.

## NEWS

- **Tomatoes Trivia Night - Saturday 5th June** at the clubrooms from 7.30pm - first question at 8pm. BYO Nibbles - \$10pp - book your table now! See the noticeboard in the clubrooms - maximum 8 per table.

## JUNIOR UMPIRING ROSTER

Upcoming umpiring ....

### 5 June 2010 - Under 12 - Steve Schneider

- All junior games are played at Robinsons Road.
- U12 & U14 games start at 9:00am. U16 games start at 8:45am.
- If you are unable to umpire on your rostered day, it is your responsibility to organise a replacement.



### Next Game - 29 May 2009

A1	A2	A3	A4
v	v	v	v
Bonbeach	Bonbeach	Bonbeach	Bonbeach
Home - 2.15pm - Sat	Home - 12pm - Sat	Away - 2.15pm - Sat	Away - 12pm - Sat
UNDER 12	UNDER 14	UNDER 16	
v	v	v	
Bye	No Game	Cheltenham White	
	Regional Tournament	Away - 8.45am - Sat	