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Club Captain's Address



My Lord, Ladies and Gentlemen of WG,

A warm welcome to the 2009 season, or at least to the last half of it, as I expect you will be reading this around about August when our fixture card is traditionally published. Speaking of traditions, I see we're already keeping the old ones going this season (and it's only April as I write); two players out with broken bones, the season starting without a fixture list, utter confusion as to the start time of games, no one having any recollection from the AGM of how much to charge for tea..... I could go on. Great stuff.

A new tradition seems to have emerged as well; pre season pitchwork day without the Groundsman. Now that's a first. Speaking of the Groundsman, this seems a good opportunity to pay a massive vote of thanks to all the backroom club members without whom we wouldn't have a game of cricket. David for the magnificent pitch, Digger for the fixtures, Simon for the teams, Phil Moorey for the fact we're not quite bankrupt and Wobbler for his ruthlessly efficient tour organisation. So when the captain asks you to spend a few minutes after the game helping out instead of sneaking straight off to the pub, just think of the inner glow it'll give you knowing you've become part of this magnificent group of heroes.

As soon as the bones have mended, those of us who don't pick up more injuries can look forward to a season in the dizzy heights of division 7 of the ESCL, the best attended Tour we have ever had (let's hope the weather is as good as the last 2 years) and a full fixture list of friendlies.

Have a great season and keep the WG traditions going!

Steve N.

Young Players

- No young player in the Under 15 age group or younger shall be allowed to field closer than 8 yards (7.3 metres) from the middle stump, except behind the wicket on the off side, until the batsman has played at the ball.
- For players in the Under 13 age group and below the distance is 11 yards (10 metres).
- These minimum distances apply even if the player is wearing a helmet.
- Should a young player in these age groups come within the restricted distance the umpire must stop the game immediately and instruct the fielder to move back.
- In addition any young player in the Under 16 to Under 18 age groups, who has not reached the age of 18, must wear a helmet and, for boys, an abdominal protector (box) when fielding within 6 yards (5.5 metres) of the bat, except behind the wicket on the off side. Players should wear appropriate protective equipment whenever they are fielding in a position where they feel at risk.

These fielding regulations are applicable to all cricket in England and Wales. Age groups are based on the age of the player at midnight on 31 August in the year preceding the current season.

The ECB has also extended the existing regulations covering the minimum fielding distances for young players in all matches where a hard ball is used.

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The Chairman demonstrates the perfect forward defensive for the benefit of our younger members...



...unfortunately the ball appears to be about to hit him in the chest!

The Essential Guide to **WGGCC**

Where?

The Gudges, Isfield, halfway between Lewes and Uckfield, East Sussex.
400m from the Laughing Fish public house towards Piltdown.

When?

Every Saturday, Sunday and Bank Holiday Mondays from mid April to late September.

East Sussex League Division 7 matches from 9th May, 1.30pm starts.

Friendlies starting at 2.30pm. (Progressively earlier as the cold clammy grip of autumn draws across the curtain of night to block out the sweet light of summer).

Nets.

On ad hoc basis mid week from about 6pm.

Pitch Work.

Contact our hard working Groundsman David Williams anytime on 01825 750601 or 07790 561989 to lend a hand. The more effort we put in, the better the cricket!

Match Days.

Home matches:- please try to get there **at least an hour** before start of play to get things ready. It doesn't all get done by magic!

After the match please make every effort to do your share of cleaning up and putting the equipment to bed. Yes, the pub always beckons but the beer will taste better with a clear conscience.

Away games:- usually meet in Lewes, but arrangements can vary so get in contact! Save the planet by sharing a car!

Annual Subscriptions.

£35 (£20 concessions) payable at the start of the season.

Match Fees.

Please ensure you pay the Captain on the day.

£5 (£3 concessions)

Teas £40

Main Points....

- Matches are of 93 overs duration
- Side batting first has maximum of 50 overs
- Tea shall be taken between innings unless at least 40 minutes remain before when the tea would normally be taken.
- Batting side will receive 1 point at 120, then for every 10 runs up to 210 (max 10)
- Bowling side will receive 1 point for each wicket taken
- Side batting first and winning will receive 30 points
- Side batting second and winning will receive 20 points
- Note that winning side doesn't receive batting bonus points
- Each side shall provide a new ball
- Only one overseas player allowed per game
- No player may play for more than one club in competitive matches
- When there are delays and interruptions due to weather it gets more complicated, so please refer to ESCL regulations on the website.
- If play cannot start before 4.50pm then a limited overs match will be played.
- The results have to be sent in no later than Sunday to the ESCL,

Fixtures 2009

April	4	Sat.	<i>Pitchwork</i>		11.00
	5	Sun.	NO GAME		
	11	Sat.	Worthing Chippendale	Away	2.00
	12	Sun.	NO GAME		
B/Hol	13	Mon	Littlehampton & Clapham	Home	2.00
	18	Sat.	Broadwater	Away	2.00
	19	Sun.	Plumpton	Home	2.00
	25	Sat.	Jon Ashford's Team	Home	2.00
	26	Sun.	Newick	Away	2.00
May	2	Sat.	St Peters	Home	2.00
	3	Sun.	East Brighton	Home	2.00
B/Hol	4	Mon	Harry Baldwins	Home	2.30
	9	Sat.	Denton (L)	Home	1.30
	10	Sun.	Baccallanians	Home	2.30
	16	Sat	Battle 2nd(L)	Away	1.30
	17	Sun.	Greys	Home	2.30
	18	Mon	Bembridge 20/20	Away	6.00
	19	Tues	Island Bakeries	Away	2.00
	20	Wed	Ryde	Away	2.00
	21	Thur	Plessey	Away	2.30
	23	Sat	Waldron(L)	Home	1.30
	24	Sun	No Game		
B/Hol	25	Mon	Speldhurst	Home	2.30
	30	Sat.	H'tings & St L'nards Priory(L)	Away	1.30
	31	Sun.	Findon	Away	2.30
June	6	Sat.	Bulverhythe(L)	Home	1.30
	7	Sun.	Newick	Home	2.30
	13	Sat.	Iden 2nd (L)	Away	1.30
	14	Sun.	Moulseccomb	Home	2.30
	17	WEDS	<i>Streat</i>	Away	2.00
	20	Sat	Preston Village(L)	Away	1.30
	21	Sun	Alfriston	Away	2.30
June	27	Sat	Bexhill 3rd(L)	Home	1.30
	28	Sun	Hove Unicorns	Home	2.30

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July	2	Thurs	<i>Lewes Taxes</i>	Home	5.45
	4	Sat	Alfriston(L)	Away	1.30
	5	Sun	Barcombe	Away	2.30
	11	Sat	Battle 2nd(L)	Home	1.30
	12	Sun	Bodle Street	Away	2.30
	15	Weds	Bourne End	Home	5.45
	18	Sat	Denton(L)	Away	1.30
	19	Sun	National Theatre	Home	2.30
	22	Weds	Greys	Home	2.30
	25	Sat	Waldron(L)	Away	1.30
	26	Sun	Sedlescombe	Away	2.30
Aug	1	Sat	H'tings & St L'nards Priory(L)	Home	1.30
	2	Sun	Reigate Priory	Home	2.30
	5	Weds	Alfriston 6-a-side	Away	10.00
	8	Sat	Bulverhythe(L)	Away	1.30
	9	Sun	Eastbourne Martletts	Home	2.30
	15	Sat	Iden 2nd(L)	Home	1.30
	16	Sun	Ashdown Forest	Home	2.30
	22	Sat	Preston Village(L)	Home	1.30
	23	Sun	St Peters	Away	2.30
<i>B/Hol</i>	24	Mon	Lindfield/Newchapel	Away	2.30
	29	Sat	Bexhill 3rd(L)	Away	1.30
	30	Sun	Crowhurst	Home	2.00
Sept	5	Sat	Alfriston(L)	Home	1.30
	6	Sun	Seaford Seagulls	Home	1.30
	12	Sat	Worthing Chippendales	Home	1.30
	13	Sun	St Lukes (Sidley)	Home	1.30
	19	Sat	Streat & Westmeston	Home	1.00
	20	Sun	Wadhurst	Home	1.00
	26	Sat	Southbourne	Home	12.30
	27	Sun	Speldhurst	Away	12.30
Oct	2	Sat	<i>Pitchwork</i>		<i>11.00</i>

 Denotes League fixture

Isle of Wight Tour 2008



The second Spring tour to the Isle of Wight was again a wonderful success. The sun shone once more and the superb organisation of Colin Watts meant we arrived on time using

planes, boats and automobiles to enjoy a communal lunch and poke fun at each other. Unfortunately Martin Fellows and Dave Williams were absent so it was a touch dull without the dynamic duo to pep up proceedings.

Bembridge entertained us the first evening, hosting a 20/20 match that was a little one-sided due to the ferocious bowling of Stef Halsey, supplemented by the manic opening batting of Mick Hawksworth.

Island Bakeries won a pleasant match in the sunshine the next day by 6 wickets and provided a barbeque afterwards. Perhaps the entertainment was just too good as Colin, being under the influence somewhat, took a phone call from our hosts for the following day, Ryde. Asked by the 'match manager' for an assessment of our strength, Colin unwisely mentioned we had an overseas player. Unfortunately of course this wasn't an Aussie all-rounder or Pakistani fast bowler but dear old Krizo, just popped across from Barcelona for the week. Needless to say they supplemented their team with various foreign talent that easily saw us off.

The final match was a win against Plessey which saw the now traditional helmet kicking incident. Sam Fitzgerald scored his first 50 for the club and Tim Knight, playing for the opposition, bowled him out and also took a superb catch to dismiss a bemused Emile Chasseaud.

And talking of traditions, it was Jim Healey's turn to tour with a broken bone which didn't stop him umpiring every ball of every match despite losing his very expensive sunglasses and also his favourite counting stone.

Batting 2008



Qualifying 10+ Innings

	M	I	NO	RUNS	AVE	50's	100's	H.S.
HUW WILLIAMS	19	18	6	894	74.5	6	2	119*
EMILE CHASSEAUD	24	24	6	749	41.6	6	0	78*
JAMES FELLOWS	38	37	3	1258	37	10	1	103*
JOE GREEN-POWELL	23	16	6	319	31.9	1	0	74*
COLIN WATTS	33	28	8	590	29.5	4	0	73
JIM HEALEY	17	16	2	358	25.5	1	0	73
ROBIN GOODYEAR	36	33	7	578	22.2	1	0	52
LEE ATKINSON	14	10	4	103	17.1	0	0	43
RICHARD TASKER	10	10	0	171	17.1	0	0	42
NEIL BUCKLE	18	12	2	152	15.2	1	0	64
TIM FITZGERALD	27	16	3	180	13.8	1	0	59*
SIMON BAILEY	23	16	3	177	13.6	0	0	46
STEVE NEWHAM	28	26	1	283	11.3	0	0	43
JAMIE HALL	27	13	4	28	3.1	0	0	7
MARTIN FELLOWS	28	11	7	8	2	0	0	3

Also batted

	M	I	NO	RUNS	AVE	50's	100's	H.S.
DEAN COOPER	1	1	1	19	inf	0	0	19*
TOBY CHASSEAUD	3	2	0	76	38	1	0	67
SAM FITZGERALD	8	7	3	143	35.7	1	0	52
STEPHAN HALSEY	14	9	4	137	27.4	1	0	58
PAUL BRINKHURST	11	8	2	143	23.8	1	0	64*
ALAN COOPER	1	1	0	22	22	0	0	22
CALLUM SMITH	2	2	1	21	21	0	0	21
STEVE WELFARE	3	2	0	24	12	0	0	24
TIM KNIGHT	19	9	0	107	11.8	0	0	35
MARK NEWHAM	3	2	1	10	10	0	0	6*
CHRIS SAUNDERS	13	8	4	30	7.5	0	0	11*
MICK HAWKSWORTH	12	7	0	37	5.2	0	0	13
BOB SMITH	2	1	0	3	3	0	0	3
MARK BARRETT	5	5	1	10	2.5	0	0	2*
KRIZO	5	3	0	1	0.3	0	0	1
JOHN COOPER	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
G WELFARE	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bowling 2008



Qualifying 50+ overs

	O	M	R	WKTS	AVE	ECON	STRIKE	5 FOR	BEST
STEFAN HALSEY	111.33	20	307	28	10.9	2.7	23.8	3	7 FOR 41
JAMES FELLOWS	224.33	61	602	54	11.1	2.6	24.9	3	9 FOR 23
STEVE NEWHAM	20.82	0	87	6	14.5	4.1	20.8	0	3 FOR 13
NEIL BUCKLE	94.66	21	270	18	15	2.8	31.5	0	3 FOR 26
PAUL BRINKHURST	52	15	151	10	15.1	2.9	31.2	1	5 FOR 6
MARTIN FELLOWS	161.5	27	443	27	16.4	2.74	35.8	0	4 FOR 23
HUW WILLIAMS	107.32	22	370	22	16.8	3.4	29.2	0	4 FOR 12
CHRIS SAUNDERS	110.83	24	383	22	17.4	3.4	30.2	1	5 FOR 18?
LEE ATKINSON	87.33	14	269	15	17.9	3.0	34.9	0	4 FOR 15
TIM FITZGERALD	137.83	18	560	26	21.5	4.0	31.8	1	5 FOR 46
ROBIN GOODYEAR	122.5	17	520	22	23.6	4.2	33.4	0	4 FOR 10
MICK HAWKSWORTH	56.5	9	248	10	24.8	4.3	33.9	0	3 FOR 29
JAMIE HALL	136.5	24	479	17	28.1	3.5	48.1	0	3 FOR 19

Also bowled

	O	M	R	WKTS	AVE	ECON	STRIKE	5 FOR	BEST
DEAN COOPER	3	2	3	3	1	1	6	0	3 FOR 3
JOE GREEN-POWELL	5.66	1	16	3	5.3	2.8	11.3	0	3 FOR 2
TIM KNIGHT	2.33	1	13	2	6.5	5.5	6.9	0	1 FOR 0
LLOYD HIGGINS	3	0	14	2	7	4.6	9	0	2 FOR 14
EMILE CHASSEAUD	5	0	14	2	7	2.8	15	0	2 FOR 14
G WELFARE	13	3	23	2	11.5	1.7	39	0	2 FOR 19
OLLIE BAILEY	5	0	12	1	12	2.4	30	1	1 FOR 12
STEVE NEWHAM	20.82	0	87	6	14.5	4.1	20.82	0	3 FOR 13
PAUL BRINKHURST	52	15	151	10	15.1	2.9	31.2	1	5 FOR 6
MARK NEWHAM	14	4	31	2	15.5	2.2	42	0	1 FOR 11
CHRIS CURREY	11	1	43	2	21.5	3.9	33	0	2 FOR 12
MARK FARLEY	5	4	24	1	24	4.8	30	0	0
SAM FITZGERALD	35	11	97	4	24.2	2.7	52.5	0	2 FOR 18
TOM FANTOM	19	3	79	3	26.3	4.1	38	0	3 for 31
COLIN WATTS	26.16	2	155	5	31	5.9	31.3	0	3 FOR 22
HARVEY BUCKLE	16	2	63	2	31.5	3.9	48	0	1 FOR 7
TOBY CHASSEAUD	17.87	1	77	2	38.5	4.3	53.61	0	2 FOR 43
CALLUM SMITH	3	0	23	0	Inf	7.6	Inf	0	0 FOR 23
MARK BARRETT	7	0	35	0	Inf	5	Inf	0	0 FOR 23
JIM HEALEY	3	0	10	0	Inf	3.3	Inf	0	0 FOR 10
KRIZO	10	1	71	0	Inf	7.1	Inf	0	0 FOR 32

Fielding 2008

	CATCHES	R.O.	ST
ROBIN GOODYEAR	14	3.5	0
HUW WILLIAMS	14	1	0
JAMES FELLOWS	14	0.5	0
NEIL BUCKLE	10	1.5	0
TIM FITZGERALD	10	0	0
JOE GREEN-POWELL	9	3.5	4
EMILE CHASSEAUD	7	3.5	0
COLIN WATTS	7	0.5	7
STEVE NEWHAM	6	1.5	0
JAMIE HALL	6	0.5	0
SIMON BAILEY	6	0	0
JIM HEALEY	5	0	0
LEE ATKINSON	4	0.5	0
CHRIS SAUNDERS	4	0	0
MARTIN FELLOWS	4	0	0
STEFAN HALSEY	3	0.5	0
PAUL BRINKHURST	3	0.5	0
RICHARD TASKER	2	1	0
MARK BARRETT	2	0	0
MARK NEWHAM	2	0	0
MICK HAWKSWORTH	1	2	0
CALLUM SMITH	1	1	0
STEVE WELFARE	1	0	0
TIM KNIGHT	1	0	0
SAM FITZGERALD	1	0	0
TOBY CHASSEAUD	0	1	0
G WELFARE	0	0.5	0

Appearances 2008

	MATCHES
JAMES FELLOWS	38
ROBIN GOODYEAR	36
COLIN WATTS	33
STEVE NEWHAM	28
MARTIN FELLOWS	28
TIM FITZGERALD	27
JAMIE HALL	27
EMILE CHASSEAUD	24
JOE GREEN-POWELL	23
SIMON BAILEY	23
HUW WILLIAMS	19
TIM KNIGHT	19
NEIL BUCKLE	18
JIM HEALEY	17
STEFAN HALSEY	14
LEE ATKINSON	14
CHRIS SAUNDERS	13
MICK HAWKSWORTH	12
PAUL BRINKHURST	11
RICHARD TASKER	10
SAM FITZGERALD	8
HARVEY BUCKLE	5
MARK BARRETT	5
KRIZO	5
TOM FANTOM	3
TOBY CHASSEAUD	3
STEVE WELFARE	3
MARK NEWHAM	3
CHRIS CURREY	2
CALLUM SMITH	2
BOB SMITH	2
JOHN COOPER	2
G WELFARE	2
OLLIE BAILEY	1
LLOYD HIGGINS	1
DEAN COOPER	1
ALAN COOPER	1

Matches	59	Runs scored*	6635@24
Won	27	Runs against*	5492
Drawn	17	Wickets taken	313@17.5
Lost	4	Wickets lost	279
Cancelled/Abandoned	11	* does not include extras	

WGGCC AWARDS 2008

Batting	Huw Williams	894 runs at 74.5
Bowling	Stef Halsey	28 wkts at 10.9
All Rounder	James Fellows	1258 runs 54 wkts
Fielding	Robin Goodyear	14 catches/3.5 ro
Clubman	David Williams	Pitchwork
Tea of the Year	Paul Brinkhurst	
Rufus Award for Eccentricity	Sam Fitzgerald	Nettle surfing
Most Not Outs	Colin Watts	8
Most Ducks	S.Newham/S.Bailey	4

WGGCC RECORD WICKET PARTNERSHIPS

WICKET	RUNS	PARTNERSHIP OF...	OPPONENTS	DATE
1ST	272*	J.Healey & E.Chasseaud	(h)St Peter's	1 July 2006
2ND	243	T.Chasseaud & C.Buckland	(h)Alfriston	20 June 1999
3RD	170	A.Lusted & R.Lupton	(h)Blackboys	8 Sept 1979
4TH	210	R.Tasker & M.Smith	(a)Coleman's Hatch	28 Aug 1994
5TH	166*	M.Jarvis & S.Newham	(a)Sedlescombe	19 July 1992
6TH	131	M.Newham & C.Watts	(a)Chalvington and Ripe	26 Aug 1995
7TH	91	P.Moorey & R.Tasker	(a)Guestling	10 July 1982
8TH	76*	M.Jarvis & K.Adamczewski	(h)Laughing Fish	27 Aug 1990
9TH	76*	P.Lagan & A.Frost	(a)New Ash Green	25 May 1985
10TH	49*?	R.Goodyear & P.Brinkhurst	(a)Wadhurst	2 Sept 2007

