2013 SEASON Wath Cricket Club A Proud Successful Club With Over 110 Years Tradition





where we've come from

Moor Road has been the home of Wath CC since we formed in 1899.

Very successful in the 20s and 30s, this was a golden age for the club which saw the club being crowned Yorkshire Council Champions.

A tough time followed after the war during the 50s and 60s. Ground subsidence hit the Club hard and all games were played away for a number of seasons.

The 1st XI have competed in the South Yorkshire Premier League since 1983, only 2 other clubs can claim that record.

In 2006 the Bar and Pavilion were extended and in the same year a new electronic scoreboard was also installed.

We started our Junior section in the 80s and have enjoyed fabulous success at all age groups from formation to the present day.

In 2009 the ECB helped fund our 4 lane nets to the tune of £52K a project that cost in excess of £73K.



ECB Clubmark status was achieved in 2007 and re-accredited in 2010.

We have 4 Senior teams with many of our Juniors taking part in those teams.

there's no finer place to be on a summer's afternoon...

Beer*, wine, good company and some spare cricket tea if you're lucky!



*five draught beers including Wentworth Real Ales are available during the season





summer evenings aren't bad either... willow on leather, barbecue fizzing away with chance to see that junior talent developing

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Where we are heading

We aim to develop the sense of community that exists within the Club and reach out to the Dearne Valley's growing population; establish funding and plans for a new two-tier Pavilion; and continue to build on our tradition as a family orientated Club.

A tough season lies ahead, we've lost one of the best players in the league to big spenders, so we have to rely on developing our home grown talent.

A lot of our rivals have wealthy benefactors spending big money, most of our talent is home grown and we'll revel in being the underdog.

A famous victory last season:

Big spending Elsecar at home beaten, noooo fair thrashed. Facebook response from their captain 'it's their cup final, they'll win nothing this season.' That might have been the case, but the sound of Wath Blazer (the club song) never sounded sweeter!

Which is why we need your help: To remain competitive and ensure the clubs further progression both on and off the field





Rob Barlow - Our First Team Captain for 2013 is a former England Schoolboy. He represented Yorkshire at all age groups from Under 11 to Under 19, as well as his country as an Under 15. Whilst at University, Barlow was selected for English Universities in the home nations tournament for three straight years and holds the record for wickets taken by an Englishman in the competition. Barlow also represented Derbyshire Second Eleven during the 2003 season, taking wickets against Lancashire and Yorkshire. A former Wath junior, he lists Doncaster Town, Scarborough and Sheffield Collegiate as previous clubs and picked up a Yorkshire League Cup winners medal with the latter in 2005. Barlow returned to

Wath in 2007 and has been a fixture in the side over the last 6 years, before taking the reins for 2013.

Andrew Wood - One of the club's current longest serving players, Andrew has risen through the ranks since his move from Upper Haugh 15 years ago to establish himself as a regular 1st XI player. A top order batsman, Andrew enjoyed his best season in 2011, where despite getting a serious injury in August, he scored just under 700 runs at an average of 44. He also captained the Sunday XI for a total of 5 years. As well as playing for Wath CC, Andrew has also been involved with the England Deaf team, playing in 3 tours since making his debut against Pakistan in 2006. He has played in two home tours (against



Pakistan in 2006 and Australia in 2008) and one tour away in Australia in 2011 where he enjoyed decent success with the bat and played in every game of the 3 week tour. He also deputised for the injured wicket keeper in all matches, taking a total of 16 victims including 7 in the 1st test match in Melbourne.

Recognised as one of Wath's leading batsmen, Wood will hope he can produce the kind of form of 2 years ago and push Wath towards honours.

Overseas - Derek Mitchell (25) is a batting all-rounder, he

played at Stellenbosch University Cricket Club for 5 years and currently plays for Western Province Cricket Club in Cape Town.

In the T20 format he played 5 matches and scored 209 runs at 41.80 with a highest score of 111.

Derek played for Pelsall cricket club in the Staffordshire Club Cricket Championship (Division 1) in 2012. He made 545 runs at an and not 39 wickets at 12.33

average of 36.33 and got 39 wickets at 12.33.

At the moment he's coaching at the Gary Kirsten Cricket Academy. And said "I'm very excited for the upcoming summer in England and I'm going to do my best which will hopefully translate into a successful season for Wath too."





Dan Waldron (15 in this shot) has made it on to the Yorkshire Pathways Programme. Seen here smashing a six off an Elsecar second team bowler during a Sunday League game.



our junior section

We have a large junior section that has 80 kids playing at all age groups from U9s to U17s with games being played virtually every day of the week during the season.

Our Juniors are very successful and regularly win league and cup competitions in the Barnsley league.

We are regarded as one of the best Junior set-ups in the whole of Yorkshire.

We currently have around 40% of them playing representative cricket with the gifted and talented Barnsley Talent Development Centre Representative Programme. We also have further 10 players who are on the elite Yorkshire Pathways programme.

Despite the significant cost of Junior cricket we are committed to their further development.

We have several shining lights within the club, Lyam Shelly, Harrison Neal both 10, Alex Roebuck, Joel Gunn and Oli Blackburn all 11, Jack Machin 15, but brightest of all is Dan Waldron 17 pictured opposite.

the kids are the future of our club, help us to help them develop.



Companies that invested in our Club last season

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this is where you come in

we have an array of sponsorship packages that can be tailored to suit most budgets ranging from:

£2.000

£1.000

£2.000

AVAILABLE

THIS YEAR

Main Shirt Sponsor [2 years]

All match shirts will carry your company logo on both Senior and Junior sections - this is around 70 shirts.

PLUS: You will be given advertising space in our year book and a link to your website from our site.

Corporate partner

To cerebrate your investment and integrate you in to our Club you can host your own themed party, where you and 50 friends, business partners or relations will enjoy a free bar for your party, all evening.

PLUS: You will be given advertising space in the year book and a link to your website from our site and an advertising hoarding under the site screen.

AVAILABLE THIS YEAR Junior Section Sponsor [2 years]

Training tops will carry your company name for all age groups in the Junior section - this is around 80 tops. You will also be given advertising space on the club's electronic screen and a link to your website from our site.

Overseas Sponsor

This season its 25 year old South African Derek Mitchell. He can smash it miles so they say. You will be given advertising space in the year book and a link to your website from our site.

PLUS: A signed framed photo of him in action for your boardroom, reception, or front room if you so desirel

Matchday Sponsorship

£500

How do you fancy you and 9 mates being waited on hand and foot at the ground on a 1st team match day? This package includes a bucks fizz and bacon butty reception, a free bar all day and cricket teas all-round [ours are the best in the area] created by our foxy tea ladies. You will also choose and present the man of the match award at the end of the game.

SELLING Match Ball Sponsorship

£30 | £50 for 2 Games

We have a board outside the Clubhouse that will advertise the match ball sponsor for each game. Plus: A listing in our year book and a couple of free pints on the day. Choose your games it's first come first served!

Advertising Hoarding [2 seasons]

£150 | £250 for 2 Seasons

Our sightscreen structure has space for 10 advertising hoarding. Advertise your company to all those attending the Moor Road ground. We have as many as 500 per match mid season, not to mention Wath Rugby have use of the ground in the winter so your hoarding is seen all year round. Production is an extra cost, and you can supply if you prefer.

2013 Yearbook Full Page Ad

£100

£150

We are putting together our full colour Year Book which will carry fixtures and editorial about the Club. An invaluable tool that will be constantly referred to by players, parents and kids alike from April to September. We estimate readership to be around the 1000 mark.

Sponsor an award

Whether it's player of the season, winner of the batting or bowling averages - you choose, there's plenty to go at. Come down on presentation night and give out your prize and enjoy ten free drinks tokens to use on the night.

Sponsor a player - The player in question pays no subs all season

£150

Come down and check out the talent pick your man, sit back and enjoy watching the play. You might be a parent or family member - either way as a thank you'll get a listing in the year book and we'll supply you with ten free drinks tokens for you to spend as you see fit.

got something else in mind? call us - we'd love to hear what you have to say



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Let's get the ball rolling... I would love to get involved with Wath CC this year Can I sponsor: and enclose a cheque for: please make payable to Wath Cricket Club post to: c/o Peter Barlow, Chairman Wath CC, 21 Muirfield Avenue, Swinton, Mexborough, South Yorkshire S64 8SX Date Name Signed Company Name E-mail Tel If you wish to take up one of the packages on offer, or if you need more detail, give us a call - we'd love to chat Dean Gunn | Fund Raising Manager Peter Barlow | Club Chairman gunn112@btinternet.com peterbarlow@hotmail.co.uk 07976 968 748 07840 938 585



2013 Senior Home Fixtures

Moor Road | Wath Upon Dearne | Rotherham | Yorkshire S63 7RT

Date	Fixture	Start	Date	Fixture
Sat 20 April	2nd XI v Tickhill	1.00	Sun 30 June	4th XI v Tinsley
Sat 27 April	1st XI v Upper Haugh	12.30	Sat 06 July	1st X v Whiston PC
Sat 04 May	2nd XI v Shiregreen	1.30	Sat 13 July	2nd XI v Barnsley 2nd XI
Sat 11 May	1st XI v Houghton Main	1.00	Sat 20 July	1st X v Wickersley OV
Sat 18 May	1st XI v Hallam	1.00	Sat 27 July	2nd XI v Bradfield VF
Sun 19 May	4th XI v Harworth	1.00	Sun 28 July	4th XI v Whitley Hall Colts
Sat 25 May	2nd XI v Conisbrough	1.30	Sat 03 Aug	2nd XI v Rockingham
Sun 26 May	1st XI v Whiston	1.00	Sun 4 Aug	4th XI v Denaby
Sat 01 June	2nd XI v Kexborough	1.30	Sat 10 Aug	1st XI v Whitley Hall
Sun 02 June	4th XI v Eden Parklands	1.00	Sat 17 Aug	1st XI v Treeton
Sat 08 June	1st XI v Aston Hall	1.00	Sun 18 Aug	4th XI v Scholes
Sun 09 June	4th XI v Treeton	1.00	Sat 24 Aug	2nd XI v Aston Hall 2nd XI
Sat 15 June	2nd XI v Darfield	1.30	Sat 31 Aug	1st XI v Norton Oakes
Sat 22 June	1st XI v Coal Aston	1.00	Sat 07 Sept	2nd XI v Rotherham Town 2nd XI
Sun 23 June	4th XI v Kilnhurst	1.00	Sun 8 Sept	4th XI v Hampole & Skelbrook
Sat 29 June	2nd XI v Norton Woodseats	1.30		

Choose your game, give us a call and we will try and accommodate you - but remember it's first come first served

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