

“Cricket at the Rec 2009”



Horspath Cricket Club



Home Fixtures and Membership Information 2009

www.horspathcricket.com

Come and join us!

Horspath Village Sports Association

Welcome to Horspath Cricket Club

Village cricket has been played in Horspath for well over 100 years and on the current pitch at the Rec since 1924.

Today Horspath is one of the leading cricket clubs in Oxfordshire, playing in Division 1 of the Oxford Times Cherwell League and with a remarkable recent record of success including Oxfordshire finalists in the national Village Cup competition for three years running and Cherwell League “top club” trophy for three consecutive years from 2004-2006. We will play our first season in the Thames Valley & Chilterns Sunday League in 2009.

The club is an England & Wales Cricket Board “Focus Club” for the development of youth cricket and we have a large and thriving youth section with over 80 young players from the age of 9 upwards. We field youth teams at U11, U13, U15 and U17 in the Oxfordshire Cricket Board competition and friendly matches. We comply with ECB “Safe Hands” policies to provide a safe and encouraging environment for young people to learn and develop their sporting ability. The club was awarded Sport England/ECB Clubmark accreditation in 2008.

But it is not just the cricket that makes the club a special place; it maintains the social, friendly, inclusive character of a village cricket club – something we believe is vital in the life and future of the club. We have around 230 members. Many are social members who simply enjoy strolling in to watch a few hours of cricket on a summer weekend afternoon and have a drink from the bar, or watching the youth teams play on Sunday mornings or weekday evenings.

We invite you to join us in 2009 and enjoy the summer game as a player or spectator or sponsor.

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The Village Recreation Ground is a public space and there is no need to join the Cricket Club to watch cricket but if you want to use the bar and facilities you will need to join as a Social Member for only £10 per year. This includes membership of Horspath Village Sports Association which aims to improve sports and leisure facilities for the whole community. The HVSA is seeking to develop football and tennis at the Rec as well as supporting cricket.

If you would like to join as a Social Member, as a Player, or you have children (boys and girls) who would like to learn to play the game please speak to one of the contacts listed below or just come down to the Rec when you see us playing or training (most evenings and weekends during summer).

Sponsorship

If you would like to support “grass roots” cricket through business sponsorship we have flexible arrangements from £20 to sponsor a match to £300 to become a key sponsor. Please contact one of the people below for further information.

We hope to see you at the Rec this summer.

Contacts:

Ed Murray 01865 873041

Max Eason 01844 237790

Jonathan Stobart 07767 613322

Youth Cricket: Paul Smith 01865 453978

More information, fixtures and results at

www.horspathcricket.com

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2009 Home Fixtures

1st XI matches start at 1.00pm. 2nd XI matches start at 1.30 pm.
 Friendlies start at 2.00 pm. Please note that more home Sunday
 friendly matches are likely to be added during the season.

Sat 18 th April	HCC v Gt Brickhill	CL Cup (1.15)
Sun 19 th April	HCC v Holton	Friendly
Sun 26 th April	Club Open Day	Practice Games
Sun 3 rd May	HCC v Tiddington	Village Cup
Sat 9 th May	1 st XI v Bicester & N Oxford	Div 1
Sat 16 th May	2 nd XI v Brackley	Div 6
Sun 17 th May	HCC v Thame	Sunday League
Sat 23 rd May	1 st XI v Oxford 2 nd	Div 1
Sun 24 th May	HCC v Wayfarers	Friendly
Sat 30 th May	1 st XI v Banbury XX	Div 1
Sun 31 st May	HCC v Bledlow	Sunday League
Sat 6 th June	2 nd XI v Didcot	Div 6
Sat 13 th June	1 st XI v Oxford Downs	Div 1
Sun 14 th June	HCC v Royal Ascot	Sunday League
Sat 20 th June	2 nd XI v Long Marston 2 nd	Div 6
Sat 27 th June	1 st XI v Dinton	Div 1
Sun 28 th June	HCC v Slough	Sunday League
Tue 30 th June	HCC v Blue Lion	Friendly (touring)
Sat 4 th July	2 nd XI v Oxford 3 rd	Div 6
Sun 5 th July	HCC v Beaconsfield	Sunday League
Sat 11 th July	2 nd XI v Sandford St M 2 nd	Div 6
Sun 12 th July	HCC Sixes	Friendly (11.00)
Sat 18 th July	1 st XI v Buckingham	Div 1
Sun 19 th July	HCC v Broughton & NN	Friendly
Sat 25 th July	2 nd XI v Tiddington 2 nd	Div 6
Tue 29 th July	HCC v VOC Rotterdam	Friendly (touring)
Sat 1 st Aug	2 nd XI v Tiddington 2 nd	Div 1
Fri 7 th August	HCC v SOA	Friendly
Sat 8 th Aug	1 st XI v Shipton U Wych	Div 1
Sun 9 th Aug	HCC v Kidmore End	Sunday League
Sat 15 th Aug	2 nd XI v Thame 2 nd	Div 6
Sat 22 nd Aug	1 st XI v Bletchley Town	Div 1
Sat 29 th Aug	2 nd XI v Wolverton 2 nd	Div 6
Sun 30 th Aug	HCC v United Ox Hospitals	Friendly
Sat 5 th Sept	1 st XI v Cumnor	Div 1
Sun 6 th Sept	HCC v Crowmarsh	Friendly
Sun 20 th Sept	Shepherds match	Friendly
Mon 21 st Sept	Horspath Feast match	Friendly

Youth Cricket

Youth cricket matches are normally played on Monday evenings and Sunday mornings.

Youth Players train with Alec Stewart July 2008

