

Enemy at home!

REUTERS, Wellington

England's Kiwi-born pace bowler Andy Caddick expected some barracking from the crowds in the country of his birth during the Test series against New Zealand.

He won't, however, be losing any sleep over it.

Caddick, who played for New Zealand at youth level before opting for England, agreed he had received some 'special attention' from local supporters during the topsy-turvy first Test in Christchurch last week but added: "I don't really care what New Zealand crowds say to me."

"Everybody gets a bit of stick wherever you play in the world and it doesn't bother me at all. Christchurch crowds are no worse than anywhere else."

The Christchurch-born Caddick took nine wickets in the match, his six for 122 in the second innings proving crucial as New Zealand fell 98 runs short of their 550-run target.

SA break

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The side that played at Kingsmead included three players making their second Test appearance, while Prince was playing in his third Test.

On an overcast morning, Kallis and Prince started cautiously against Brett Lee and Glenn McGrath, bowling with the second new ball, before Prince off-drove Lee for three in the fourth over.

Kallis punched Lee through mid-wicket for another boundary and the scoring rate picked up when leg-spinner Shane Warne came on and was punished for nine runs in his first over by the left-handed Prince.

SCOREBOARD

Final scoreboard on the fourth day of the third Test between Australia and South Africa at Kingsmead on Monday:

AUSTRALIA: First innings 315
SOUTH AFRICA: First innings 167
AUSTRALIA: Second innings 186
SOUTH AFRICA: Second innings (overnight 264-4)

Gibbs c Martyn b M Waugh	104
Kirsten run out (Martyn)	64
Smith c Gilchrist b M Waugh	42
Kallis not out	61
McKenzie c Hayden b Warne	4
Prince c M Waugh b Warne	48
Boucher not out	8
Extras: (lb-2, nb-5, w-2)	9
Total: (For 5 wks in 104.5 overs) 340	
Fall of wickets: 1-142, 2-216, 3-218, 4-232, 5-331	

Bowler	O	M	R	W
McGrath	28	11	54	0
Lee	20	2	75	0
Gillespie	15	2	58	0
Warne	30	5	108	2
M Waugh	11.5	1	43	2

Result: South Africa won by five wickets and Australia won the series 2-1.

Man-of-the-match: Herschelle Gibbs.

Man-of-the-series: Adam Gilchrist.

Umpires: David Orchard (South Africa) and Srinivas Venkataraghavan (India).

NZ won't take chances



AFP, Wellington

New Zealand selectors are cautious about risking key bowler Daniel Vettori for the make-or-break second cricket Test against England starting here on Thursday.

The talented left-arm spinner will undergo a fitness examination in the nets at training on Tuesday.

Coach Denis Aberhart said selectors were most likely to take a cautious approach with the injury-troubled spinner, who wants to play in the Test despite back trouble.

Experienced all-rounder Chris Harris was called into the squad on Sunday and will play if Vettori is ruled out.

The final call will rest with the selectors after the net session.

"We'll have a serious look at him tomorrow, but we've got to balance our decision with the fact it's a long season and there's a lot of cricket ahead," Aberhart said Monday.

"He's only 23 and he has a long career ahead of him."

New Zealand tour Pakistan next month and the West Indies soon afterwards, before the International Cricket Council (ICC) Trophy tournament, a home series against India followed by the World Cup early next year in South Africa.

Vettori did not take a wicket on an unresponsive pitch in the 98-run first Test loss to England in Christchurch.

He bowled in the nets on Sunday and team physiotherapist Dayle Shackel said it was encouraging.

"He shaped up really well yesterday so he's keen to have another bowl, have a field and then make a decision as to his level of comfort," said Shackel Monday.

"He's been sore for a while, but it flared up more through diving in the field than bowling (in Christchurch)."

If there is more pain after Tuesday's session, Vettori will have another scan to see whether the injury is muscular or a more serious problem in the bone.

Vettori's back injury first surfaced two years ago at the Basin Reserve here against Australia when he was just 21, and the latest flare-up is a big concern after he came through the three-Test series in Australia pre-Christmas without incident.

Harris was selected to provide batting strength at number seven in the absence of the injured Chris Cairns and bowl his slow-medium pacers if Vettori is ruled out.

Pacemen Chris Martin and Daryl Tuffey are likely to vie for 12th man duties. Martin's back injury is on the mend and he is likely to be considered.

"The specialist spin bowlers have had opportunities to put their

hands up in domestic cricket, but no-one's really done that," said Aberhart. "The Basin might seem, so there are opportunities for the quicker bowlers."

The most pressing concern is whether pacemen Ian Butler and Chris Drum, with backup from either Martin or Tuffey, can knock over an in-form England batting lineup twice to square the series.

Young Warwickshire batsman Ian Bell is expected to arrive here on Tuesday as cover for England pair Mark Butcher and Nasser Hussain.

Butcher has been ruled out of the Wellington Test after he cracked a bone in his right hand in the first Test win.

Hussain hopes to play despite jarring the middle finger of his right hand attempting to take a catch.

Bell, who has played only 13 first-class matches, made a big impression here as a 16-year-old three years ago when he dominated an under-19 Test series.

"I'm surprised and delighted to have this opportunity," Bell said before leaving for New Zealand.

"I don't know how much cricket I will play out in New Zealand, but just mingling with the senior England players will be an important learning experience for me."

ATP Champion Race Lleyton back in top five

AFP, Paris

US Open champion Lleyton Hewitt marked his return to form by moving into the top 20 of the ATP Champions Race rankings this week in fifth position after Sunday's victory in the Tennis Masters Series in Indian Wells.

Hewitt, who finished 2001 as the youngest player to hold the year-end world number one ranking, had been out of sorts early this season after contracting chicken pox.

Since his return in late February, the 21-year-old Australian has won two tournaments, at San Jose, California, two weeks ago and Indian Wells, and was the top mover in Monday's ATP rankings jumping 36 places.

British number one Tim Henman, runner-up to Hewitt in Sunday's final, moves up to second place from joint fourth, with Switzerland's Roger Federer moving up three places to sixth.

Australian Open champion Thomas Johansson holds the lead with a 56-point lead on Henman.

TOP 20

1. Thomas Johansson (Swe)	238
2. Tim Henman (Gbr)	182
3. Marat Safin (Rus)	163
4. Jiri Novak (Cze)	155
5. Lleyton Hewitt (Aus)	136
6. Roger Federer (Swi)	121
7. Nicolas Escude (Fra)	119
8. Tommy Haas (Ger)	115
9. Andy Roddick (USA)	111
10. Yonnes El Aynaoui (Mar)	110
11. Rainer Schuttler (Ger)	109
12. Juan Ignacio Chela (Arg)	98
13. Davide Sanguinetti (Ita)	94
14. Greg Rusedski (Gbr)	91
15. Todd Martin (USA)	88
16. Fabrice Santoro (Fra)	83
17. Fernando Gonzalez (Chi)	81
18. Thomas Enquist (Swe)	80
19. Pete Sampras (USA)	79
20. Marcelo Rios (Chi)	78

Victoria rule

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 Mahmud re-affirmed their allegiance for Bangladesh Biman by depositing their tokens yesterday.

Kalabagan visited the makeshift transfer centre at the Dhaka Metropolitan Football Association (DMFA) office and seemed content to stick to the same set of cricketers from last year. Their only significant signing was young all-rounder Anisur Rahman, who played for Abahani last year.

Six-A-Side cricket

SPORTS REPORTER

Mohon Miah smriti Six-A-Side cricket tournament will begin at the Faridpur Stadium today.

Youth and Sports Secretary Nurul Huda will inaugurate the two-day meet as chief guest.

Waugh crosses his fingers



AFP, Durban

Australian Test captain Steve Waugh said he hoped his battered Australian cap would still be worn again following his team's five-wicket defeat in the third and final Test against South Africa at Kingsmead Monday.

World Test champions Australia won the previous five Tests against the second-ranked South Africans.

"We're disappointed to lose the final match but if someone had said four or five months ago, take five-one, we'd have been pretty happy with that. South Africa played well and they have some good young players but we played very good cricket for most of the summer."

Waugh, 36, deflected speculation about the future of himself and twin brother Mark, who were both dropped from the Australian one-day side that will play seven limited-overs internationals against South Africa in the next three weeks.

Australia are scheduled to start a two-Test series in Zimbabwe on April 25 and Waugh admitted he was not certain whether he and Mark would be back in Africa following moderate performances at

home and away against South Africa.

"I was pleased with the way I batted in the second innings and Mark played pretty well in both innings. We're trying our best, the rest is up to the selectors."

Waugh wished new one-day



STEVE WAUGH

captain Ricky Ponting good luck. He said he would enjoy spending time with his family, but added: "I'd rather be playing the one-dayers. It'll be nice to have a break but hopefully I will be back for Zimbabwe."

The Test side for Zimbabwe is expected to be announced later this week.

Mark Boucher, South Africa's acting captain, who clinched the win when he hit off-spinner Mark Waugh over mid-wicket for six, said he was proud of the way his team had come back. "We've been through some tough times," he said.

Boucher revealed he received a good luck call from former president Nelson Mandela before play resumed on the fifth day, with South Africa still needing 71 runs with six wickets standing.

"I was a bit astounded to get the call," he said. "He wished us well and told us to keep our spirits high."

Boucher said the turnaround had been a collective effort. "Having been beaten so badly in Australia it was up to each guy to look at himself. The guys needed to perform and to get that pride back. It wasn't me or the management, it was the guys themselves."

Boucher said he would be happy to hand the captaincy back to Pollock, who will return for the one-day series. He said Monday's win was important.

"We're a young side and we've taken a lot from these guys (Australia). We haven't come up against that sort of intensity before and hopefully we can make it part of our cricket in the future."

Pollock back for Proteas

AFP, Durban

Shaun Pollock will return as captain of South Africa's one-day squad after missing the Test series against Australia because of a side strain.

All-rounder Pollock was Monday named captain of a 13-man squad for the first three of seven internationals against Australia, to be played in Johannesburg Friday, Centurion Sunday and Potchefstroom on March 27.

Mark Boucher, who captained South Africa in the Test series which Australia won 2-1, will be vice-captain.

The squad includes 10 of the players who won the VB Series final against New Zealand in Australia last month. The only player missing is fast bowler Allan Donald, who is recovering from a hamstring injury.

Four other players who were part of the squad in Australia were not included, however.

Steve Elworthy, Charl Langeveldt and Justin Kemp were dropped, while Justin Ontong is also recovering from injury.

All-rounder Andrew Hall and fast bowler Roger Telemachus were added to the side.

Bangladesh festival

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In Football, Bangladesh Games saw a new champion when Chittagong beat Bangladesh Army 2-1 in the final on Sunday.

Trailing by a goal for most of the first-half, the Chittagongians saw super-sub Ariful Kabir Farhad produce a magical performance to lead them to ultimate honour. Farhad, who plays for Muktijoddha Sangsard in the National and Dhaka Premier Division Leagues, scored both the goals for the winners.

Last edition's champions Dhaka University finished fourth while second-placed Dhaka bagged the bronze in the event.

In hockey, Dhaka District emerged winners with a 2-1 win over defending champions Dhaka University.

Meanwhile, on the final day (Monday), Bangladesh Navy came from behind to win the basketball gold with a 72-65 point win over Bangladesh Army.

Trailing the first half 28-32, the sailors staged a brilliant come back after the break and scored 44 points to run away with the gold.

Rashed caged highest 29 points for the sailors while Siraj scored 10

points.

Munshiganj District clinched the bronze defeating Bangladesh Rifles by 61-56 points.

Two shooting gold were also finalised on the day.

Ace shooter Sabrina Sultana of Dhaka Rifle Club pocketed her third gold of the Games winning the women's sports rifle prone with 576 points while Nuruddin Selim of Chittagong Shooting Club bagged the skit gold scoring 109 points.

K'chhari cricket

OUR CORRESPONDENT, CHT

Surjo Shikha Club moved into the final in the First Division Cricket League beating Projanma Club by 127 run at the local stadium on Monday.

Winning the toss, Surjo Shikha decided to bat first and made 218 runs for eight in the stipulated 40 overs. Ashish Chakma scored unbeaten 48 in 40 balls.

In reply, Projanma were all out for 91 in 19 overs.

Nico Chakma took seven wickets for 19 runs.

TV GUIDE

BTV

3:10	News Headlines
3:15	Deshar Gaan
3:20	Open University
3:45	Shukhi Poribar
4:00	Khabar
4:05	Pushitathya
4:20	Cartoon: Godzila
4:30	Live telecast of the 2 nd parliamentary sessions from the 8 th National Parliament
5:00	News Headlines
5:10	Shobar Jonno Shikkha
5:35	Family Trip
6:00	Khabar
6:10	Sangeeta
6:35	Programme from Chittagong station
7:00	News Headlines
7:05	Pran Taranga
8:00	News in Bengali
8:30	Drama Serial: Shei Shob Manush
9:00	News Headlines
9:05	Drama Serial: Kaji Nazrul Islam
10:00	News at Ten
10:30	Mythskriya
11:30	Khabar / The News

CHANNEL-i

7:40	Roving eye
8:10	Music Plus
9:00	Muktijuddha Amar Ohonkar
9:20	Drama Serial: Ar Koto Kal
9:50	Drama Serial: Bhalomondo Manushera
10:20	Deshar Gaan
10:50	Roving Eye
11:20	Music Plus
12:00	Muktijuddha Amar Ohonkar
12:30	Drama Serial: Ar Koto Kal
1:00	Drama Serial: Bhalomondo Manushera
1:30	Deshar Gaan
2:00	Bengali Movie: Okorma

Evening

5:40	Goto Shatdin
6:10	Music Plus
6:50	Muktijuddha Amar Ohonkar
7:15	Channel i News
8:00	Drama Serial: Joyar Bhata
8:30	Ispahani i Telequiz (question)
8:35	Drama Serial: Bhalomondo Manushera
9:00	Channel i News
9:30	Ispahani i Telequiz (re-sults)
9:35	Shonbadpotre Bangladesh
10:30	Channel i News
11:00	Bengali Movie: Mirjafar

HBO

6:30am	October Sky
8:45	Jaws
11:15	Vampire in Brooklyn
1:15pm	Pontiac Moon
3:30	Pet Sematary
5:30	Ice Castles
7:45	Runaway Train
10:00	Death Becomes Her
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4:30	Pet Sematary
6:30 am	World Business Report
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8:00	BBC News
8:30	Asia Today/World Business Report
9:00	BBC News
9:30	Asia Today/Asia Business Report
10:00	BBC News
10:30	Hardtalk
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11:30	World Business Report
12:00 pm	BBC News
12:30	World Business Report
1:00	BBC News
1:30	World Business Report/Sport Today
2:00	BBC News
2:30	Click Online
3:00	BBC News
3:30	Wrew
4:00	BBC News
4:30	East Asia Today/Sport Today
5:00	BBC News
5:30	Hardtalk

STAR MOVIES

7:30am	Triangle
9:15	AU Pair 2
11:00pm	Two if by Sea
12:45	Honey I Blew up the Kid
2:15	Peril
4:00	Felons
5:30	Skin Deep
7:00	Heist, The
8:30	Green Mile, The
11:30	AU Pair 2
1:15	Cool Runnings

STAR GOLD

7:00am	Do Aur Do Paanch (Amitabh Bachchan,
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Shashi Kapoor, Parveen Babi)

10:30	Bollywood News
11:00	Geet Bahar
11:30	Ham Sab Chor Hain (Shammi Kapoor, Nalini Jaywant)
3:00pm	Bollywood News
3:30	Hamrahi (Rajendra Kumar, Jamuna)
7:00	Geet Bahar
7:30	Mangal Masti : Bikhre Moti (Jeetendra, Babila)
11:00	Bollywood News
11:30	Yeh Kaisa Insaf (Vinod Mehra, Shabana Azmi)

STAR WORLD

6:00am	Happy Days
6:30	3 rd Rock From The Sun
7:00	The Oprah Winfrey Show
8:00	MacGyver
9:00	King of Queens
9:30	Dharma & Greg
10:00	Boston Public
11:00	The Oprah Winfrey Show
12:00pm	Everybody Loves Raymond
12:30	Frasier
1:00	Caroline In The City
1:30	The Bold & The Beautiful
2:00	Hollywood Squares
2:30	Happy Days
3:00	Baywatch
4:00	The Simpsons
4:30	3 rd Rock From The Sun
5:00	Star News Asia
5:30	Friends
6:00	JAG
6:55	Star News Asia
7:00	The Pretender