



GRIFFIN GAZETTE

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF BARNSELEY CRICKET CLUB AUGUST 2009

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WELCOME.....

....to the August edition of the **Griffin Gazette**. As always you can read all the news first by subscribing to the Gazette through the club website by using the newsletter sign up facility at www.barnsleycc.co.uk/newsletter.asp

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Once again the **Gazette** would love to hear from you of your thoughts and memories of Barnsley CC. Just drop us an email at km014b1143@blueyonder.co.uk and we will try to publish it as written, but reserve the right to edit.

Unfortunately due to holidays and other unforeseen circumstances, the next (and last of 2009) edition of the **Griffin Gazette** will not be out until a couple of weeks after the current season ends.

However it will contain all the results from August and September, final league tables and the top averages from each side. Hopefully it will also be celebrating a victory in the Crowther Cup Final on August 31, and reporting on some success from our Junior section.

With it been our last **Gazette** of 2009, we would like to know of any events taking place during the winter months at Shaw Lane, so please if you have something coming up - let us know.

I would like to take this chance to thank all our contributor's for their efforts during the season, and we hope you have all enjoyed reading the **Griffin Gazette** during 2009.



MEMORIES OF BARNSELEY CC **by Hubert Padgett**

IN 1946, aged 14, I was invited to play in Shaw Lanes Sunday team. I then progressed into the 2nd XI, which was captained by one of the Beckett brothers, playing in the Sheffield League. After only one season in the 2nd XI. I was selected for the 1st XI, the Yorkshire League side, winning the bowling averages In 1949, aged 17.

In 1948 I was selected to tour Sussex with the Yorkshire boys under 18 team, which was captained by Norman Umbers of Barnsley, and included Fred Trueman, Brian Close and Ray Illingworth. The following year, 1949, I was selected to play with the Yorkshire Colts before beginning my National Service.

In 1951/2, while serving in the Royal Artillery, I played for the Army and the Royal Artillery. In a match played at Lords against the Royal Engineers, I took a hat trick - all cleaned bowled, and was afterwards presented with the match ball. Also representing the Army at this time were Brian Close, Keith Andrews (England





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wicket keeper), Maurice Hallam (opening bat for Leicestershire) and Mickey Stewart.

In 1952, aged 20, I was one of the 13 players Chosen for the Yorkshire Southern tour, which included matches against the MCC at Lords, Somerset and Oxford/Cambridge University teams. On this tour we had to make our own travel arrangements. The result was that I travelled from Wakefield to London, London to Taunton, Taunton to Oxford and then onto Cambridge in the same car as Harry Halliday and Len Hutton (who slept most of the time, but occasionally woke to smoke the odd 'Craven A' cigarette!). Also included in the 13 were Don Brennan (who captained the side while Norman Yardley and his wife were expecting twins), Johnny Wardle, Willie Watson, Vic Wilson, Harry Halliday, Ted Lester, Frank Lawson, Brian Close and Eddie Leadbetter.

After playing with Brighouse in the Bradford League (1953) for one season only (Ken Taylor was also in the side aged 16) I returned to Shaw Lane, practising for many hours in the winter shed (which is now the old tea room) with Geoff Boycott, Dickie Bird, Harry Crick, Eddie Ledgard and Michael Parkinson - with many an extra half an hour bowling to Geoffrey when the others had left.

I finished playing cricket in the late 1950's after Bob Modwood and Harry Hough persuaded me to take up golf!!

I WISH BARNSLEY CRICKET CLUB ALL THE VERY BEST IN THEIR EFFORTS TO WIN THE YORKSHIRE LEAGUE FOR ONLY THE SECOND TIME IN THE HISTORY OF THE GREAT CLUB.

I still live locally and hope to see them in action whenever I can.

G.H.Padgett

SATURDAY TEAMS ROUND UP

FIRST TEAM



OXBRIDGE YORKSHIRE ECB COUNTY PREMIER LEAGUE

FIRST TEAM FIXTURES FOR AUGUST.

All fixtures ECB Yorkshire Premier League - 12 noon start.

- Saturday 1st v Castleford (away)
- Saturday 8th v Hull & YPI (home)
- Sunday 9th v Rotherham Town (home)
- Saturday 15th v Cleethorpes (away)
- Saturday 22nd v Harrogate (home)
- Saturday 29th v Appleby Frodingham (away)
- Monday 31st v Doncaster Town (home)

SEPTEMBER

- Saturday 5th v Sheffield Collegiate (home)
- Saturday 12th v Sheffield United (away)

FIRST TEAM RESULTS

**indicates home side*

27 June (Yorkshire League) Sheffield United 51 (18.5 overs) Oliver Hannon-Dalby 6-7, Joe Ellis 3-30; *Barnsley 52-2 (12.3)

Barnsley won by 8 wickets.

28 June (ECB National Club Championship) York 181-7 (45) Simon Mason 72, Ashley Hulme 37, Andrew Bourke 3-28; *Barnsley 166 -9 (45) Steven Nuttall 29*, Andrew Bourke 29, Daniel Woods 3-15.

York won by 15 runs.

4 July (Yorkshire League) Barnsley 182-7 (55) Joe Ellis 62, Andrew Bourke 24, Jason Booth 24, Josh Jones 3-26; *Sheffield Collegiate 157-9 (55) William Root 41, Alex





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Patmore 28*, Richard Wilkinson 4-47,
Simon Widdup 4-59.

Barnsley won by 25 runs

5 July (Heavy Woollen Cup) *Barnsley 149
(49.3) Simon Widdup 33, Alex Morris 32,
Greig Batty 25, Mushtaq Ahmed 3-27;
Baildon 150-4 (39.2) Ian Philliskirk 87*

Baildon won by 6 wickets.

11 July (Yorkshire League) *Barnsley 200-9
(55) Simon Widdup 62, Alex Morris 40, Joe
Ellis 28, Gurman Randhawa 4-59;
Yorkshire Academy 201-7 (53.1) Charles
Roebuck 48, Gary Balance 39, Callum
Geldart 32, Alex Lilley 31*.

Yorkshire Academy won by 3 wickets.

12 July (Yorkshire League) Barnsley 292-4
(55) Matthew Wilson 129*, Andrew Bourke
112; *Driffield Town 296-9 (54.5) David
Barber 57, Sam Drury 46, Joe Fraser 42,
Nick Hardgrave 33, Richard Wilkinson 3-
65.

Driffield Town won by 1 wicket.

18 July (Yorkshire League)
*Barnsley v York

No play due to rain.

25 July (Yorkshire League) Barnsley 207-7
(55) Alex Morris 41, Andrew Bourke 34,
Jason Booth 30*, Steven Nuttall 30, Piet
Rinke 3-59; *Scarborough 208-2 (45)
Adam Lyth 127*, Kunwar Bansil 34.

Scarborough won by 8 wickets.

Another month has past and another month has been spent looking for answers! Our form continues to be poor (apart from one or two individuals) and we sit just past the half way stage of the season, out of all the cup competitions and barring miracles out of the title race. At this point of the season we would look to be in the top 4, within distance of the top and to be in at least 1 cup competition. We were beaten by York in the regional final at Shaw Lane

after a good bowling performance which left us a target of 182 to win and, after being in good position, we failed after one or two poor shot selections (I was one of the guilty party) & let in a side that need no second invitation to put you under pressure. The only ones to come out of that game with credit were Steven Nuttall and Tom Shaw, who with some inventive batting at the end, got us to within 15 of the total.

In our other "big game", the semi final of the Heavy Woollen cup, we fell drastically short on the runs front, as we were 60 odd for 1 and then 86 for 6, and although Baildon bowled well, it was not a 150 pitch. We did manage to take 3 early wickets (Ellis) and put them under a little pressure, but due to dropped catches and a lack of runs, they reached their target for 6 wickets.

On the league front we have recently suffered 2 defeats at the hands of YCCC Academy and Driffield after going on a little run. These defeats now rule us out of the title race and from here on in we have to look to personal goals and winning as many games as possible. I would be lying if I said that next year has not been discussed and planned, we are obviously lacking in some areas and this will be addressed. On the personal goals front Bourky and Matt Wilson both got hundreds at Driffield, whilst Widds and Joe continue to impress, so there are some bright spots, but overall once again it's a should do better!!

Boothy

TOP 5 RUN MAKERS (League & Cup)

Simon Widdup	949 runs
Alex Morris	595 runs
Andrew Bourke	548 runs
Matthew Wilson	491 runs
Joe Ellis	446 runs





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TOP 5 WICKET TAKERS (League & Cup)

Richard Wilkinson	43 wickets
Joe Ellis	43 wickets
Greig Batty	30 wickets
Andrew Bourke	25 wickets
Simon Widdup	17 wickets

YORKSHIRE LEAGUE TABLE (25 July)

(Top 7) 1 Yorkshire Academy 100pts, 2 Scarborough 98, 3 York 97, 4 Doncaster Town 77, 5 Castleford 76, 6 Cleethorpes 70, 7 **Barnsley 57**;
All teams have played 17 games.

Full scorecards and copy scorebooks for the first team this season can be found on <http://www.barnsleycc.co.uk/scorecards.asp> on the official Barnsley CC website.

You can also follow the first teams progress on match day by logging onto our live scores service - regular updates on how the game is going (where facilities exist) on www.barnsleycc.co.uk/Live_score.asp

SECOND ELEVEN



Stafforce South Yorkshire Cricket League Premier Division

SECOND TEAM FIXTURES FOR AUGUST

All fixtures South Yorkshire League Premier Division unless stated - 12.30pm start.

Saturday 1st v Houghton Main (home)
Saturday 8th v Wickersley Old Village (away)
Saturday 15th v Whitley Hall (home)
Saturday 22nd v Rotherham Phoenix (away)
Saturday 29th v Elsecar (home)
Monday 31st v Woodlands (Crowther Cup)

Final @ Hanging Heaton CC) 12 noon

SEPTEMBER

Saturday 5th v Hallam (away)
Saturday 12th v Wath (home)

SECOND TEAM RESULTS

27 June (South Yorkshire League)
Barnsley 160-9 (50) Peter Hadfield 56, Simon Potter 50, Steve Reynolds 5-26, Lesroy Weekes 3-29; *Wath 163-5 (41.1) Matt Burrows 72, Johnny Younis 30
Wath won by 5 wickets.

4 July (South Yorkshire League) *Barnsley 171 (43.5) Hanko Swart 39*, Ben O'Brien 39, Jamie Green 35, Ben Ashdown 5-21; Treeton 174-1 (30.5) Andrew Tomlinson 78, Stephen Foster 65*.
Treeton won by 9 wickets.

5 July (Crowther Cup) *Townville 163 (45.4) Jack Hughes 58, Mark Beardshall 5-23, Jamie Green 4-28; Barnsley 165-7 (45.3) Andrew Wakefield 60, Thomas Whittaker 46*, Jack Hughes 3-10.
Barnsley won by 3 wickets.

11 July (South Yorkshire League) Barnsley 175-5 dec (36) Glen Yates 47, Henri Londt 46*, Ben O'Brien 33; *Sheffield Collegiate 2nd XI 145 (48) Ajay Patankar 33, Glen Yates 6-17
Barnsley won by 30 runs.

18 July (South Yorkshire League) *Darfield 106-8 (42) Warren Bird 36, Glen Yates 4-21; Barnsley 109-6 (29.2) Glen Yates 21, Paul Wilkinson 5-27.
Barnsley won by 4 wickets.

25 July (South Yorkshire League) Tickhill 144 (48.1) Tom Barnett 23, Hanko Swart 3-23, Jamie Green 3-53; *Barnsley 133 (47.4) Glen Yates 43, Matthew Tyers 42, Kashif Raza 3-21, Tom Barnett 3-35, Chris Jevons 3-40.
Tickhill won by 11 runs.





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TOP 5 RUN MAKERS (League & Cup)

Peter Hadfield	393 runs
Andrew Wakefield	265 runs
Matthew Tyers	222 runs
Simon Potter	204 runs
Henri Londt	194 runs

TOP 5 WICKET TAKERS (League & Cup)

Hanko Swart	17 wickets
Jamie Green	16 wickets
Mark Beardshall	15 wickets
Thomas Whittaker	15 wickets
Simon Potter	15 wickets

SOUTH YORKSHIRE LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION TABLE (25 July) (Bottom 5)

8 Rotherham Phoenix 45pts, 9 **BARNSELY** 37, 10 Tickhill 23, 11 Sheffield Collegiate 11, 12 Darfield 5 - all teams have played 15 games.

CROWTHER CUP FINAL

Holders Barnsley will face Woodlands in this season's Solly Sports Crowther Cup final at Hanging Heaton on Monday, August 31 (12 noon).

Barnsley defeated Townville by three wickets and Woodlands beat Hanging Heaton by a similar margin with just two balls to spare.

Andy Wakefield and Tom Whittaker steered Barnsley past the Townville score of 163 all out. Jack Hughes top scored for Townville with 58.

Barnsley, who also won the trophy in 2005 and 2006, will be striving to avenge the defeat Woodlands inflicted on them in a first round bowl out in 2007.

Skipper Phil Walker (51) and Stephen Pearson (46no) spearheaded Woodlands successful pursuit of Hanging Heaton's total of 238-8. Chris Goodair (54no), Umar Rehman (48), Andrew Nettleton (35no) and Nafeez Hafeez (34) were the main

contributors for Hanging Heaton while Greig Godfrey (4-37) was the most successful Woodlands bowler.

CLARENCE (THIRD) TEAM



Stafforce South Yorkshire Cricket League Division Four

THIRD TEAM FIXTURES FOR AUGUST.

All fixtures South Yorkshire League Division 4 unless stated - 1pm start.

Saturday 1st v Houghton Main 2nds (away)
Saturday 8th v Coal Aston 2nds (home)
Saturday 15th v Norton Oakes 2nds (away)
Saturday 22nd v Rotherham Town 3rds (home)
Sunday 23rd v Oughtibridge 2nds (away)

SEPTEMBER

Saturday 5th v Doncaster Town 3rds (home)
Saturday 12th v Warmsworth 2nds (away)

THIRD TEAM RESULTS

27 June (South Yorkshire League)
Warmsworth 2nd XI 163-6 (46) Mark Chichester 40*, Graeme Worth 39, Rajinder Kundra 37; *Barnsley 158 (45.3) Stephen Walters 41, Martin Ivill 38, Mark Chichester 3-38.

Warmsworth won by 5 runs.

4 July (SYL) Barnsley 142-9 (46) Gary Nuttall 39, Andrew Beck 29*, Luke Aitken 5-29, Melvyn Caddick 3-29; *Mexborough Athletic 2nd XI 116 (38.4) Sean Aitken 44, Gary Nuttall 5-32.

Barnsley won by 26 runs.

18 July (SYL) *Barnsley 195-5 (46) Richard Ledger 70, Matthew Tyers 46, Stephen





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Walters 43; Dearne 2nd XI 121-8 (46) Sam Langley 29,.

Barnsley won by 74 runs.

19 July (SYL) Barnsley 137-0 dec (32) Stephen Walters 64*, Joe Fletcher 61*; *Thornccliffe 2nd XI 118 (34) Roger Jezusek 45, Martin Ivill 6-39.

Barnsley won by 19 runs.

25 July (SYL) Barnsley 154 (46) Stephen Walters 22, Luke Stevenson 4-28; *Worsborough Bridge 2nd XI 77 (33.5) Gary Nuttall 5-11, Martin Ivill 3-14

Barnsley won by 77 runs.

TOP 5 RUN MAKERS (League & Cup)

Stephen Walters	452 runs
Joe Fletcher	283 runs
Richard Ledger	196 runs
Martin Ivill	115 runs
Jamie Green	101 runs

TOP 5 WICKET TAKERS (League & Cup)

Martin Ivill	28 wickets
Gary Nuttall	19 wickets
Waqas Ali	16 wickets
Joe Fletcher	16 wickets
Hanko Swart	14 wickets

SOUTH YORKSHIRE LEAGUE DIVISION

4 TABLE (25 July) *Top 5*

1 Norton Oakes pld 16-72pts, **2 Barnsley 15-68**, 3 Doncaster Town 14-64, 4 Houghton Main 16-61, 5 Coal Aston 15-60.

**BEECHFIELD (FOURTH) XI
THE TORBECK
PONTEFRACT & DISTRICT CRICKET
LEAGUE**

FOURTH TEAM FIXTURES FOR AUGUST

All fixtures Pontefract & District League Division 6 unless stated - 1.30pm start.

Saturday 1st v Hundhill Hall 2nds (home)

Saturday 8th v Thurnscoe Inst 2nds (away)

Saturday 15th v Askern Welfare 2nds (home)

Saturday 22nd v West Bretton 3rd XI (away)

Saturday 29th v Allerton Bywater 2nds (home)

SEPTEMBER (1pm)

Saturday 5th v Yorkshire Main 2nds (away)

Saturday 12th v Wombwell Main 2nds (home)

FOURTH TEAM RESULTS

27 June (Pontefract League) Barnsley 133 (26.4) Luke Wilson 39*, Martin Pickering 5-35; *Wombwell Main 2nd XI 134-8 (49.4) Martin Pickering 53*, Jonathan Woodhead 32.

Wombwell Main won by 2 wickets.

4 July (Pontefract League) Knottingley 2nd XI 42 (12.5) Vinny Ogden 5-7; *Barnsley 45-2 (12.3) Ben Hampshire 20*.

Barnsley won by 8 wickets.

11 July (Pontefract League) *Barnby Dun 2nd XI 124-9 (40) Andy Young 39, David Addy 3-26; Barnsley 128-4 (32.5) John Smith 40*.

Barnsley won by 6 wickets.

18 July (Pontefract League) *Bentley Colliery 2nd XI 119-9 (46) Steve Ashworth 31, Mark Smith 4-37, Thomas Hemingway 3-34; Barnsley 101 (40.2) Thomas Hemingway 36, Nicky Smith 4-20

Bentley Colliery won by 18 runs.

25 July (Pontefract League) Barnsley 199-5 (46) Greg Cranston 87*, Ben Hampshire 48; *Pledwick 2nd XI 200-9 (45) Dave Newman 45, Derek Skidmore 39, Tony Brentnall 35, Richard Macey 4-47, Ross Hawley 3-5.

Pledwick won by 1 wicket.

Another reasonable month for Beechfield who are still gunning for promotion having





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hit a high spot of 2nd place in the league before falling back to 4th. Won all but two games with two narrow defeats at the hands of teams with a full compliment of men, whilst our team has, on most occasions, contained 9/10 juniors and 1/2 men. Continued good performances from Greg Cranston, Luke Wilson Adil Hussein, & some good performances from old timers Dave Addy, Mark Smith and John Smith. Come on boys we can still get second spot and go up!

TOP 5 RUN MAKERS (League & Cup)

Greg Cranston	355 runs
John Smith	282 runs
Abdil Hussain	253 runs
Ben Hampshire	243 runs
Matthew Clayton	136 runs

TOP 5 WICKET TAKERS (League & Cup)

Luke Wilson	23 wickets
Greg Cranston	13 wickets
Darren Hayes	11 wickets
Thomas Hemingway	11 wickets
Richard Macey	11 wickets

PONTEFRACT & DISTRICT LEAGUE DIVISION 6 TABLE (25 July) Top 5

1 Bentley Colliery 139pts, 2 Hundhill Hall 99, 3 Barnby Dun 94, 4 **Barnsley 94**, 5 Askern Welfare 90. All teams have played 15 matches.

Full scorecards for the second, third and fourth teams are available on http://www.barnsleycc.co.uk/league_tables.asp

JACK OF ALL TRADES

I have now been the honorary secretary for nearly 6 years having first been elected in October 2003. This was done whilst I was still considering Dave Clayton's request to "help out in my spare time now that I had retired. It won't be much, just take a few notes at monthly meetings and type them

up". How could I have been so gullible?

After getting over the initial shock of the time and effort required I have now got the hang of it, or so I think. *"If it does not have a label on it Jack will sort it out"* seems to be the call.

I have enjoyed the last 6 years, even if I do complain a lot and have seen a lot of changes at the club. The committee has changed slightly with an influx of new blood and new ideas. We now seem to be all pulling in the same direction and that is to make our club better from a playing and socialising aspect.

Even people who are not on the committee, like Greig Batty for instance, has put his hand up to help by organising social evenings for members and their other halves. Drunken evening on a boat on a canal near Sprotborough, springs to mind. Ives organising buses to watch the Heavy Woollen Cup final in 2008 and it running smoothly despite him being inebriated most of the time and Dave Clayton taking a swim in the river nearby. Stuart Cranston organising race evenings for the junior section are but a few.

The Heavy Woollen Cup Final of 2005 must rate as my most rewarding as secretary, being associated with the first South Yorkshire team to win the trophy. It was also a fabulous day out for all our travelling supporters who made it such a great day. Liversedge CC, where the game was played, spoke to me at the next meeting and hoped that we got to the final again next year, as they thoroughly enjoyed the noise and banter from our supporters [along with record bar takings]. Not sure about the HWC committee though.

My other rewarding moment was winning the 2006 Yorkshire League championship. The only down side was in the manner that





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it was won. I would have preferred to have won it on the cricket field not after a hearing.

As most of you will be aware, I have had to take some time out this year from my duties as honorary secretary, and I would like to thank those people that have covered for me, they know who they are.

Just to bring you up to date, those who have paid their subscriptions to become a member of the club, their new membership card is now available. The clubhouse will have a new system up and running in the near future where this swipe card can be used to purchase items at members' prices.

Jack Holden - Hon Secretary



JUNIOR CRICKET ROUND UP

JUNIOR CRICKET FIXTURES FOR AUGUST

Please check on line at <http://barnsley.play-cricket.com/scoreboard/fixtures.asp> for official start times)

Under 17

Wednesday 5 v Cawthorne (home)
Wednesday 12 v Upper Haugh (away)
Wednesday 19 v Thurnscoe Institute(away)
Wednesday 26 v Adwick on Dearne (home)

Under 17 Leading Run Makers

Danial Rafiq	285 runs
Joe Fletcher	240 runs
Sam Shaw	163 runs
Tom Shaw	63 runs
Ben Hampshire	39 runs

Under 17 Leading Wicket Takers

Greg Cranston	18 wickets
Joe Fletcher	16 wickets
Mohammad Saad	12 wickets
Jack Price	9 wickets
Luke Wilson	8 wickets

UNDER 17 LEAGUE TABLE

	<i>PLD</i>	<i>PTS</i>
Barnsley	12	37
Cawthorne	11	35
Wath	12	29
Elsecar	12	26
Kilnhurst Coll	11	25

Under 15

Thursday 13 v Grimethorpe Miners (home)
Thursday 20 v Higham (away)
Thursday 27 v Grimethorpe Miners (home)
Thursday 3 Sept v Monk Bretton (away)

Under 13

Tuesday 4 v Cawthorne (home)
Tuesday 11 v Penistone (away)
Tuesday 18 v Stain borough (home)

Under 13 - 8 a side

Sunday 2 v Royston (home)
Sunday 9 v Higham (away)
Sunday 16 v Woolley (home)

MCC SPIRIT OF CRICKET

presents

3 DAY SUMMER CRICKET CAMP at Shaw Lane (4-6 August 2009).

Chance to shine have teamed up with MCC to deliver MCC sport of Cricket Summer Camps, and one takes place at Barnsley Cricket Club from 4th to 6th August 2009.

The camp is open to boys and girls aged 8 to 12 years and of all levels of ability.





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The camp will provide every child with the opportunity to

- Take part in fun and enjoyable activities
- Win exciting prizes each day
- Take part in a kwik cricket tournament on the final day
- Meet a professional cricketer

Every child will receive a bag of cricket goodies which will include baseball cap, certificate of participation, t-shirt, and a personal report on how they have progressed over the three days.

DAILY PROGRAMME

- 10am Arrival and Registration
- 10.30am - 3.30pm Skills, Drills & Competition
- 4pm Depart

Cost of the camp is £20, and booking forms are available from Barnsley Cricket Club, or register and pay on line at www.chancetoshop.co.uk/mccsummercamps

You will need to bring with you

- A packed lunch and plenty to drink during the day
- Sports kit
- Appropriate footwear (trainers etc.)

Child Welfare Report

The Child welfare audit is now complete.

Members who gave incorrect answers were seen and correct answers were given, including some discussion as to why the answers were incorrect.

All participants in the audit are now aware who the child welfare officer is.

A small number of participants argued that it wouldn't be necessary to call an ambulance for a broken leg. It was pointed

out that there would be some degree of shock with all fractures and the transporting of the individual to hospital would require specialist help to avoid displacement of the fracture.

Question 6 prompted quite a lot of discussion about whether or not children lie about being abused. This proved beneficial to all concerned, in terms of a better understanding of child welfare issues and the importance of believing children who disclose abuse.

Overall, the results were encouraging in terms of child welfare awareness amongst Barnsley Cricket Club members.

Well done everybody and thanks for participating in an exercise which could be beneficial to the club when applying for grants and funding.

All correct entries were entered into a draw and the winning questionnaire drawn out by Ken Green (Chairman) was Ben O'Brien. He wins 2 tickets to a pro 40 game.

*Kath Grigg
Child Welfare Officer.*

YORKSHIRE SECONDS AT SHAW LANE - FULL ROUND UP

SECOND XI TROPHY

Left-arm spinner Gurman Randhawa, produced Yorkshire's best Second Eleven Trophy bowling of the season when they despatched Glamorgan by 64 runs at Shaw Lane, Barnsley.

Yorkshire by no means had things all their own way - that they were able to set a challenging target of 264 was down to a captain's innings of 86 by Craig White, and 81 from Chris Taylor.

Glamorgan, making one of their longest trips away from home, pitched up at the ever-welcoming Shaw Lane for their first





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ever Trophy fixture against Yorkshire. It was sunny, warm and one of the better days for cricket.

They lost the toss and Yorkshire batted. Two wickets were taken before the core of Yorkshire's batting - a partnership of 137 between Taylor and White - laid the foundation for victory, White's 86 coming at a run a ball.

White lost his wicket in the 38th over. Taylor went singled-mindedly on, but no other partnership added substantially to the total. Simon Guy's cameo of a couple of dozen runs included a brace of sixes and a four. Yorkshire lost nine wickets in their 50 overs for 264. Would it be enough?

No...or so it appeared after 10 overs. Australian One-day International Mark Cosgrove and William Bragg took Yorkshire's opening attack for 71 runs - the only success for the home side coming when Cosgrove was caught behind off Oliver Hannon-Dalby. Bragg kept his end going - but a change of bowling saw a hat-trick for the "caught Joe Root bowled Michael Chadwick" combination as they captured the wickets of Michael Gould - son of umpire Ian - Tom Maynard - son of Glamorgan stalwart Matthew - and Oliver James. Chadwick's three wickets cost 32 runs.

A brief shower interrupted the innings. Yorkshire exile Alex Wharf tried to wrest the initiative back, but before he could make too merry he was bowled - the first victim of Randhawa at the Holgate end. Randhawa then bowled the long-standing Bragg, which saw Aneurin Norman come to the wicket.

All was quiet for five overs, 20 runs coming mostly in singles. Norman hit Joe Root for six, and followed it three overs later with a couple more in Randhawa's ninth over. The bowler had the last laugh: Norman went for it again - but all he did was sky the ball to White at extra-cover.

James Lee bowled John Glover next ball - the beginning of a wicket maiden.

Randhawa stepped up to complete his 10-over spell...but not quite: his third ball saw Alex Jones caught in the deep by Ballance, and off his fourth Rhodri Evans was caught behind. Randhawa's 5-37 is the best Trophy analysis for Yorkshire this season. Long may his success continue. Another Yorkshire victory in the bag - the margin of 64 was more than was anticipated after Glamorgan's early run rush.

Yorkshire 2nd XI Innings (maximum 50 overs): GS Ballance c Ashling b Glover 9, JE Root b Norman 21, CR Taylor lbw b Wharf 81, C White (captain) c Maynard b Norman 86; LJ Hodgson lbw b Ashling 7, SM Guy (wicket-keeper) c Gould b Wharf 24, JE Lee b Ashling 1, BW Sanderson c and b Wharf 2, G Randhawa c Evans b Norman 8, MS Chadwick not out 3, OJ Hannon-Dalby not out 1. Extras (b 4, lb 3, w 10, nb 4) 21

Total (9 wkts, 50 overs) **264**

FoW: 1-22 (Ballance), 2-58 (Root), 3-195 (White), 4-214 (Hodgson), 5-237 (Taylor), 6-238 (Lee), 7-247 (Sanderson), 8-254 (Guy), 9-262 (Randhawa)

Bowling: Glover 8-0-29-1, Jones 9-1-61-0, Norman 10-0-43-3, Ashling 9-0-45-2, Evans 3-0-15-0, Wharf 7-0-34-3, James 3-0-20-0, Cosgrove 1-0-10-0

Glamorgan 2nd XI Innings: MJ Cosgrove c Guy b Hannon-Dalby 22, WD Bragg (wicket-keeper) b Randhawa 77, MJT Gould c Root b Chadwick 6, TL Maynard c Root b Chadwick 7, OR James c Root b Chadwick 4, AG Wharf (captain) b Randhawa 17, RF Evans c Guy b Randhawa 17, AJ Norman c White b Randhawa 32, JC Glover b Lee 0, AJ Jones c Ballance b Randhawa 0, CP Ashling not out 0. Extras (b 3, lb 1, w 10, nb 4) 18

Total (42.4 overs) **200**

FoW: 1-60 (Cosgrove), 2-86 (Gould), 3-100 (Maynard), 4-113 (James), 5-142 (Wharf),





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6-152 (Bragg), 7-199 (Norman), 8-199 (Glover), 9-200 (Jones), 10-200 (Evans)
Bowling: Lee 8-1-46-1, Hannon-Dalby 7-0-53-1, Chadwick 8-1-32-3, Sanderson 6-1-7-0, Randhawa 9.4-0-37-5, Root 4-0-21-0
Result: Yorkshire won by 64 runs

SECOND XI COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Day 1: The rain prevented any play. On St Swithin's Day of all days. Heavy showers rendered the ground unfit for even the pre-match kick-about.

Day 2: Joe Root, top-scored with 80, as Yorkshire ended Day 2 of their Second Eleven Championship match against Glamorgan on 310-7 after rain wiped out Day 1.

Conditions had improved considerably overnight in Barnsley, and play started at Shaw Lane on time.

Craig White tossed the coin...Glamorgan got it wrong...but although Yorkshire decided to bat Root and Gary Ballance had to face early seam movement.

Ballance had a lapse at 14, and tickled a catch behind in the eighth over. Charlie Roebuck joined Root, and they weathered the attack. Slowly but surely the runs came as the partnership continued up to and beyond the lunch interval.

The pair had added 154 when Root was caught behind for 80, with 10 fours and a six. More often than not, when one falls his partner follows - and Roebuck was caught nine balls later for 72, including seven fours and a six.

Gerard Brophy and Lee Hodgson forged an 80-run partnership for the fourth wicket - earning the second and third batting-bonus points as the score passed 250. Brophy was caught in the 78th over, and three more wickets followed in the next seven overs as 21 runs were added.

Rain was in the offing as Ben Sanderson joined James Lee for seven overs, earning the fourth and final batting point. The spots

of rain intensified, and the umpires decided that play could not continue. The weather closed in, and the last 14 overs were lost.

Day 3: Rain which brought an early end to the Thursday evening session continued almost without a break into Friday morning - washing out any further play in Yorkshire's Second Eleven match against Glamorgan at Barnsley.

Yorkshire went home with eight points from the drawn fixture - from which two full days were lost - and Glamorgan seven.

It was the 13th complete day lost by Yorkshire Seconds this season.

Yorkshire 2nd XI 1st Innings: JE Root c Bragg b Ashling 80 (10 fours and 1 six), GS Ballance c Bragg b Reed 10 (1 four), CG Roebuck c Norman b James 72 (7 fours and 1 six), GL Brophy c Jones b Wharf 59 (7 fours and 1 six), LJ Hodgson b Glover 41 (4 fours), SM Guy (wicket-keeper) c Bragg b Wharf 7 (1 six), G Randhawa lbw b James 0, JE Lee not out 24 (4 fours), BW Sanderson not out 8 (1 four). Extras (b 2, lb 5, w 2) 9

Total (7 wkts, 90 overs) 310

Twelfth man: C White (Captain)

FoW: 1-14 (Ballance), 2-168 (Root), 3-176 (Roebuck), 4-256 (Brophy), 5-269 (Guy), 6-270 (Randhawa), 7-277 (Hodgson)

Bowling: Glover 15-2-47-1, Reed 19-5-73-1, Jones 13-3-41-0, Norman 10-4-13-0, Ashling 10-0-52-1, Wharf 6-2-16-2, James 15-5-45-2, Evans 2-0-16-0

Bairstow, Ballance, Hannon-Dalby, Lee and Rafiq rewarded

Anthony McGrath took time out ahead of the Durham LV County Championship match to reward five of Yorkshire's promising youngsters with their 2nd XI caps.

Jonathan Bairstow, Gary Ballance, Barnsley's **Oliver Hannon-Dalby** and James Lee received their caps from their





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county captain. The only absentee was Barnsley hero **Azeem Rafiq** who was away with England Under-19s. Many congratulations and good luck for the future to all of them.

Yorkshire seconds source - YCCC website

Meanwhile the following letter was spotted in.....



That's cricket

By NORMAN J HAZELL, Sandal, Wakefield.

What a delight it was to visit Shaw Lane last Thursday to see an excellent day's cricket (Yorkshire 2nd v Glamorgan 2nd). Surely with the facilities I saw there the ground will become a regular on the minor counties circuit.

However, what made the biggest impression on me was the warmth of the welcome given to visitors by Chairman, Ken Green, Vice-Chairman Trelford Mills and Secretary Jack Holden.

They were so kind on showing me -and everyone else -around, I had a great lunch in the club and was particularly impressed with the nets, better than any I have seen as I travel around the County.

The last time I was on the ground was in the Summer of 1949 when I played for Wakefield Boys; I'm sure it won't be another 60 years before I return, indeed if I wasn't out with a white coat (and stick) every Saturday afternoon, I would come and spend time there.

FROM YORKSHIRE MEN TO YORKSHIRE WOMEN

Yorkshire Women have announced that they are to play two games at Shaw Lane in

the next few weeks.

On Sunday 16 August Yorkshire Women take on Warwickshire Women, then on Sunday 6 September the battle of the Roses commence with Yorkshire Women taking on Lancashire Women.

Both games will be part of this season's Liverpool Victoria County Championship.



Yorkshire women compete in Division Two, and currently top the table after 3 wins out of 3 against Warwickshire, Cheshire & Middlesex.

Both matches at Shaw Lane start at 11am, and consist of 50 overs per side, with fielding circles and power plays in force. Hopefully the Yorkshire side will contain Barnsley's Katherine Brunt, who hit 86* off 75 balls against Middlesex women at Ickenham in May.

Women's cricket in England is beginning to take off following the success of the World Cup, International Twenty20, and of course retaining the Ashes earlier this summer, so come up to Shaw Lane and be part of the excitement that is women's cricket.

SPORT ENGLAND FUNDS CRICKET

The England and Wales Cricket Board recently agreed a four-year whole sport funding plan with Sport England for the development of grassroots cricket. The grant award of £37.8million is for the period 2009 to 2013 and covers both capital and revenue expenditure plans. It





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will be invested in projects that grow participation; sustain involvement; increase the satisfaction levels of participants; and creates pathways for excellence from the playground to Test Arena.

The plan will also see the ECB continue its focus on improving opportunities for women, girls and disabled players to participate in cricket.

David Collier, chief executive of the ECB, said: "This agreement is fantastic news for cricket and will enable us to continue our work to increase opportunities for people to take part in our sport.

"The ECB has been awarded the largest grant of any national governing body, which demonstrates the confidence that Sport England has in our ability to deliver grassroots programmes.

"I would like to thank everyone in cricket, from the thousands who volunteer at local clubs through to our development team, who have helped to help us to build partnerships in community cricket.

"Sport England will also be bringing forward further lottery funding opportunities based on potential priority policy themes such as increasing participation by women and girls, improving school-club links and building sustainable community sports clubs.



The Sport England funding will boost the ECB's Chance to shine initiative

"Cricket has a major contribution to make

in this area and we will be working with Sport England to secure further funding for projects that not only increase participation in cricket but address wider policy objectives such as improving health and building social inclusion.

"I can also announce that the ECB has determined that a significant portion of the Whole Sport Plan funding will be directed toward the Cricket Foundation's Chance to shine initiative.

"This award, alongside agreement we have reached with Minister for Sport Gerry Sutcliffe about future funding arrangements, mean that Chance to shine's £20m four-year investment programme funded jointly by the private and public sector can move ahead."

Wasim Khan, newly appointed chief executive of the Cricket Foundation, said: "We're delighted that the Government continues to acknowledge the positive effect Chance to shine is having on communities nationwide.

"This year over 300,000 young people at primary and secondary schools across the country will benefit from our programme, which uses cricket to teach children key life skills."

Sport England's chief executive Jennie Price said: "Sport England has worked hard to ensure that our half a billion pound investment in grassroots sport delivers value for money, and most importantly, results.

"We believe that our partnership approach will build the firm foundations of a world-leading community sport system."

Source ECB website

GRIFFIN GREEN PASTURES

When Yorkshire seconds played Glamorgan seconds recently, I met up with an old friend, one of the umpires, Stuart Jakeman from Holmfirth.

Together we started reminiscing about cricket in the 60's/70's and in particular with





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regard to his father the well known character and cricketer Freddie Jakeman.

After Fred left Yorkshire he went to play for Northamptonshire CCC under the captaincy of the legendry, complete with cravat, FR Brown.

My great uncle was a vice president at Northants who played at a similar ground to Bramall Lane, and confirmed this story. Fred was at this particular time was having a lean spell, so this particular day the skipper said to Jakeman 'number 7 today' instead of his usual number 4. There was a minor collapse before Fred went to the wicket. He had a very good innings and scored a century.

When he was out, he mounted the steps into the pavillion, threw his bat in the corner and announced in a loud Yorkshire voice ' There you are Brownie, that's how to get some f****g runs'. Without turning his head, captain Brown just said 'Jakeman after this game go back to Yorkshire for a fortnight without pay'.

There were two other memories of Freddie both concerning the open knockout competition in the 1960s which I used to organise.

The first one was when 'Oxspring Travellers', for whom Freddie played, needed 6 runs to draw off the last ball of the innings.

Fred duly obliged, hit a six and all the competition had to be reorganised.

Finally after another knockout game, the players returned to the Travellers pub at Oxspring, where the Landlord, Arnold Fielding, also a local butcher, put a large bowl of tripe on the bar and Fred attempted to eat the lot!

Happy days!

Ken Green. Barnsley CC Chairman.



Holidays First are proud to be associated with Barnsley Cricket Club. It was a privilege to celebrate the recent opening of the new pavilion alongside Geoffrey Boycott and Dickie Bird.

Holidays First is an exciting new holiday company launched back in April by Claire Willoughby, the former Head of Direct for The Co-operative Travel and Apollo Travel. With its headquarters at Dodworth Business Park in Barnsley, Holidays First is in the unique position of being able to offer you a truly personal experience with the full backing of a major travel group.

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MENORCA TOUR 2009.

Barnsley CC will be touring again to Menorca in October to defend our title in the

MENORCA TWENTY20 Competition

Captain Andrew Ivill says "I have now got 12 definite confirmations (and 6 or 7 possible), but really need to be looking for a party of 20+ in total. (players or non players)

interested ? Then please contact me.

Final numbers are now required by the organisers, so if you want a week of Cricket, Sun, Drink and mainly fun, then get in touch with Andrew now.

(players, supporters and partners are most

welcome)



The price is likely to be in the region of **£300.**
(Flight prices and exchange rate depending).

This will cover:
Flight, Accommodation, Match Fees, Presentation Night, Tour Shirt, Cap.





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THE BARNSELY HONDA IN ASSOCIATION WITH BARNSELY BUILDING SOCIETY TWENTY20

at Shaw Lane (6pm)

FINAL (7 August)
Cawthorne v
Hoylandswaine or Rockingham



BARNSELY CC SQUAD NUMBERS 2009

1 Martin Ivill 2 Gary Nuttall 3 David Clayton
4 Mark Beardshall 5 Alex Morris 6 Jason Booth 7 Paul Benson 8 John Smith 9 Richard Wilkinson 10 Richard Ledger 11 Andrew Wakefield 12 Darren Gough 13 Gareth Fenton 14 Oliver Hannon-Dalby 15 Andy Bourke 16 Andrew Ivill 17 Joe Ellis 18 Simon Potter 19 Adrian Gough 20 Billy Golden 21 Jamie Pickering 22 David Adams 23 Bobby Londt 25 Steve Nuttall 27 Gareth Wakefield 30 Azeem Rafiq 31 Matthew Clayton 32 Darren Hayes 33 Dave Addy 36 Chris Harrison 38 Jamie Green 39 42 Matt Wilson 43 Dan Wood 44 Daniel Rafiq 45 Greig Batty 46 Stevie Walters 47 Tom Whittaker 50 Simon Widdup 54 Pete Hadfield 56 Sagar 57 Andy Beck 58 Luke Bullingham 60 Waqas 62 Tom Hemingway 63 Luke Goddard 64 Tom Shaw 65 Greg Cranston 66 Kieron Dinage 67 Joe Fletcher

68 Andy Barnes 70 Ben Hampshire 71 Macey 74 Luke Wright 77 Jack Price 78 Saad 91 Jenson Berry 92 Ross Hawley 93 Jaye Milner 94 Sam Shaw 95 Thomas Goldsby-West 97 Drew Hawley 99 Hanko Swart

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