



PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES  
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

**FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTH PARLIAMENT**

**Community Recognition Statement**

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18 May 2022

**JACK BROWN**

**Ms SONIA HORNER ( Wallsend ) :**

Every Club has that one person who goes above and beyond and for the Wallsend District Cricket Club, that is Jack Brown

Jack has been an integral part of the greater Newcastle Cricket community and recently celebrated his 60th season.

Jack's passion for cricket and love of the game and his Club is second to none.

He first joined Wallsend in 1962 as a 17 year old and after a 15-year playing career started scoring matches in 1977.

Jack has remained in the scorer's chair for the last 45 seasons, scoring in excess of 850 matches for the Club.

This includes over 600 first grade matches, with Jack holding the first grade scoring position at the Club since 1984.

Incredibly, during this time Jack has only missed one match. Jack is a keen statistician and not only keeps statistics for Wallsend but also for various players and clubs in the Newcastle competition.

Jack puts an incredible amount of time and effort into maintaining his statistics and they will certainly provide valuable historical data of the Newcastle competition in the coming years.

Thank you for your dedication Jack.