



Ellesmere Golf Club
(Incorporated)
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The General Manager
Canterbury Golf Inc.
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29th July 2026

Dear Blair,

Ellesmere Golf Club would like to nominate our victorious Central Canterbury Shield Team for Team of the Year.

With a relatively small depth of players to draw from compared with the other clubs in the competition, **Mike Berry, Jimmy Geddes, Michael Sheat, David Thwaites, Alfie Bell, Paul Bailey, and Jacob Jones** have achieved an outstanding level of success through commitment, consistency, and teamwork.

Having won the competition twice in the past four years—after the club had not previously won the title since the competition was established in 1968—the team has set a new benchmark for performance. This season was particularly impressive, with the side losing just one match throughout the entire campaign.

Jimmy Geddes deserves recognition for his consistency throughout the year, regularly contributing valuable points for the team and performing strongly against quality opposition. **Michael Sheat** also made an excellent contribution in his first year in the side, quickly establishing himself as an important member of the team.

Their success reflects not only individual ability, but also a collective commitment to representing the club with pride and sportsmanship. The team's achievements have been a source of great pride for the entire club, and they are thoroughly deserving of recognition for what they have accomplished together.

Yours sincerely,

Jason Steed
Secretary
Ellesmere Golf Club