

Captain's report 2012

Format	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Abandoned
20/20	5	2	3	0	10
40/40	1	0	1	0	4

We had an unfortunate start to the season with the first three fixtures cancelled due to rain that was to plague us throughout the season and overall seven games were called off because of bad weather. We won just two games, those against OMCC and The Vine Inn in May and fairly convincingly. Of the remaining 20-over matches, Kerala XI fielded a strong team and beat us in a crushing defeat (by 8 wickets) and the Shirley CC and St Cross CC fixtures were closely fought but we narrowly missed out.

26 players played for SMMCC this season however we really struggled to find enough players for every game. Of the six games played we only fielded eleven players on two occasions. Regretfully, three 20-over fixtures and four 40-over fixtures (perhaps because they are played on Sunday) were called off as a result of too few available players.

Otterbourne CC was a very accommodating host again and thanks go to them for preparing the pitches for us when the weather allowed. I have no update as yet on their progress towards ground improvements or the planned move to a new ground. The White Horse Pub changed ownership last year and they decided not to provide post-match sandwiches like last year. However Garry Bagshaw kindly volunteered and on three occasions provided spreads to put any pub-made sandwiches to shame.

Thanks again go to our dedicated umpires Peter and Ian. To reiterate my sentiments after the Shirley CC debacle, we are lucky to have two qualified umpires turning out for our matches; in fact we have four qualified umpires that I know of in the club and it is beneficial we are able to improve our own understanding of the laws.

The wet weather made for a disappointing summer not just for the shortened playing season. I have enjoyed my captaincy tenure and I would like to thank everyone for their support. I now pass the reins over to Keith and I sincerely hope we have some better sun next year.

Player Statistics:

20 Over	Bowling					
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Economy
Bennett	6.2	0	24	4	6.00	3.79
Sinoy	3	0	12	0		4.00
Khan	11	2	44	4	11.00	4.00
Sheard	8	1	33	5	6.60	4.13
Paddock	3	0	13	2	6.50	4.33
Mehmood	4	0	19	0		4.75
Munir	13	0	62	4	15.50	4.77
Emeka	8	0	39	0		4.88
Bagshaw	3	0	16	1	16.00	5.33
Panicker Jr	3	0	20	1	20.00	6.67
Yates	9	1	60	2	30.00	6.67
Gill	2	0	16	0		8.00
Turner	4	0	37	2	18.50	9.25
Salter	2.4	0	25	1	25.00	9.38

20 Over	Batting				
	Innings	Not Outs	Runs	High Score	Average
Hinton	4	2	83	26*	41.50
Warren	5	2	69	25*	26.00
Paddock	1	1	23	23*	23.00
Turner	3	1	59	28*	19.67
Sheard	3	1	28	28*	14.00
Emeka	4	0	53	23	13.25
Salter	5	1	53	28*	13.25
Khan	2	1	12	12*	12.00
Edwards	2	1	11	6	11.00
Munir	3	0	25	12	8.33
Mehmood	1	1	8	8	8.00
Yates	2	1	6	5	6.00
Binstead	2	0	10	9	5.00
Oakley	2	0	8	5	4.00
Bennett	2	1	4	4	4.00
Panicker Sr	1	1	1	1	1.00
Cornish	1	0	0	0	0.00
Munir Jr	1	0	0	0	0.00

40 Over	Bowling					
	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Economy
Oakley	8	0	16	1	16	2.00
Sinoy	5	0	18	1	18	3.60
Krishna	4	0	17	0	0	4.25
Panicker Jr	6	0	29	1	29	4.83
Khan	4	0	24	3	8	6.00
Foster	4	0	24	1	24	6.00
Rajeev	5	0	32	1	32	6.40

40 Over	Batting				
	Innings	Not Outs	Runs	High Score	Average
Rajeev	1	0	34	34	34
Krishna	1	0	21	21	21
Foster	1	0	8	8	8
Hinton	1	0	6	6	6
Oakley	1	0	4	4	4
Khan	1	0	3	3	3
Sinoy	1	0	2	2	2
Panicker Jr	1	0	1	1	1
Panicker Sr	1	0	0	0	0
Evans	1	0	0	0	0