



THE BASEBALL REVIEW

2021 WINTER SEASON

Final

That was the season that almost was....

What happened, to whom and where to from here.....

G1

Despite the odds and the best of form slumps, the baseball gods gave the G1 boys a short season Premiership!!!

Congratulations AT and the mob – hold the trophy high!!

And a big thank you to AT for donating the prize money back to the club to purchase balls for the next season. He's such an optimist!!!

G2, G3, G4, however, collectively languished close or on their respective bottoms. Such is life!



Ladies and gentlemen presenting Adrian (The Riddler) Riddell!

Our new Baseball Vice President!



(Photo courtesy of ASIO)

Adrian, for those who came in late, was new to the club last season but comes with a rich baseball heritage.

Originally from the Apple Isle, he played his junior ball for the Glenorchy Dragons and senior ball for the Nth Hobart Mets. Upon joining the RANavy he joined the Navy team based in HMAS Cerberus.

After that it all went to sea until he joined us!



Sad news last week that Steve Lindsay who scored for H grade this last season, and was part of the Saint Marys Softball Club that joined with our club last year passed away a just over a week ago.

A true gentleman, he won us over with his gentle nature and vast Baseball/ Softball knowledge.

Thank you indeed - Steve.



Winter season 2022 commences on or around the 2nd or 9th of April 2022 prior to Easter!



Yes, they have put the dates back to 2022 – just so Kurt can join us!!!

I can't wait until September something something!



THANK YOU - DAVE BRODIE!

AFTER 8 YEARS OF SERVICE, PERSISTENCE, AND MUCH EYE ROLLING, DAVE HAS LEFT THE EXEC COMMITTEE AND MOVED ONTO GRADE UMPIRING AND FURTHERING HIS CAREER STUDIES. WE AS A CLUB HAVE APPRECIATED HIS TIME AND EFFORTS TO FURTHER THE CAUSE OF BASEBALL IN THE MOUNTAINS AND HIS WISDOM AND INPUT INTO DRAGGING THE COMMITTEE INTO THE 21ST CENTURY.

SAVE THE DATE!!!!

You have asked for it so..... we are putting on a social evening (possibly a Trivia night) to celebrate the end of Softball and beginning of Baseball seasons.

The stars will be out on the 26th of February 2022 at the Springwood Sports Club! Watch the Facebook page for details!



Blue Mountains Baseball and Softball Club



From the book of - L.J.!

"You start chasing a ball and your brain commands your body to run forward, bend, scoop up the ball, peg it to the infield!

Then your body says - 'who me?'"

Joe DiMaggio -outfielder NY Yankees 1936-51



Lord willing and the creeks don't rise, we will be back next year in 2022 and a full season to play out before us!



To all our players, scorers, canteeners, umpires, coaches and mums who get to wash your soiled uniforms -we wish you a very Softball Christmas and a Baseballing new year!