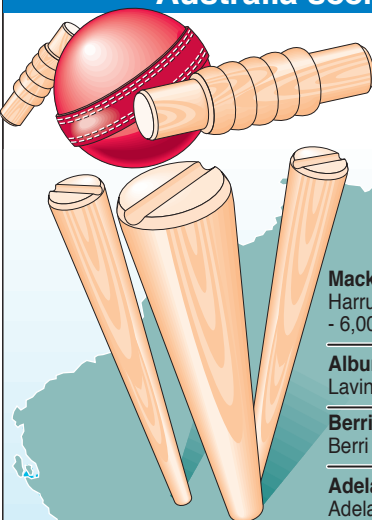
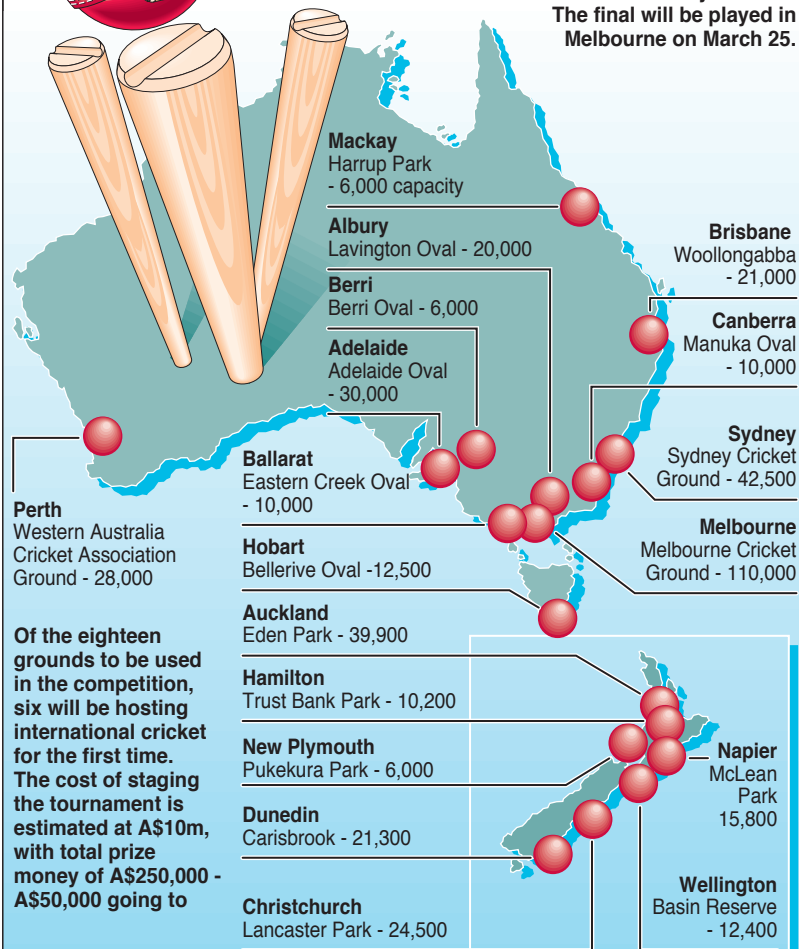


# Australia seek to rule the world



Reigning champions Australia begin their defence of the Cricket World Cup on February 22. The tournament sees the return to first-class international cricket of South Africa after a 21-year exile. The final will be played in Melbourne on March 25.



Of the eighteen grounds to be used in the competition, six will be hosting international cricket for the first time. The cost of staging the tournament is estimated at A\$10m, with total prize money of A\$250,000 - A\$50,000 going to

# World Cup colours

Coloured team strips and white balls appear for the first time in the 1992 World Cup, with some games being played under floodlights.



**Australia**  
Captain:  
**Allan Border**

**England**  
Captain:  
**Graham Gooch**



**India** Captain:  
**Mohammed Azharuddin**

**New Zealand**  
Captain:  
**Martin Crowe**



**Pakistan**  
Captain:  
**Imran Khan**

**South Africa**  
Captain:  
**Kepler Wessels**



**Sri Lanka**  
Captain:  
**Aravinda De Silva**

**West Indies**  
Captain:  
**Richie Richardson**



**Zimbabwe**  
Captain:  
**David Houghton**