



**BYFLEET
CRICKET CLUB**

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Byfleet CC Newsletter – March 2016

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The new season is rapidly approaching with the first game v. Battersea Ironsides on 16th April. Much has happened since the AGM, so here is a quick summary:

1. We are delighted to welcome the return of Ty from South Africa as our Overseas player for 2016.
2. The UK Power works have been completed, we have an enlarged car park though we are still in discussion with them about the state of the car park and final clearing up.
3. Planning permission has been granted for the revised extension/refurbishment plans and we are looking to commence the extension works in September.
4. If you have been down the Club you will have noticed that the tree nearest the Clubhouse on the left as you face it has been removed and a rather large stump remains – watch this space to see what becomes of it!
5. We are all delighted that Jennifer Bowman passed her Level 1 umpiring exam – not bad at all for a 15 year-old! We await with interest when she has to give her father out off her brother's bowling whilst her Mum is scoring.

The Club now has 3 qualified umpires and if anyone is interested in achieving the Umpiring qualification, see Malcolm Denham or Bernie Dodwell for advice and guidance.

6. We have almost secured the land at the rear of the Clubhouse....almost.....!
7. Glyn Clough has done a magnificent job of creating a brand new website for the Club which is now live and if you have not seen it I urge you to take a look www.byfleetcricketclub.co.uk
8. On it you will find the revised plans for the extension and much more information.
9. During the winter Sam Crabtree and Jade O'Connor became the proud parents of a baby girl Evelyn – Andy and Kim Bond are expecting their second child any day now & we wish them all well.
10. Shaky will once again be setting up the Fantasy Cricket League which was so successful last year – further details available nearer the start of the season.

11. We have secured some new sponsors:

- a. 1st XI Warm-up Shirt & Ground Sponsor - BTS Building Contractors Ltd
- b. The 3rd XI has secured their own sponsorship of £1,000 this year courtesy of Ged Hill. The money will be used for new training kit.

We are extremely grateful for their support and I trust Members will acknowledge their contributions.

12. As agreed at the AGM, below are details of this year's subscriptions and Saturday league incentives. Please note the Match Incentives apply to all Saturday League XI's and is an initial trial for this coming season.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS 2016,

ADULT PLAYING MEMBERSHIP WITH PLAYING SHIRT	£90.00
STUDENTS/UNEMPLOYED WITH PLAYING SHIRT	£60.00
COLTS MEMBERSHIP	£40.00
COLTS PER SIBLING	£25.00
PER COLT WITH FULL PAYING ADULT MEMBERSHIP	£25.00
NON-PLAYING/SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP	£20.00

MATCH FEES PER GAME

SATURDAY LEAGUE	£10.00
SUNDAY LEAGUE	£10.00**
ALL FRIENDLIES	£10.00**
COLTS IN ADULT MATCHES	£ 6.00
DEVELOPMENT TEAM	£ 6.00
STUDENTS/UNWAGED	£ 6.00
20/20 FIXTURES	£ 3.00
COLTS MATCHES	£ 3.00
COLTS TRAINING	£ 3.00

**IF MEMBERS PLAY BOTH GAMES IN A WEEKEND, SUNDAY GAME ONLY £7.00

MATCH INCENTIVES – SENIOR GAMES ONLY

* TEAM WIN – 1 JUG PER WINNING XI

* ADULT PLAYER – 5 WICKETS OR 50 RUNS – MATCH FEE RETURNED

* ADULT PLAYER – 7 WICKETS OR 100 RUNS – MATCH FEE RETURNED + BOTTLE OF CHAMPAGNE

* UNDER 18 PLAYER – 5 WICKETS OR 50 RUNS – MATCH FEE RETURNED

* UNDER 18 PLAYER – 7 WICKETS OR 100 RUNS – MATCH FEE RETURNED + £5.00 VOUCHER

COMMITTEE PLAYER OF MONTH AWARD – SENIOR GAMES ONLY

* ADULT PLAYER - BOTTLE OF CHAMPAGNE

* JUNIOR PLAYER (UNDER 18) - £10.00 VOUCHER

Dates for the Diary

Saturday 2nd/Sunday 3rd April - NatWest Cricket Force. A list of tasks is being prepared but the main focus will be on building the umpires room & scoreboard under the guidance of Gary Batten. All help will be very much appreciated to get the Club in a decent state for the start of the season.

Sunday 10th April - Last Indoor Net

Tuesday 12th April - Adults Registration & Start of Outdoor Nets

Wednesday 13th April - Colts Registration Evening

Saturday 16th April – first game at home v. Battersea Ironsides

Sunday 17th April - Game Away to Old Woking

Friday 6th May - Golf Day at Hoebridge – more information from Sam Crabtree or Andy Savage.

Saturday 17th September - The Club is holding a formal 140 year Anniversary dinner in a marquee on the ground. Those of you who were around for the 130th will remember how successful it was. Caroline Rannie, ably assisted by Rita Buzaglo, is organising and we will be inviting former members to attend. Further details will be circulated in due course.

Byfleet CC Committee, March 2016