



Competition Update No.8 – 26 August 2011

The Inner West Courier Shield

Rank	Team	Score
1st	CAMDENVILLE	10.6
2nd	DULWICH HILL	7.8
= 3rd	WILKINS	6.4
= 3rd	FERNCOURT	6.4

The Blacktown Advocate Shield

Rank	Team	Score
1st	CRAWFORD	9.5
2nd	WALTERS ROAD	4.3
3rd	ST MICHAELS	3.3
4th	TREGEAR	1.8

The Manly Daily Shield

Rank	Team	Score
= 1st	SEAFORTH	5.9
= 1st	MANLY VILLAGE	5.9
3rd	MANLY WEST	3.6
4th	ST MARY'S	0.1

Climate Clubs Cup Competition

Rank	Zone	Score
1st	MARRICKVILLE	0.8
2nd	BLACKTOWN	0.8
3rd	MANLY	0.1

(Please note: All of the scores above are lower compared to in the last update. This is mainly because previously the scoreboard was inaccurately only counting players' positive savings points when it should have counted both positive and negative savings points. This error is now fixed and we apologise for any confusion caused.)

COMMENTATOR'S CORNER



Summing up this week's performance:

There has been a massive shake up on the scoreboard since our last update. Crawford has taken the lead in Blacktown for the first time, while Seaforth and Manly Village are tied for first place in the Manly Zone!

Meanwhile Marrickville has snatched a lead in race for the Climate Clubs Cup.

We have a new winner! Congratulations to:

Ryan & Sumei Wrigley of Manly West

who have won this fortnight's **Player Energy Use Updater Award!** The Wrigleys will receive a VIP 30 Card from **OOVIE**, with 30 free DVD rentals over the next 3 months (*worth \$90*), and they get to decide between an Efergy wireless electricity monitor to track their home's energy use, or a family pass to a season game in their favourite sport league!



Thank you to the **38 players** who updated their own energy use online over the past fortnight...but we'd love to get those numbers up to keep the scoreboard ticking over and the competition hot going into spring! **UPDATE YOUR HOME ELECTRICITY USAGE ONLINE before 5pm on Tuesday 30th August and go into the next prize draw!**

Not sure how? You can update by entering a new meter reading **OR** your **average daily kWh usage** from your latest electricity bill at the "Tracker" page at www.climateclubs.org.au. For tips on reading your meter, see Origin's demo video at: <http://www.originenergy.com.au/2406/Efficiency-and-savings#read-electricity-meter>.

Stories from the playing field: St Michael's Primary School, Blacktown South

"Mum and dad make my sister and I turn off our lights when we leave our bedroom. We think about what we get out of the fridge so we only go once, not single items over a period of time. And my jumpers are getting a work out rather than turning up the temperature on the heater."

- **Lachlan Scott (Year 6)**

"We make sure we switch off the TV from the main switch when we finish watching it. We also switch off the microwave from the wall switch and I am learning to tell the time on the proper clock."

- **Joshua Pinto (Year 1)**

Important news: Climate Clubs Survey

Guess what we have to give away to a very lucky player?

Here's a clue:



That's right, we have another iPad 2 that could be yours!

We are asking all households to fill out a short **Survey**. This survey asks about your home equipment, appliances and energy use and actions you are or will take to save energy. The survey is an important way for us to track the effectiveness of the competition. It is also a chance for you to have your say and help us improve Climate Clubs in future.



You can fill the Survey in **online** - the link will be sent to your email address **OR** by filling out a **paper copy** which will be sent those who cannot complete the online version. You can select which method works best for you. It should only take about 10 minutes of your time, and your responses will be kept strictly confidential to protect your privacy.

All players who complete this survey, plus the end-of-competition survey we'll send out in November, will go into the prize draw to win an **iPad 2**. Plus you'll be helping us make the Climate Clubs Program stronger and better so that more and more families start to join forces to save energy around Australia. Thanks for your support!

Energy Savings Tip: "Save Power Kits" available on loan from your school!



Climate Clubs families should now be able to borrow a "Save Power Kit" from your school's front office, thanks to the **NSW Office of Environment & Heritage** (principal sponsor of Climate Clubs). Contact your school office or Climate Clubs Captain to find out how you can borrow the kit, take it home, and get the whole family involved in doing a fun (and educational) home energy audit using the following energy use tracking tools: Power-Mate Lite, infrared thermometer, compass, stopwatch & 'Save Power' thermometer. Also included is a Save Power Kit guide.

Contact us

Feel free to contact us anytime by visiting www.climateclubs.org.au (use Firefox as your browser for best website performance) or calling the Climate Clubs Program Team at the Institute for Sustainable Futures at the University of Technology Sydney on (02) 9514 4950.

Yours in energy saving,

Melissa, Chris, Ceri, Candice, Tim – the Climate Clubs Coaching Panel

