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Grant Bruce

b. January 1959

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Dear Michael

I am including some information about Grant Bruce that you may wish to read when announcing the Ron Vogt Memorial Community Award.

"Grant would have been a worthy recipient for such an award for many years, so sustained and passionate has his support been for the Dingley Cricket Club. Grant started as a player at Dingley over 25 years ago, and has been an excellent contributor to team success for many years. Now in the twilight of his playing career, Grant continues to provide guidance to many of the young men with whom he regularly takes to the field.

However, it is certainly off the field where Grant has made his major contribution to the club, having fulfilled many roles as a committee member over the years. As Treasurer, Grant ensured that the club was always on a sound financial base. In the sometimes difficult role of Junior Coordinator which he held for four years, Grant organised cricket for over 150 children, coping with the demands of parents, cricket associations, coaches, somehow managing to get the balance just right.

Grant also coached junior teams, coaching for 6 years as his boys went through the various age groups. Grant was made a life member in 1997 for his services to the club.

Grant is also involved in the Sports Club on its Board of Directors, and with the Football Club in various capacities on match days. I've not known another person to devote so much time as a volunteer to a number of community groups over such a sustained period."

Hope this is of help.

Regards
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