

# The First Graders

## Peter Alevizos



### **Randwick Petersham 1st Grade cap number: 56**

Full name: **Peter James Alevizos**

Date and Place of Birth: **8 October 1988, Sydney**

Secondary School: **St Euphemia Greek Orthodox College, Bankstown**

Occupation: **Bank teller**

Playing role: **Right arm pace bowler/right hand bat**

<b>BATTING</b>									
Season	Mtch	Inns	N.O.	Best	Runs	Ave.	100	50	Ct.
2006-07	1	0	0	0	0	0			1
2007-08	2	1	0	2	2	2			0
2008-09	6	5	3	9	23	11.5			0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>8.33</b>			<b>1</b>
<b>BOWLING</b>									
Season	Overs	Mdn	Wkts	Runs	Ave.	Best	5w	10w	
2006-07	10	1	2	35	17.50	2-35			
2007-08	11	2	0	27	0	0-13			
2008-09	67.17	7	10	318	31.80	3-44			
<b>Totals</b>	<b>88.17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>31.67</b>	<b>3-44</b>			



While it was an exciting moment for Nathan Hauritz to be called into the New South Wales mid-way through a Sydney Grade game, it was also an exciting moment for 18 years old Peter Alevizos who was called to fill-in for Nathan in his maiden 1st Grade match. The occasion was round 11 versus Campbelltown-Camden at Coogee Oval and the date was Saturday 27 January 2007.

In that match Randwick Petersham had scored 298 on day one and had the Ghosts on the ropes at 8-256 before a 45 run partnership turned the tables and the visitors took the points. Thrown the ball for the first time in the top grade the young pace bowler was ultra-impressive bowling 10 overs for a return of 2-35. The potential he showed in the New South Wales under 17 years team the previous season with 13 wickets including a 5-13 return against Victoria, confirmed his presence at the 1st Grade level.

In 2007-08 Alevizos made just two appearances but the following 2008-09 season he had a more substantial stint in the top side with six matches. In a limited overs affair against Sydney University at University no. 1, Peter took the bowling honours with 3-44 to give his side an 80 runs winning margin. After playing most of the season in 2nds he completed the last few games in 1sts where he finished with a respectable total of 10 wickets which was more than first class players Burt Cockley and Nathan Hauritz.

Unfortunately for Randwick Petersham Peter Alevizos joined Bankstown the following season and within a few seasons had given away Grade Cricket. In his five seasons with the club Peter played in 63 matches taking 106 wickets of which 75 were taken in 2nd Grade. His best performance was in 2nd Grade in 2007-08 when he took 6-35 against Campbelltown-Camden. In 2005-06 Peter won the Keith Austin Memorial Award for the Most Promising Player in the Club.