

Cryptics Cricket Club

**2018 AGM & ANNUAL DINNER
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
2018 FIXTURES
REPORT AND RESULTS FOR 2017 SEASON**

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INTRODUCTION

As I started to draft this annual message, cricket was sharing the front pages with President Putin and the former Russian spy poisoning saga. I am referring to “Sandpaper-gate”. Ball tampering in simple terms! “Those cheating Australians...finally exposed!” and “A sad day for cricket”, commentators were saying. Was it a tactic used to beat England in the Ashes? I can’t help thinking that back in those early games on the Hambledon Downs, someone had not been experimenting with a bit of candle drip to add sheen to the otherwise dull leather ball to bring about some slight hooping on delivery. I am sure that there might even have been a snide remark muttered to the batsman as he took guard, amongst the “Hurrahs”! I cannot believe for a second that it was only Smith, Warner and Bancroft involved. It is incredible that not one bowler was consulted about which side to rough up, for example. Or maybe the fact that South Africa got to 370 odd, and a commanding lead, was the evidence that it was a plot hatched by the top order batsmen only! Fortunately, no Government of cricket playing nations around the world chose to expel Australian Embassy staff, otherwise this incident might really have been blown out of proportion. On an upside, the scandal did gloss over the humiliation of the England (men’s) team at the hands of the Kiwis (phew!). I just hope that no Level 2 offences are committed by any Cryptic in our matches this season! Sun cream is for faces and arms only! Many of our league-playing members will have had to sign up to a “Code of Conduct”, and in line with the “Spirit of Cricket” and our “Safeguarding” (child protection) obligations, one will be drafted and circulated for our purposes.

2018 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & DINNER

And so, we approach the start the 2018 season. Some might refer to the AGM and the Dinner as the “Season Opener”. The Club returned to Oxford, after last year’s venture into London. The University Officers’ Training Corps was again the venue for proceedings. This was to be the last formal function that was presided over by Mark Williams, as he had given notice that he wished to step down as President. Having come out of retirement to resume a full teaching schedule at Eton College, along with his other responsibilities, he did not feel that he could give the Club the required commitment. Nick Priestnall was the Committee’s recommendation to succeed, and he was duly elected. Further messages of support to his ascension to the post were received by those unable to attend as well. The other Club Officers remained unchanged. The bar then beckoned for pre-Dinner beverages!

The assembled company had an excellent evening with retiring President Mark Williams as Master of Ceremonies. For Grace, Nick Priestnall was credited with being very poetic but readily admitted the words were written by C B Fry! A superb four-course meal was prepared by the caterers, led by the wonderfully named David Cook! He and his team were duly thanked by all those eating.

Mark Williams took the opportunity to say how much he had enjoyed his spell as President and that he would continue to support the Club in every way possible. He acknowledged with gratitude that the AGM had unanimously agreed to make him

a Vice President of the Club. He provided a full introduction to the Guest Speaker, Nick Stewart, highlighting his prowess as an opening bowler.

Nick entertained us well with a mixture of political and cricketing stories and a fantastic repertoire of impersonations. If the day job ever goes wrong he could make another career as part of the cast of Dead Ringers! Whether it was Churchill or Stafford Cripps, John Arlott or Blowers, it was brilliant. He concluded by wishing the Club well and highlighting the importance of young players coming through, before proposing the Toast to the Club.

Distinguished Vice President Dougie Dalrymple replied in his wonderful inimitable style. He was able to pick out elements of Nick's career, with which he was personally familiar, entertaining everyone with his story of how Nick removed West Indian opener Conrad Hunte in Nairobi. Not only did Dougie deliver with style, he was (*as always*) impeccably researched and drew attention to each of the Club's guests, before asking members to rise and drink their health.

It was left to incoming President, Nick Priestnall, to bring the formal part of the evening to a close. He thanked Nick Stewart for his words, Ed Montague for his tremendous work for the Club as HGS and Mark Williams for his three-year Presidential stint and presented each of them with an engraved tankard. Nick spoke briefly of his "2020 Vision" (*if only he had this whilst wicket-keeping*) and his aim to guide the Club towards the 2020s with optimism and the right people in place to ensure the Club's success and the best use of technology to make their jobs as effective and efficient as possible. He concluded with an anecdote, which was going well until a certain V-P anticipated the punchline!

Guests retired to the bar, with the last ones having to be surgically removed just before midnight.

All in all an excellent evening, greatly enjoyed by all those present. Thank you to Nick Priestnall for his organisation.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I am delighted and privileged to have been elected President of the Club; thank you for doing me this honour. I look forward over the next three years to steering the Club into the next decade, what I am calling my "2020s Vision". I would like on behalf of the Club to express appreciation of the efforts of my predecessor, Mark Williams, and recognise his election as a Vice President of the Club. (This is the only time in more years than we care to remember that I have followed him directly: in so many matches from university days he would bat at 1 or 2 and I would be at 6, 7 or later!) Mark brought enormous experience of wandering cricket, incomparable connections and inside knowledge of MCC to his Presidency; thank you Mark. Thank you also for your commitment to go on contributing to the Club in whatever you can and especially for continuing to organise our umpires.

My 2020s vision has two key elements:

Firstly, to get the Club ready for the 2020s technologically – maximising the opportunities and potential of our website, online database and electronic communications to facilitate the management of the Club generally and its Membership and Matches specifically.

Secondly, to think about succession planning, perhaps an odd statement at the start of my term but one which I believe to be crucial to the long-term future of the Club.

Having said that, we have some immediate topics to address - getting winning teams out this season is number one, of course. In parallel and very important is ensuring the Club meets its obligations in terms of Safeguarding and GDPR, the new data processing and communications environment. Your Committee is working on all these but cannot always achieve all the Club's goals and needs on its own. I and other Officers will be looking to Match Managers to work hard to ensure that they have appropriate teams for their matches by not leaving recruitment until the last minute or relying on luck or others to help. We will also be asking individual members to help with aspects of the Club where they might have specific knowledge or experience. Please do not wait to be asked either to play in a match or to help where you think you can.

I wish the Club and all its players a great 2018 Season.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nick Priestall". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal line.

2018 FIXTURES

No sooner has a summer of cricket finished than your Fixtures Secretary starts contacting our opponents again, to discuss games for the following season. William Buckland has done a sterling job for the Club, and this is his third time he has constructed the calendar that is being circulated with this booklet. It has not been without its trials and tribulations! As you will see, there are a couple of fixtures with important details yet to be confirmed. For the most up to date information on all matches, please refer to the Club website. The Committee will ensure that through the website and the Match Managers that the most current details for all games will be made available to the membership.

It will not have escaped many of the members that our Fixtures List no longer contains any games against schools. In the early years of the Club, games against many of the prominent private schools accounted, at times, for 40 per cent of the fixtures. There were even matches against the old boys' or school masters' team. In more recent times, the pressures of academia and the manifestation of limited overs and league-structured formats to the game are taking up the slots originally saved for wandering clubs. This is the issue that has befallen our last remaining school fixture this year, but we do hope to restore St. Edward's School to the calendar next season, along with the Martyrs (the old boys), who are not running a Cricket Week in 2018. Last year did see a new fixture appear on the card - against the Common Room team at Westminster School, who go by the name "Pink Elephants". No hallucinations when looking at the result however. A convincing 9 wicket victory by the school masters.

Our fixtures against the MCC, Oxford University Authentics and Cambridge University Crusaders possibly present the highest standard of opposition, and the Club aims to put out our strongest team possible for each game. As with all fixtures, can all active (playing) members please do not wait to be asked to be

selected, but contact the Match Manager direct and get your name on that team sheet nice and early? Whilst there is no expectation on players to commit to a set number of games during the summer, it would be great if you could turn out for at least 3 fixtures.

OVERSEAS TOUR

At the last meeting, the Committee discussed the possibility of the Club making another overseas tour. This was in reference to a major tour, as opposed to the pre-season European/Mediterranean trips (Malta being this year's destination – under Captain Hutchinson...or is it “First Officer”?).

In the more recent past, the Club has visited Kenya (1981), Singapore/Malaysia (1995), South Africa (2010 – Centenary Tour), with the last being to Argentina (2012).

The Committee would like to hear from members/players of their suggestions, or anyone with first hand or other knowledge, of places to tour and any contacts with Clubs which host overseas visitors. A Tour Manager or a person with experience, or a willingness to play a key role in the organisation, also needs to be sought.

If you have any ideas, or wish to volunteer your services, we would very much welcome your contact.

SOCIAL MEDIA and WEBSITE

You may well be connected to the Club through the website or by email, but did you also know that you could receive updates and other news items through Twitter or Facebook?

Live match details, photographs, a drone movie of the Malta Tour 2018, impromptu meetings at a Test Match or evening T20 game can all be found or arranged via the Club's social media pages. Please do use them.

Facebook – enter **Cryptics Cricket Club** in the search field

Twitter – enter **Crypticscc** in the search field (@CrypticsCC)

Clearly, you will need an account to be able to post messages. Facebook requires our Administrator(s) to permit you access to join the group, but the Twitter page can be accessed as “view only” without being signed up as a “Twitterer”, or whatever the (non-offensive) colloquial expression is!

Those that have visited **www.crypticscricket.club** recently, will have noticed that there have been some changes. The company that hosts our Club website have completed some upgrades and made enhancements to their platform, to: improve the appearance and access via tablets and other mobile devices; increase the security to the protected area and personal information stored (GDPR compliancy); create more space for images and videos; and, fix bugs and add some administrative functionality (bits that do not affect the general user). Please do take some time to explore it. Behind the scenes, we are also familiarising ourselves with the new interface and inner workings, but in the next weeks and months it will get better and become filled up with match information, results and other news.

As a rough guide, fixtures, past results, news and other general information appears

on the left of the screen, and the key buttons to access the secure pages are located in the top right. If you know your username/password, go straight to “Login”. If you cannot remember your username or password, select “Forgot Password” (for both) and enter your (registered) email address. You will receive a reply by email showing your username, and a link is provided to reset the password. In testing, I have found that the reply is not immediate, so have patience. If you have any problems, email me (edwardmontague@btinternet.com) and I will try get it sorted.

For our members in general, the secure area of the website is for you to ensure that your details are kept up to date so that we can best direct emails and the annual mailings to you. For the players, not only can you amend the all-important contact email/telephone number to allow the Match Managers to communicate with you about games, but you can also plan your summer of cricket with the Club by registering your availability for particular fixtures. This would be most helpful! To do this, select the drop down arrow beside your name in the top right of the screen. The important options are: “Update Profile” and “Match Availability”.

These bits of relatively simple personal administration can assist enormously in making the running of the Club more efficient and effective. If you are unable to access the website or experiencing any problems, please let me know and I will make the necessary adjustments or try to assist otherwise.

Nick Priestnall, who has been integral in managing the Club’s web presence since its launch, is now focussing on his Presidential duties. Sam Sargent has kindly agreed to take over the reins from Nick, and he will continue to develop our “Virtual Pavilion”, and delivery our communications and internet strategy.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND MATCH FEES FOR 2018

The Committee is maintaining the same Annual Subscription and Match Fees for the 2018 season. This means the following:

Annual Subscription £30 (waivered until finish further
education/enter employment)

(If you do not pay by Standing Order, these are now due. Cheques can be given to the Match Manager or sent to David Fawcus, Hon. Treasurer – or contact him to get details for BACS transfer)

Match fees (collected at each game)

All-day games £20 (Students/unemployed £10)

Half-day games £10 (Students/unemployed £5)

This represents excellent value for cricket. The Club is however only sustainable at these levels if the membership can be increased through recruitment.

THE “SECOND CENTURY” CLUB DRAW

The "Second Century" Draw is an important part of our fundraising, and is intended to support young cricketers representing the Club.

There are two cash prizes to be won each month, currently £15 and £10, with two £50 bonus draws during the year, including one at the Annual Dinner. Winners’ names are posted up on the website and receive a cheque in the post. You can join

at any time, from a minimum cost of £24 per year (£2 monthly stake). Contact David Fawcus (david@fawcuscorporate.co.uk) requesting a form be sent to you.

CLUB CLOTHING

The Committee continues to encourage the wearing of at least one item of Club clothing by members during fixtures. Stock is held of certain items of Cryptics attire, including: the traditional style and the elasticated back, hooped caps (both £39.50); and ties (£12.50). An order can be made at any stage during the season for the Stuart Surridge Club shirt with embroidered logo (£30). Club sweaters (100% wool) can be obtained direct from Rochford Sports Knitwear of Bruton, Somerset (Tel. 01748 813240). For general clothing enquiries or to place an order, contact Ed Montague (edwardmontague@btinternet.com).

LET THE CRICKET BEGIN!

In closing, I would like to remind you that spectators are very welcome to all our games. We are very fortunate to play at some lovely grounds, many with space for children to play safely around the boundary. If you are expecting any guests, might I suggest contacting the Match Manager in case other provisions need to be made. Finally, on behalf of the President and the Committee, I wish you all an enjoyable and successful season.

Ed Montague
Hon. General Secretary

SUMMARY OF 2017 SEASON!

Played: 24 Won: 10 Drawn: 3 Lost: 9
Abandoned: 2 Cancelled: 10

Another excellent cricketing calendar was produced for the 2017 season. In total, there were 34 fixtures. This included: three games on the Spain Tour, four on the Northern Tour, three on the Southern Tour, and two on the West Midlands Tour (Gloucester Gypsies not counted as tour match).

The weather played a part in many fixtures, with five games being cancelled without a ball bowled and one abandoned during the game. Several others were rain-affected in some way too.

Regrettably, the Club had to withdraw from three fixtures (Oxford University Authentics, Oxford Downs, and Middleton Stoney) and the Sandy Ross 20/20 competition, as we were unable to raise a team.

After Joe Ireland had brought together another exceptional team to play the Cambridge Crusaders, the University cancelled at late notice, as no college ground could be found to play the fixture on. Cherry Tree CC, on the Northern Tour, also succumbed to other ground issues.

The season got off to a flyer against Sporting Alfas CC on the Spain Tour. Three wins from three games. Other wins were recorded against: Stragglers of Asia, MCC, Earl of Carnarvon XI, Yorkshire Gents, Old Amplefordians, Gloucester Gipsies, and Hampstead.

The losses were at the hands of: St Edward's School, Royal Household, Sandhurst Wanderers, Pink Elephants, Amersham, Hampshire Hogs, Free Foresters, Warwickshire Imps, and Worcester Gents.

The drawn and tied fixtures were against: Gentlemen of Cheshire, St Edward's Martyrs, and Eton Ramblers (tied).

Some excellent cricket was played this season, but as has been noted at recent Committee Meetings/AGMs, we need to recruit quality cricketers to strengthen our line-ups. That said, with the exception of a couple of our lost matches, the Club was competitive and the margins did not truly reflect the game situations, with gambles taken to get results – although clearly not working in our favour!

2017 SEASON - SUMMARY

PRE-SEASON TOUR TO SPAIN

Cryptics v Sporting Alfas XI

Won by 21 runs

Cryptics 252 for 2 (40 overs)
John Hamilton 113*, Jason Doole 69, Simon Halliday 52

Sporting Alfas XI 231 for 6 (40 overs)
J Perman 77, K Lozendoss 57, B Hardy 38, C Cooper 25, M Thompson 3-5, James Harrod 2-35

Cryptics v Sporting Alfas XI

Won by 3 runs

Cryptics 200 for 9 (40 overs)
Jason Doole 60, Simon Halliday 37

Sporting Alfas XI 197 for 7 (40 overs)
K Perman 61, K Wood 36, Wagner 25, Alli 24*, Chris Fox 2-21

Cryptics v Sporting Alfas XI

Won by 3 wickets

Sporting Alfas XI 189 for 9 (40 overs)
B Flesher 76, J Perman 58, M Briggs 21*, Marcus Ward 2-22, Jeremy Firth 2-37

Cryptics 190 for 7 (37 overs)
Paul Armstrong 49, Ben Hardy 36, M Thompson 22, A Hutchinson 22

Cryptics v St Edward's School

Lost by 17 runs

St Edward's School 227 for 9 (61.4 overs)
H Ward 101*, B Charlesworth 27, T Leeson 23, Joe Ireland 4-39

Cryptics 210 all out (52.1 overs)
Tom Gurney 36, Will Gurney 33, Richard Howitt 28, Francois Vainker 28, H Ward 6-65, K Barman 3-39

Cryptics v Royal Household

Lost by 2 wickets

Cryptics 148 for 7 (30 overs)
James Pym 35, Andrew McCulla 34, Warren Miller 30, M Razzaq 2-9

Royal Household 149 for 8 (27.5 overs)
S Ensom 78, R Wilson 27, Paul Massey 3-28, Chris Fox 2-26

Cryptics v Cambridge Crusaders

Cancelled – no available ground

Cryptics v Stragglers of Asia

Won by 18 runs

Cryptics 213 all out
Andrew McCulla 50, Tom Andrews 45, Johnny Gifford 44, Josh Sivia 25, Conway 3-64

Stragglers of Asia 195 all out

Cryptics v Sandhurst Wanderers

Lost by 70 runs

Sandhurst Wanders 207 for 8 dec (39 overs)
Gale 50, Clive 50, Rodd 32, Titcomb 21, Speed 20, Joe Ireland 3-52

Cryptics 137 all out (43 overs)
D Spencer 38, James Pymm 30, Rob Walker 23, Chris Ward 22, Osmond 5-15, Malik 2-44

Cryptics v Pink Elephants

Lost by 9 wickets

Cryptics 151 all out (47.1 overs)
James Harrod 63, Luke McConnell 3-34, Joe Ireland 2-6

Pink Elephants 154 for 1 wicket (34 overs)
J Kershen 74*, J Singh 70*

Cryptics v Hurlingham Club

Abandoned (rain) - Scorecard missing

Cryptics v Oxford University Authentics
Cancelled – Cryptics unable to raise team

Cryptics v Oxford Downs
Cancelled – Cryptics unable to raise team

Cryptics v Amersham
Lost by 73 runs

Amersham 251 for 3 dec
M Leech 75*, M Liyanapathirana 58, W Boccock 51, C Owen 43*, Tom Vorias 2-24
Cryptics 178 all out
Simon Halliday 69*, Matt Baggs 39, Liyanapathirana 3-5, C Tilbury 3-26

Cryptics v Gentlemen of Cheshire
Draw

Cryptics 243 for 6 dec (44 overs)
GJ Gous 93*, Ben Faber 52, Julian Cann 42*, H Killern 3-21
Gentlemen of Cheshire 239 for 7 (43 overs)
H Killern 73*, D Welbourne 64, S Treen 34, AGJ Gous 4-70

Cryptics v MCC
Won by 82 runs

Cryptics 265 for 8 dec (54 overs)
Callum Berrill 76, Jamie Powe 64, Sam Welti 55, H Woodward 4-52
MCC 184 all out (40.4 overs)
O Clayson 68, D Wood 49*, Freddie Fox 6-41, F Butler 2-22

Cryptics v St Edward's Martyrs
Draw

St Edward's Martyrs 228 for 8 dec (45 overs)
J Barrett 53, B Allen 31, T Newell 30, William Buckland 2-30, Tim Forte 2-32
Cryptics 181 for 8 (47 overs)
James Harrod 34, Jasper Joyce 30*, Ben Tibble 24, W Pickford 2-15, J Connolly 2-25

Cryptics v Earl of Carnarvon's XI
Won by 6 wickets

Earl of Carnarvon's XI 193 for 5 (36.1 overs)
B Fulton 75, R Crowley 33, J Cotterell 21, Tim Forte 3-32

Cryptics 195 for 4 (38 overs)
Miles Covers 64*, Paul Armstrong 39*, Dan Hodder 32*, T Smith 2-14

Cryptics v Barnes
Cancelled – ground unfit

NORTHERN TOUR

Cryptics v Yorkshire Gents
Cryptics won by 2 wickets

Yorkshire Gents 226 for 4 (53 overs)
DRE O'Kelly 102*, TP Atkinson 57, Ben Faber 2-60

Cryptics 228 for 8 (43.1 overs)
AGJ Gous 135*, Nick Westhead 27, THC Anderson 4-67, WJC Anderson 2-28

Cryptics v Settle
Cancelled – rain

Cryptics v Durham Pilgrims
Cancelled - rain

Cryptics v Cherry Tree
Cancelled – no suitable wicket

SOUTHERN TOUR

Cryptics v Old Amplefordians
Cryptics won by 3 runs

Cryptics 144 all out (45.3 overs)
James Wilson 24, Mike Stafford 23, Tom Marshall 22, B Fawcett 5-10, J Ainscough 2-35

Old Amplefordians 141 all out (45 overs)
S Philips 38*, Jake Wilson 6-20, Joe Ireland 3-36

Cryptics v Sussex Martlets
Cancelled – ground unfit

Cryptics v Old Hurstjohnians
Abandoned (rain) - Scorecard missing

Cryptics v Eton Ramblers
Draw (Tied)

Cryptics 203 for 7 dec (47.5 overs)
Miles Covers 66, Izhan Khan 57, Pete Scott 26, CF Horne 3-40, CRD Griffin 2-37, FPM Boyd 2- 40

Eton Ramblers
203 for 7 (47 overs)
TWN Shaw 123*, I Stubbs 25, ADA Zagoritis 22, Ben Tibble 3-26, Miles Covers 2-26

Cryptics v Hampshire Hogs (2 days)
Hampshire Hogs won by 116 runs

Hampshire Hogs
247 for 7 dec (64 overs)
Jimmy Shaw 103*, Jonathan Grant* 37*, Chris Eades 3-60
and
237 for 9 dec (45 overs)
Tom Foster 85, Jimmy Hawkings 39, Charlie Gwynne 43, Jimmy Shaw 32, Chris Eades 5-71

Cryptics
225 for 2 dec (56.2 overs)
George Reid 126*, Jude Brankin-Frisby 53
and
143 all out (42 overs)
George Reid 35, Rory Tennant 4-50

Cryptics v Free Foresters
Free Foresters won by 31 runs

Free Foresters CC
227 all out (45.5 overs)
(B Jones 60, F Everitt 50, J Kings 50, James Harrod 4-53)

Cryptics CC
196 all out (43.4 overs)
(Tom Gurney 71, Will Gurney 53, J Kings 5-40)

WEST MIDLANDS TOUR

Cryptics v Warwickshire Imps **Warwickshire Imps won by 7 wickets.**

Cryptics 72 all out (32.5 overs)
(Tom Newman 22, Vickery 2-6, Field 2-7, Calcott 2-12)

Warwickshire Imps 74 for 3 (15.3 overs)
(R deRegt 34*, T Cleghorn 29*, Harvey Pynn 3-19)

Cryptics v Worcester Gents **Worcester Gents won by 6 wickets**

Cryptics 214-9 dec (54 overs)
George Wells 63, Tom Nicholls 40, J Parker 5-43
Worcestershire Gents 216 for 4 (41 overs)
D Pedlew 111*, W Dovey 38, M Ban 27, D Baker 21

Cryptics v Gloucester Gipsies **Cryptics won by 7 wickets**

Gloucester Gipsies
117 all out (43.2 overs)
A Pockett 38*, L Bowles 32, Ziya Mohammed 2-21, Joe Ireland 2-21

Cryptics
120 for 3 (20.3 overs)
Ollie Clayson 77*, Rob Walker 20, O Horne 2-15

Cryptics v Hampstead **Cryptics won by 6 wickets**

Hampstead 152 all out (42.3 overs)
(A Joanides 42, S Gemes 38, Mike Stafford 4-2, Joe Ireland 2-18)

Cryptics 154 for 4 (26.3 overs)
(Tom Chappell 84, Joe Ireland 22*)

Sandy Ross Memorial 20/20 Competition **Withdrew – Cryptics unable to raise team**

NOTABLE PERFORMANCES

Centuries for Cryptics (3)

AGJ Gous	135*	v Yorkshire Gents
George Reid	126*	v Hampshire Hogs
John Hamilton	113*	v Sporting Alfas XI

50 runs or more for Cryptics (20)

AGJ Gous	93*	v Gentlemen of Cheshire
Tom Chappell	84	v Hampstead
Ollie Clayson	77*	v Gloucester Gipsies
Tom Gurney	71	v Free Foresters
Callum Berrill	76	v MCC
Jason Doole	69	v Sporting Alfas XI
Simon Halliday	69*	v Amersham
Miles Covers	66	v Eton Ramblers
Miles Covers	64*	v Earl of Carnarvon's XI
Jamie Powe	64	v MCC
James Harrod	63	v Pink Elephants
George Wells	63	v Worcester Gents
Jason Doole	60	v Sporting Alfas XI
Izhan Khan	57	v Eton Ramblers
Sam Welti	55	v MCC
Jude Brankin-Frisby	53	v Hampshire Hogs
Will Gurney	53	v Free Foresters
Simon Halliday	52	v Sporting Alfas XI
Ben Faber	52	v Gentlemen of Cheshire
Andrew McCulla	50	v Stragglers of Asia

5 wickets or more for Cryptics (3)

Jake Wilson	6-20	v Old Amplefordians
Joe Ireland	6-41	v MCC
Chris Eades	5-71	v Hampshire Hogs

Centuries against Cryptics (5)

TWN Shaw	123*	for Eton Ramblers
R Pedlew	111*	for Worcester Gents
Jimmy Shaw	103*	for Hampshire Hogs
DRE O'Kelly	102*	for Yorkshire Gents
H Ward	101*	for St Edward's School

50 runs or more against Cryptics (22)

Tom Foster	85	for Hampshire Hogs
S Ensom	78	for Royal Household
J Perman	77	for Sporting Alfas XI



The Second Century Draw Club

The Second Century Draw has been established to help fund the participation of young cricketers in Club matches. Can you help?

Draws take place every month and the winners' details will be posted on the Cryptics website (www.crypticscc.org).

You do not have to do anything to claim your winnings, they will be sent to you directly.

£400 (minimum) will be distributed in prizes each year.

Monthly prizes of £15 and £10, with two additional bonus prizes of £50 on special occasions during the year.

REMEMBER – YOU HAVE TO BE IN IT TO WIN IT!

You can join at any time, from minimum cost of £24 for a year.

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