



2011

Esher Cricket Club
(Founded 1863)

**Annual Report & Accounts
2011**

**Notice of AGM
and 2012 fixtures**

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Sponsors

During 2011 **Savills** remained the primary corporate sponsor of the Club. The support of Savills is very much appreciated by all at Esher Cricket Club and we hope the relationship will continue into the future. In addition we would like to thank the following companies for their support in 2011:

Ryman, Duncan Pauline Coaching Services, Elmira Consulting, Fullers, Garland Property Planning Group, Howzat Cricket, Milbourne Lodge School, Radley Yeldar, Romida Sports, Sport England, Surrey County Cricket Club.

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Esher CC are delighted to host an Old England XI against an Esher XI on Sunday 24th June

The Old England XI will include a number of players who have represented England in the past and is likely to include such players as Derek Randall and Peter Such.

Further details of the day will be sent to members in due course.

Welcome

Welcome to a summary of the 2011 season and more importantly a look forward to the 2012 season. This report sets out our plans for the forthcoming season and looks back at our many successes from last year, in particular the continued success of our young cricketers.

We continue to strive for improvement in all areas over the coming season and years that follow.

Congratulations to all Members whose contributions have continued the rejuvenation of Esher as a thriving, friendly, successful and local cricket club. Roll on 2012.

Esher Cricket Club Mission Statement

Esher Cricket Club aims to provide club cricket at the highest level achievable whilst observing the principles detailed in The MCC Spirit of Cricket at all times.

In addition the club aims to provide first rate coaching in the skills and etiquette of cricket to young cricketers from age 5 upwards with the purpose of introducing them to adult cricket at the optimum moment.

Esher Cricket Club aims to operate within the relevant legal framework in a fiscally responsible manner and recognising and respecting the rights and concerns of our neighbours.



Cricket at New Road

2011 Achievements

The leading league run scorers

Sohail Ahmed	464 @ 29.00
Derek Lane	448 @ 38.17
Rob Mutucumarana	320 @ 26.67
Hamish Miles	280 @ 28.00
Guy Simpkin	272 @ 38.86
Alex Szepietowski	230 @ 16.43

League hundreds

Guy Simpkin	103* 3rd XI	v Woking & Horsell
Sohail Ahmed	102 1st XI	v Valley End
William Tilston	101 2nd XI	v East Molesey

League positions

1st XI	7th
2nd XI	8th
3rd XI	15th

Young Cricketer league performances

U8s	Winners – NEC League Winners – NEC Cup Winners – Esher Tournament
U9s	Winners – NEC League Winners – NEC Championship Winners – WSYCL Winners – Esher Tournament Winners – Horsley and Send Tournament Runners Up WSYCL Cup
U10s	Runners Up Esher Tournament 3rd in the League 3rd in the Gladys Chitty League
U11s	Winners – Mid Surrey League Semi-Finalists in the Cup Runners Up Esher Tournament
U12s	4th in the League Semi-Finalists in the Cup Runners Up in the Gladys Chitty League
U13s	3rd WSYCL Unbeaten in the Gladys Chitty Finalists Ray Denne Trophy
U14s	5th in the U15 Mid Surrey League 3rd Gladys Chitty

The U8's in action



Hadi Shaikh

The leading league wicket takers

Derek Lane	41 @ 14.07
Mohammed Awis	29 @ 12.45
Kurham Irshad	21 @ 16.19
Sohail Ahmed	21 @ 27.19
Alex Szepietowski	16 @ 22.88
Ahmed Irshad	16 @ 17.69

League 6 wickets

Mohammed Awais	6-29 3rd XI	v Woking & Horsell
Derek Lane	6-42 1st XI	v Ashford
Derek Lane	6-47 1st XI	v Worcester Park

425 Young Cricketers registered at the Club
17 qualified coaches regularly working with
the young cricketers

Representative honours

U9s	Full County: Thomas Chandler, Jack Fletcher, Lorenzo Fourie, Denil Manuel District: Angus Barrett, Sam Calvert, Joseph Jeans, Marcus Rhodes
U10s	Surrey: Andrew McCullum District: Adam Koep, Nick Morgan, Austin Wilman
U11s	Surrey: Harry Alderson, James Vyvyan District: James Allan, Edward Darwin, Oliver Harwood, Charlie Winder
U12s	District: Sam Jones, Max Vyvyan
U13s	Surrey: Matthew Clarke, Will Harris District: Max Bird, Andrew Roy
U14s	Surrey: Nick Winder District: Archie Breakspear, Jamie Elder, Chester Reynolds



Freddie Harrison

President's Report

We continue to strive for improvements in all aspects of the Club



I am pleased, yet again, with some of the progress made by the Club in 2011. In many ways it could be viewed as a year of consolidation, given the significant changes introduced over the previous two seasons, but we continue, as always, to strive for improvement in all areas.

The adult on-field performances certainly need to be improved and can only be described as moderate in 2011. All three XIs maintained their position in their respective Leagues, despite the loss of several key players over the winter months. Your management team has been working hard over the winter months, however, to recruit more playing members and, at the time of writing, I can report that optimism is high for a successful 2012 playing season.

Of particular note is the impact that our colts are starting to have in the adult teams. On return from school, Jamie Abbott opened the batting for the 1st XI, Alex Szepietowski played a full season and Charan Gill averaged 30 having established himself in the team. Many more colts represented the 2nd XI during the summer and highlights included a century by William Tilston, six catches in a match by Nick Woollhead behind the stumps and a particularly impressive bowling performance by Jack McLean in the fixture against MCC. The green shoots of progress are starting to show – a testament to the hard work put in over the last few years by Duncan Pauline and his team of dedicated coaches.

We continue to improve the facilities at the Club with new outfield drainage laid, new sightscreens (thanks to Sport England for the Grant Aid), various enhancement to the Clubhouse interior and many other improvements on behalf of the membership. There is plenty more to do in 2012.

You will note, from the election of officers, that Max Seager has decided to step down as Secretary of the Club. Max has been part of the fabric of Esher CC for nearly 50 years. He joined the club in 1966 and enjoyed a successful playing career before injury forced him to hang up his boots in 1980. During that time Max scored over 3,000 runs and took over 500 wickets for the club. He was Treasurer of the club for 40 years from 1968 to 2008 and Secretary of the club for 16 years from 1996 to 2011. His contribution to the club has been enormous and it is only through people like him that voluntary sports clubs survive. I'm sure you will join me in thanking Max for his outstanding service to the club and in wishing him well in his retirement to the golf course and to the Albert Arms.

Savills remained our primary sponsor during the year. Their support of local sport, and Esher Cricket Club in particular, is very much appreciated and I would remind all members to consider using Savills for any property requirements you may have.

Finally, but importantly, I would like to thank John Woolhead and the management team for their ongoing dedication and hard work on behalf of the Club and I know they will continue to drive improvements in all aspects of the Club in order to return Esher to the pinnacle of Surrey Cricket. I have a good feeling about 2012 for Esher CC – watch this space!

Jon Robinson

Chairman's Report

Focus on youth development maintained



2011 was a year in which the youth structure continued to go from strength to strength. We now have in excess of 420 young cricketers registered at the Club and as stated in the President's report it is particularly pleasing to see the young players starting to make an impact in adult cricket. My thanks go to Neil Miller and the team for the huge amount of time and effort put in to ensure the ongoing success of the youth programme. We will continue our focus on youth cricket in 2012 and have entered the Surrey Development league (coloured clothing, orange balls, black sightscreens) for the older colts.

I would like to reiterate my thanks to Max Seager for his immense contribution to the Club over the years. In addition, two of our Captains are standing down this year. David Crook was appointed 2nd XI Captain in 2010 and promptly won the league in that year. Injury and regular business travel to Moscow prompted his decision to step down. Hamish Miles has been a stalwart of the 3rd XI since 2007 and captain since 2008. His never failing sense of humour and ability to produce players on Saturday mornings will be very much missed by us all. We wish him every success in his new life in Australia.

As alluded to in the President's report, we are working hard to enhance the adult playing strength of the Club. It remains our aim to return to the Premiership in due course. However we will not jeopardise our principles in that we will 'play hard but fair' and abide by the MCC Spirit of Cricket principles. We aim to become one of the most respected Clubs on the circuit, not just for the standard of cricket we play, but also how we play it and the atmosphere and sociability in the Clubhouse afterwards. Our updated mission statement is detailed on page 1 of this report.

Without the voluntary input of all who are involved in the Club quite simply the Club would not survive. My sincere thanks go to all committee members, volunteer coaches, administrators and other helpers within the Club. There are too many to mention but your contribution is much appreciated. We have a number of roles we need to fill as detailed on page 5. If you are able to volunteer please do get in contact with me.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Duncan and Lek for their dedication and hard work in making sure the club runs smoothly during the season and that everybody is 'fed and watered' at the appropriate time.

The AGM will be held on Tuesday, 27th March 7.30 pm in the Clubhouse. The formal notice is on page 41 of this report. You are all more than welcome to attend and I will be running an open question and answer session at the conclusion of the formal business at which I will be happy to answer any questions relating to the Club.

John Woolhead

Treasurer's Report



In the year under review the Club reported an operating profit of £9,326 (2010: £23,768)

On the face of it this financial result is disappointing but in reality represents a more realistic reflection of the likely performance on an ongoing basis. It has become very clear to me that the level of profit is a direct consequence of the amount of time available from key members of the Management Board.

It currently remains our policy to improve club facilities rather than strengthen the Balance

sheet and this has a direct consequence on operating profit. During the period under review £12,000 was expensed in respect of playing surface drainage, improvements to the Clubhouse, improvements to the outfield and a number of more modest improvements. In addition the absence of an event on the Saturday after the Ball, a reduction in donations and the fact that a Life membership scheme was not offered during the year, had a negative impact of £15,500. The increase in Colts subscriptions, despite the rate not being increased, and additional Playgroup income in total amounted to an upside of £12,000 when compared to the prior year.

Net current assets increased from £10,225 to £15,970 during the year.

My thanks go to Jess Phillips for the weekly banking and administration and to David Tilston for the Independent Review (Audit in old money) which gives you, the members, reassurance as to the accuracy of the financial data presented.

Geoff Ellis

Your Club needs you

As with most amateur sports Clubs, we can only survive with voluntary help from you the members. We have a number of things we know we can do better but don't have the resource currently available. Listed below are a number of voluntary roles we are currently looking to fill.

If you are interested please contact johnwoollhead@ntlworld.com

Sales and marketing expertise

Umpires and scorers
(Saturday afternoons)

Assistant treasurer

Coaches and Sunday morning assistants
for the young cricketers

Sponsor management and identification

Playing kit administrator

200 Club manager

Each role need only take a few hours a week and we can work round particular time restrictions you may have.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Annual Accounts 2011
Income and expenditure account
 For the year ended 30th September 2011

	2011 £	2010 £
Income		
Subscriptions and Other Income (Note 1)	60,969	65,604
Fundraising and Functions	10,190	18,258
Match Fees	3,014	3,346
Bar	10,507	18,597
Food	7,782	7,716
Courses	11,460	11,157
Rent	4,093	7,617
Playgroup Income	22,940	17,886
Interest on Deposit Account	–	–
	130,955	150,181
Expenditure		
Ground and Pavilion (Note 2)	40,370	42,630
Remuneration	18,004	22,433
Cricket Balls	1,471	923
Administration	5,677	6,732
Umpires	2,220	792
Bank Charges	792	675
Contracted Services (Note 3)	53,095	52,228
	121,629	126,413
Excess (deficit) on income and expenditure account	9,326	23,768
Non-Recurring Losses		
Taxation	(3,038)	(2,236)
Depreciation (Note 5)	(25,613)	(25,421)
Vat Overprovided	2,648	2,648
	(26,003)	(25,009)
Transfer deficit to general fund	(16,677)	(1,241)

Esher Cricket Club 200 Club

The Esher CC 200 Club is open to all members and friends of the Club. 50% of proceeds distributed as prizes, cost is £60 on each 1st May and 1st September.

Full details are available from johnwoollhead@ntlworld.com

Your support is greatly appreciated

Balance sheet

At 30th September 2011

	Cost £	Depreciation £	2011 £	2010 £
Employment of funds				
Fixed assets				
Freehold Ground (Note 6)	2,750	–	2,750	2,750
Pavilion	435,754	52,362	383,392	392,107
Car Park and Pavilion Surrounds	67,539	19,584	47,955	51,332
Nets, Outside Machinery and Scoreboard	59,449	30,378	29,071	33,377
Pavilion Equipment	31,029	15,100	15,929	17,488
Patio, Fence and Sheds	17,331	3,466	13,865	15,598
Kitchen and Bar Furniture	14,443	8,591	5,852	8,554
	628,295	129,481	498,814	521,206
Current assets				
Stocks			5,046	3,200
Trade Debtors			12,466	7,414
Prepayments			2,852	2,354
Premium Bonds			10	10
Cash at Bank			41,246	42,608
Deposit Account			17,000	17,000
			78,620	72,586
Current liabilities				
Creditors and Provisions			38,612	34,148
Unsecured Loans repayable within one year			21,000	26,000
Taxation			3,038	2,183
			62,650	62,331
Net current assets			15,970	10,255
Net asset value (Excluding enhanced value of Freehold Land (Note 6))			514,784	531,461
Represented by general fund (Note 4)			514,784	531,461

Geoff Ellis ACA

John Woolhead FCIS

Approved by the Management Board on 17 February 2012.

Notes to the accounts

Year ended 30th September 2011

	2011 £	2010 £
1. Subscriptions and other income		
Playing Members	2,480	3,830
Non-Playing Members	329	636
Life Members	–	5,865
Colts and Family Members	50,884	43,400
Sponsorship	4,000	4,000
Donations	3,276	7,873
	60,969	65,604
2. Expenses of ground and pavilion		
Pavilion (maintenance, running costs and repairs)	8,906	10,535
Rates and Road	268	747
Insurance	4,394	4,478
Electricity, Gas and Water	7,973	7,523
Ground Maintenance and Machinery Repairs	10,709	11,857
Playgroup Costs	8,120	7,490
	40,370	42,630
3. Contracted services		
Management, Coaching and Colts Administration	42,755	41,888
Ground Maintenance	10,340	10,340
	53,095	52,228
4. General fund		
Balance at 1st October 2010	531,461	532,702
Deficit on Income and Expenditure for the Year	(16,677)	(1,241)
	514,784	531,461
5. Depreciation		
Depreciation has been charged as follows:		
Pavilion		Over 50 years
Car Park and Pavilion Surrounds		Over 20 years
All other Equipment		Over 10 years
Kitchen and Bar Furniture		Over 5 years
6. Net asset value		
The Freehold Ground is stated at its cost in 1935. The Club has not had the Land revalued but consider such evaluation would enhance the net asset value considerably.		
7. Sport England grant		
Cost of Sightcreens and bowling machine	11,500	nil
Cost of Heavy Roller	nil	12,395
Contribution of Sport England	(10,000)	(10,000)
Transfer to Capital Expenditure	1,500	2,395

Audit Report

Report to the Management Committee and members of Esher Cricket Club (the Club) on the accounts for the year ended 30th September 2011 set out on the previous pages.

Respective responsibilities of the Management Committee and Independent Examiner

The Management Committee is responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The Management Committee considers that an independent examination is needed in accordance with the Club rules.

As the Independent Examiner, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent Examiner's Statement

An Independent Examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the Club and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the Management Committee concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in a full audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.

Independent Examiner's Statement

In connection with my examination, no matters have come to my attention:

1. which give me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements
 - to keep accounting records;
 - to prepare accounts which accord with these accounting records have not been met;
2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

David Tilston

Relevant professional qualification FCA
17 February 2011

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Senior Cricket – Reports and Averages

1st XI



Derek Lane
1st XI Captain

Esher CC 1st XI report 2011

7th position is a fair reflection of the team in a year where a number of teenagers were blooded and gained valuable first team experience.

Captain Derek Lane led from the front with a haul of 41 wickets @ 14 and 448 runs @ 37. The other half of the spin duo, long-term overseas player, Sohail Ahmed, picked up 21 wickets @ 27 and scored 464 runs @ 29.

Robert Mutucumarana returned to the team after missing much of 2010 and made important contributions in a number of games whilst chalking up 320 runs @ 26. Opening bowler Khurram Irshad, in his 11 games picked up 21 wickets @ 16. Grant Meadows had another excellent season behind the stumps taking 30 dismissals including nine stumpings. 19 year old Charan Gill was the most improved player with a steady contribution of 206 runs @ 23 in his 10 games.

Highlights were without doubt the three 13pt victories over Epsom, Worcester Park and Ashford. The match at Epsom included a real golden spell of seam bowling from Alex Szepietowski who claimed 5 for 17 from seven overs to snatch victory from the jaws of defeat. Epsom were 150 for 2 chasing 187 and collapsed to 172 all out.

At Worcester Park Sohail Ahmed almost batted through the innings with a well crafted 98 whilst Mutucumarana gave the impetus for a positive declaration with a run-a-ball 50, to allow Esher to declare at 200 off 50, which raised a couple of eyebrows. Worcester Park never got into the chase though with Lane bowling through with 6 for 47 to win by 75 runs.

Again at Ashford it was the Mutucumarana and Lane act, firstly with Mutucumarana scoring a run-a-ball 73 in a century partnership with Gill setting up the declaration. In reply Ashford were cruising at 105 for 2 on a flat one before Lane caused havoc taking 6 for 16 in eight overs in the second half of his 16 over spell, and the rest was history!

Two other wins came in the 50 over home games vs Walton and Worcester Park in decent run chases but the drama came in the time games this year.

Thanks again to Zoe for her exquisite scorebook and to all the umpires who officiated us during the season.

1st XI Ryman Surrey Championship Division 2 batting averages 2011 Qualification 4 matches

Name	Games	Innings	Not Out	Runs	High Score	Average
Thushara Managei	6	6	0	229	89	38.17
Derek Lane	17	17	5	448	54	37.33
Sohail Ahmed	17	17	1	464	102	29.00
Rob Mutucumarana	15	15	3	320	73*	26.67
Charan Gill	10	10	1	206	44	22.89
Andrew Wales	7	7	1	116	45	19.33
John Woolhead	15	13	2	195	64	17.73
Alex Szepletowski	14	14	0	230	50	16.43
Jamie Abbott	6	6	0	98	27	16.33
Khurram Irshad	11	9	1	107	28	13.38
Chris Kane	4	2	1	6	5*	6.00
Neil Miller	11	7	4	16	6	5.33
Grant Meadows	16	10	3	36	14	5.14
Jim Steven	4	3	1	10	6	5.00
Alex Waghom	6	5	1	18	11	4.50
Andrew Hayward	4	2	0	0	0	0

Also played: 3 Matches: Jonathan Barrett, Charlie Russell, Dil Sangaran, Jo Gilhooly, Rob Hutton.
2 Matches: Alistair Hooper. **1 Match:** Adam Cole, Jonathan Robinson, Henry Witton, Irshad Ahmed, Tim Clews, Nick Hopcroft, Chris Burton.

1st XI Ryman Surrey Championship Division 2 bowling averages 2011

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
Derek Lane	147.3	19	577	41	14.07
Khurram Irshad	101.4	15	340	21	16.19
Alex Szepletowski	80.0	8	366	16	22.88
Neil Miller	68.4	3	281	11	25.55
Sohail Ahmed	164.3	24	571	21	27.19
Thushara Managei	48.2	5	222	8	27.75

Esher CC Nets and Coaching

Nets, training and coaching for all adult cricketers is held every Wednesday evening at New Road, starting at 6pm, from mid-April and throughout the season

All players welcome.

Senior Cricket – Reports and Averages continued



David Crook
2nd XI Captain

Esher CC 2nd XI report 2011

Overall, a frustrating season after the success of the previous year. Of the core of last year's team, only two played more than 10 matches, as injuries, postings abroad and promotions to the first team took their toll. In the end, a run of three consecutive wins in the 100 over format in the first half of the season laid the foundation for avoiding relegation, safety being secured with a game to spare. There were flashes of what the team was capable of in games against the top sides – losing on the last ball to East Molesey and having Trinity Mid-Whitgiftians at 30-odd for 6 before losing – but the quality wasn't sustained.

The team changes did create opportunities for others, though. Ahmed Irshad in particular established himself with some tight spells of off-spin, with 16 wickets at 17 and an economy rate of 2.44 in over 100 overs. Once again, Jonathan Barrett produced stellar figures, with 21 wickets @ 6 in his six matches! Several others produced good performances, so overall the bowling was strong all season.

Sadly, the same could not be said of the batting, with far too many collapses and the top six rarely producing enough runs for the team to make competitive totals. Jim Steven finished as the leading run-scorer with 193, despite rarely being in the top six!

It was particularly pleasing to see several colts step up and perform very strongly at this level. William Tilston made an excellent maiden century against East Molesey, Nick Woolhead took six catches in a match behind the stumps and Nick Winder came into the side at the end of the season, aged 14, and produced an excellent spell of left arm spin in the final match, taking 3 for 20. The future looks bright if they and others can play regularly in the future.

Thanks are due to Sam Ryder, Peter Crook and Gary Furness for scoring and to Jim Steven, Jonathan Barrett and Neil Fletcher and others for taking the strain on match days, especially when the skipper was stranded in Moscow bars!

2nd XI Ryman Surrey Championship Division 2 batting averages 2011 Qualification 4 matches

	Games	Innings	Not Out	Runs	High Score	Average
Jim Steven	10	7	3	193	48*	48.25
Charan Gill	7	7	0	162	32	23.14
Dil Sangaran	4	3	0	68	48	22.67
Ahmed Irshad	14	12	3	167	42*	18.55
Nick Woollhead	6	6	0	109	44	18.17
David Crook	9	9	1	125	34	15.63
Jonathan Barrett	6	5	0	77	65	15.40
Craig Carson	8	8	0	112	27	14.00
Robert Hutton	8	8	0	106	41	13.25
Dan Adams	6	6	0	69	48	11.50
Andrew Hayward	5	5	2	31	13*	10.33
Nasir Shabbir	10	9	2	54	19*	7.71
Henry Witton	4	4	1	23	10	7.67
Izhar Anjum	5	5	0	35	22	7.00
Neil Fletcher	13	11	1	61	20*	6.10

Also played: 3 Matches: Chris Supple, Alexander Burgess, Sam Nutt, James Kenyon, Azhar Navaz, William Tilston, Tim Clews, Dimitri Balasuriya. **2 Matches:** Mohammed Awis, Peter Segal, Nick Winder, Guy Simpkin, Chris Parrish, Andrew Woodhouse, Andy Haywood, Owais, Andrew Wales. **1 Match:** Andrew Woodhouse, Jamie Abbott, Tom Burnett, Richard Harrison, Chris Burton, Jonathan Robinson, Jo Gilhooly, Tom McKay, Richard Bagshaw, Dean Sayers, Marcel Van Wyck, Alex Simmonds, Jamie Abbott, Matthew Clarke, Alex Waghorn, Mohammed Awis, Will Campbell, Martin Andrews, Paul Tracey, A Malik.

2nd XI Ryman Surrey Championship Division 2 bowling averages 2011

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
Jonathan Barrett	45.4	10	127	21	6.05
Andrew Hayward	37.0	5	110	11	10.00
Ahmed Irshad	116.1	34	283	16	17.69
Neil Fletcher	83.0	9	368	15	24.53
Dan Adams	25.5	0	166	6	27.67
Jim Steven	51.2	9	197	7	28.14
Nasir Shabbir	62.1	8	230	8	28.75

The Esher CC Bar and Clubhouse

Esher CC welcomes all Members to the Clubhouse and Bar.

The Clubhouse and Bar will be open during all Cricket Matches, and at all Young Cricketer training sessions and matches during the summer.

Full Tea, Coffee and snack service also available.

Senior Cricket – Reports and Averages continued



Hamish Miles
3rd XI Captain

Esher CC 3rd XI report 2011

Esher 3rd XI competed in the Surrey Division 2 league, finishing in 15th position out of 17 teams, winning three games, drawing two and losing nine.

The 3rd XI did not progress following a promising season in 2010 due in the main to the loss of several key players to the senior teams. Whilst winning only three matches, two of these were against the sides that finished 1st and 2nd in the league reflecting the quality within the squad but not the depth that would otherwise have converted several of our losses into victories.

Fifty different players played in the league during the season. Several new faces complemented some old stalwarts with the colts again showing what they are capable of when exam schedules and holidays allowed. Games were played in the right spirit and plenty of healthy 'competitive' humour was shared with the opposition. This positive playing attitude also flowed over socially within the club after games.

There were several excellent individual bowling performances which gave the team opportunities for victory. Mohammed Awis was the pick of the bowlers claiming 29 wickets at an average of 12.45 with best figures of 6 for 29. Mohammed was well supported by Bilal Ishaq, Arun Easwaramohan and Richie Harrison who all claimed 10 or more wickets. In total 28 players bowled at one time or another!

Consistency in batting was again a challenge this season, although the general poor weather left some of the tracks with a bit to be desired our home strip at Imber Court played well throughout the season. Again there were some key individual performances. Guy Simpkin's 103 not out against the eventual League Champions set up a memorable and ultimately valuable victory; Hamish topped the runs total with 280 runs including two 50's at an average of 28 with Guy scoring 272 at an average of 39. Bilal, Richie, Alexander Burgess, Marcel van Wyk and Joe Gilhooly all scored fine 50's.

The club has consolidated its position at all levels and is now looking to progress. Next season, with greater consistency and with individuals contributing what they are capable of the team can challenge for promotion. A special thank you to Hamish Miles who in skippering the side for the last three seasons built a terrific team ethic centred on being competitive, having fun and nurturing the younger players. Hamish is now in Australia and we will miss his hands-on approach, address book and runs (but not his catching). All the best Hamish.

3rd XI Ryman Surrey Championship Division 2 batting averages 2011 Qualification 4 matches

	Games	Innings	Not Out	Runs	Highest	Average
Guy Simpkin	10	9	2	272	103*	38.86
Hamish Miles	12	11	1	280	80*	28.00
Bilal Ishaq	10	8	0	207	67	25.88
Alexander Burgess	9	8	0	189	57	23.63
Marcel van Wyk	6	5	0	94	52	18.80
Richard Harrison	12	11	1	182	51	18.20
Mike Littlewood	4	4	0	53	42	13.25
Mohammed Awis	10	8	3	45	27*	9.00
Chris Supple	4	4	0	29	10	7.25
Sat Bremakumar	6	5	1	24	12*	6.00
Darren Easwaramchan	4	3	1	12	8	6.00
Omar Farouk	5	4	0	18	11	4.50
Dave Schirn	4	4	1	10	6	3.33
Imran Khan	12	9	0	29	13	3.22
Andrew Grant	4	4	0	10	5	2.50
Naem Malik	4	4	0	9	5	2.25
Arun Easwaramohan	8	5	2	5	2	1.67

Also played: 3 Matches: Peter Schipper, Martin Andrews, Nick Winder, Tom Scott, Usman Malik, Dimitri Balasuriya, Tom Burnett. **2 Matches:** Jack Simpkin, Richard Bagshaw, Chris Parrish, David Crook, Dan Adams. **1 Match:** Jo Souter, Harry Kahn, Rob Littlewood, Jules Winder, Tom McKay, Oli Jewers, Dave Lee, Matt Hucks, S Tube, Rob Spalding, Grant Gordon, Alex Burgess, Calum Allbrook, Seb Rose, James Harman, Niru Tharma, Craig Lightbody, Henry Witton, Joe Gilhooly.

3rd XI Ryman Surrey Championship Division 2 bowling averages 2011

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
Nick Winder	17.0	3	59	7	8.43
Imran Khan	26.2	2	94	8	11.75
Mohammed Awis	107.3	23	361	29	12.45
Arun Easwaramohan	48.1	12	132	10	13.20
Dave Schirn	36.0	3	122	6	20.33
Richard Harrison	57.0	8	206	10	20.60
Omar Farouk	26.0	4	114	5	22.80
Bilal Ishaq	88.5	13	258	11	23.45

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Esher Young Cricketers – Reports and Averages

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Director of Coaching

Introduction

The Esher CC Young Cricketers programme continues to progress with all round distinction. In 2011 in excess of 420 young cricketers participated with enthusiasm and continued success. Full details of league and cup achievements are given on page 2.

The programme would not be as successful without the continued enthusiastic participation of parent coaches and helpers. A very big thank you to you all. If you would like to get involved

I can promise you a very rewarding experience and a huge amount of fun. Please contact Neil Miller or Duncan Pauline if you are interested.

The 2012 season has already begun with the indoor Winter Coaching programme, and will continue with the Sunday morning and Midweek coaching programmes once the sun comes out. Full Age Group reports for the 2011 season are given on the following pages.



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Esher Young Cricketer Awards 2011

Cup	Awarded for	Winner
The Barry Johnstone Shield	<p>Junior young cricketer of the year</p> <p>Harry had a fantastic season with the bat, he represented Surrey U11s and played most of the county matches and toured with the squad to the West Country. At School he averaged over 50 and at Esher he averaged 146 in a league winning team and was retired in every match. Harry scored two hundreds in 2011 an amazing achievement for an U11. A model young cricketer who trains hard and loves the game.</p>	<p>Harry Alderson</p> 
Shane Lalani Memorial Trophy	<p>Senior young cricketer of the year</p> <p>What impressed the coaches and age group manager so much last season was Jamie's attitude and commitment towards the game, he attended almost every coaching session and worked hard at improving his game. Jamie was available for most of Esher's U14 league matches, represented Central District and even played for the Development Squad. Jamie was the leading all-rounder for an U14 team, playing in an U15 league. His season included a hat-trick against Chessington.</p>	<p>Jamie Elder</p> 
The Savills Shield	<p>Young Cricketers special contribution to Esher CC</p> <p>The ultimate "Club Man". Tom plays most of his cricket for the extremely talented U16s, when in 20 over matches it's sometimes difficult to get a bowl and bat however he never complains and when the opportunity arises he grabs it with both hands. Tom played in the Saturday Academy matches and also the Development matches for Esher CC. He rarely misses a coaching or practice session and if one of the adult teams needs a player he is only too happy to make himself available even at short notice. He has a genuine love for the game and every club would benefit if there were more guys like Tom around.</p>	<p>Tom McKay</p> 
The Newbould Cup	<p>Young player who has made an impact in adult cricket</p> <p>Charan has been a member of Esher CC since he was 7 years old and has successfully played through every age group in the club, being part of a very successful age group winning everything before them at U9, U10, U11, U12 and I think the team suffered their first loss at U13 level. Charan progressed through the senior colts and forced his way into adult cricket and was a regular member of league winning 2nd XI two years ago and since then he has represented the 1st XI at Esher. From a club prospective this is what it's all about, from U7 to the Adult 1st team. He averaged in the late 20's and scored his first adult hundred last season. For the last few years Charan has been an important member of the coaching set up, a job he clearly enjoys and show good maturity when leading the coaching sessions for the girls section last season.</p>	<p>Charan Gill</p> 

Girls Cricket (Duncan Pauline)

2011 saw a rapid growth in the Esher Cricket Club girls section, enabling us to have a junior and senior group being coached on Sunday mornings. Being more used to coaching men and boys the coaches were pleased and surprised at the commitment and how fast the girls learnt the basics of the game. At the start of the season we were asked by Surrey County Cricket Club and Elmbridge Borough Council to produce a team of U10/U11 girls to represent the Borough at the Surrey Youth Games taking place in July giving the girls only eight weeks to prepare and to take on other girls that have played for a few years already. By July the team could all bowl with a straight arm, use a run up and a follow through. The girls had a good knowledge of running between the wickets and the various fielding techniques, also a good idea about match awareness but still lots of work to do with the batting, according to the Surrey Development Officer, the Esher Girls 'Looked like a proper cricket team'. The team got to the final in their first ever competition and were narrowly beaten by a much more experienced team representing the Mole Valley.

Most importantly, though, good fun was had by all. Many thanks to David Crook and Glenn Phillips for managing the girls, and to the army of mums in support. There are major plans from Sport England, Active Surrey and the ECB to develop girls cricket further, it's a good game for girls and they relate well with the game. At Esher we are keen to develop the section, we have entered into more tournaments and have organised matches against other clubs for the 2012 season.

A big thanks to the girl coaches, Emma Woolhead, Emma Chandler and Olivia Miller and the support of the regular coaches and a special mention to John Craig whose help during the coaching sessions was much appreciated. We are still seeking a lady manager for the girls group, if you are interested and would like more information please contact Duncan at duncan.pauline@gmail.com

Under 16s (Ian Chicken)

West Surrey U17 League
3rd – P3, W2, L1

The ever cheerful Under 16 squad continued to enjoy cricket at Esher. Only one league was entered with the pressure of GCSEs and school cricket. Even attempts to schedule fixtures post exams proved unsuccessful, as two opposition teams failed to raise a side, and Esher had to default once. The two games won included some exciting and high quality batting and bowling, with Tom Maclean's and William Tilston's opening partnership against Weybridge Vandals threatening most of New Road. Many thanks to Martin Burnett for his support in running these matches.

But, the real key to this age group was that almost all of the squad broke through into the senior adult teams representing Esher in style.

Under 14s (Jules Winder)

Mid-Surrey U15 League
5th – P10, W5, L4, A1
West Surrey U14 Friendly League
4th – P6, W2, L4

The decision to enter two different league teams proved a little optimistic, and unkind league fixture scheduling meant that we often faced the strongest opposition with reduced availability. Come mid-June, we had won just one Mid-Surrey game, and had failed to produce 11 players for any of the WSYCL games – and signs of improvement amongst the squad was proving a little harder to see than in previous years. But, a strong finish saw the group finish the season well, and we look well set to recapture the Mid Surrey league title in 2012.

Over 20 players played at least one A team game. The key breakthrough was the batting of Jamie Elder and Matt Maginnis who both scored over 200 runs for the season. Captain Archie Breakspear started brilliantly, was selfless in mid-season, before ending the season with three uncharacteristically low scores; but captained the side well throughout and shared the cricket to keep as many involved as possible. Other than that the batsmen struggled against the faster, bowling. In the field, strike bowler Henry Weir

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Age Group Reports

was much missed with a season long injury. James Hand was the most consistent, and accurate, of the seam attack, getting good support from Matt Maginnis, David Williams, Theo Buffini and Tom Lloyd. All had the ability to bowl very well, and often did, but throughout the season we bowled too many wides and no balls for this level, often gifting the opposition 15-25 runs. The two senior spinners, Nick Winder and Chester Reynolds, both bowled very tidily. We held a number of good catches, with some memorably good ones from Matt Maginnis, James Hand, Jamie Elder, Nick Winder, Theo Buffini and Chester Reynolds – all backed up by the good keeping of Archie and Tom Gardner. On the ground, we were less good and didn't save enough singles or twos; despite making many good stops. The slightly awkward truth is that the games that we should have won, we won very easily, but against some of the stronger sides we lost a little too easily. The only two close games were a thrilling tie against Ashted (where we benefited from the fewer wickets rule to claim the points) and Malden Wanderers where a predominantly U13 team just clung on to win by three runs, with Nick and Chester choking their chase effectively before a tense final over saw us home.

In the WSYCL, all too often we only had eight or nine players at the ground. In fact, it was only the final match, in a team with two U12s, six U13s and just three U14s that we finally had 11 players. Good wins against Leatherhead and Dorking were countered by a heavy defeat against a strong Effingham side, and a good chase against Kempton where we fell nine runs short chasing 148. Two teams conceded, as availability at this

level starts to flounder across Surrey. With the bat, Alex Glennon twice reached the retirement score of 30*, and with scores of 21 and 14* not out, averaged 95 for the team – a fine captain's effort. Retirement scores were also achieved by Edward Campbell, Oliver Roberts, Jonny Carr and guest George Segal. Max Lancaster also scored useful runs throughout the season. The team was less good in the field, though the combination of not having 11 players and not having a dedicated wicket-keeper makes these things harder. James Southall bowled a number of steady spells. Adam Hunter's spell of 2 for 7 vs Dorking must be a record breaker, as all seven runs were from a single delivery where the Esher team resorted to some Keystone Cops comedy fielding and turned a wide into a succession of overthrows. Jack Simpkin, Diptarko Chowdhury, Seb Clark, Oliver Roberts and Jonny Carr all bowled good spells. The standard of fielding could be improved, but Jonny Carr set the highest standard and held a couple of good catches.

Thanks to the many umpires, scorers and helpers throughout the season, especially David Glennon for taking on the WSYCL team. As always, above all, I hope all the squad enjoyed their season. There were many, many good moments, and hopefully an enjoyable season in the right age group next year.

2011 U14 Season Awards

Most Improved Players: Alex Glennon and Max Lancaster

Batting: Jamie Elder

Bowling: James Hand and Chester Reynolds

All Rounder: Matt Maginnis

Leading Mid-Surrey Under 15 League Averages

Bowling	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Economy
Chester Reynolds	41	1	220	13	16.9	5.4
James Hand	34	3	187	11	17.0	5.5
Jamie Elder	23	0	146	10	14.6	6.3
Nick Winder	23	2	89	9	9.9	3.9
Matt Maginnis	45	0	195	9	21.7	4.3

Batting	Innings	Runs	Not Out	Average	H.S.	Catches
Matt Maginnis	12	239	3	26.6	33*	6
Jamie Elder	11	203	4	29.0	48*	3
Archie Breakspear	8	192	2	32.0	54*	10 + 2st
Henry Weir	7	105	0	15.0	31	2

Under 13s (Pete Segal, John Albrook, Andrew Davies, Bernie Abrahamson, Neil Miller)

Mid-Surrey League – P8, W2, L6

(Spirit of Cricket Award)

Mid-Surrey Cup – P3, W2, L1

West Surrey League – P8, W5, L3

West Surrey Chitty League – P4, W4

Ray Denne Trophy – Finalists

It turned out to be a mixed season for the U13 group. At times we played some really good cricket and it was pleasing to see so many boys improve as the season progressed. Once again we played matches right the way into early September, ensuring all the boys had plenty of opportunity to play competitive cricket. The A team played in the Mid-Surrey league and cup. However, it was very difficult to put out our strongest team due to the conflicts between school cricket, exams and County or District cricket. We demonstrated how well we can play in the cup games but were unlucky to go out in the semi-final, despite a fine innings of 49 from George Segal. As last year, the major problem was scoring enough runs. Only three players scored more than 100 runs in the Mid-Surrey competition. Max Bird proved the most consistent player. Calum Allbrook, Louis Woods, Will Kibblewhite, Andrew Roy, James White and Charlie Quick all showed they can play but didn't score consistently enough. There was a lot more strength in the bowling. Of the seamers, Harry McKay, Andrew Roy and Ben Littlewood stood out. All have excellent actions and will take many wickets in their cricketing careers. Harry in particular showed great improvement throughout the season. In the spin department, George Segal, Calum Allbrook and James White took plenty of wickets between them. George particularly managed to keep the runs down while always threatening to take wickets. Our fielding was solid if not spectacular. We caught well and our intensity in the field was an improvement on last season. Charlie Quick was a reliable and enthusiastic keeper, who kept the energy levels up in the field. George Segal, Calum Allbrook and Matthew Clarke shared the captaincy and they all did a good job. The team was also rewarded with the Mid-Surrey Spirit of Cricket award, based on votes from all opposition sides. (An Esher first!)

In the West Surrey league the B team ended up 3rd in our division. We completed fine wins over Ashted, Shepperton, Teddington, Weybridge and East Molesey. However, we narrowly lost to Epsom and were well beaten by both Sunbury and Chertsey. Scoring enough runs continues to be a problem. Our strongest batters were Max Byworth and Robert Davies, who both made consistent contributions. Thereafter we struggled. On the other hand our bowling line up was strong. James Miller, Henry Walker, Cameron Hay and Tom Brown all performed well and the opposition never found it easy to score runs against us. The bowling was helped by some excellent fielding displays. The focus, energy levels and positional awareness owed much to James Miller, who captained the side intelligently. Overall the B team improved and certainly there was competition for places between the A and B teams, which can only be a good thing.

We continued to field a team in the Gladys Chitty league this season. The boys had an outstanding season winning all four matches played. It was a shame that conflicting priorities meant we could not fit in more games, however it was good to see so many boys improve after so much hard work in the nets. The major contributors with the bat were Shivang Bhargava, Jamie Anderson, William Cary and William Hobday. The bowling attack was led by Harry Dunster, James Maloney and Finn Harman. A 100% record was a terrific achievement, which the team manager was happy to remind us all of on many occasions!

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Finally, we again entered the Ray Denne trophy in the summer holidays, in which we were the defending champions. Despite an early defeat to Guildford, we won our remaining games and qualified for the final on net run rate. In the final we met Chertsey, the team we had beaten in the 2010 final. However, on this occasion we were well beaten. Once again this competition allowed us to offer competitive cricket for both the U13s and U12s right the way through the summer holidays. It was great to see three boys (Calum Allbrook, Tom Pridmore and George Griffiths) score their maiden 50's for the club. Our bowling continued to be strong, with Harry McKay, Andrew Roy, Olivia Miller, James Miller, George Segal and Ben Littlewood all performing well. Behind the stumps Matt Walker was outstanding.

Under 13s Player Awards

Most Improved Player: James Miller
Batting: Max Bird
Bowling: Harry McKay
All Rounder: Andrew Roy
Gladys Chitty Batting: Shivang Bhargava and Jamie Anderson
Gladys Chitty Bowling: Harry Dunster
Gladys Chitty All Rounder: William Cary

Leading Averages

Batting	Innings	Runs	Average
Max Bird	8	196	24.50
Calum Allbrook	11	247	22.45
George Segal	11	234	21.27
Sam Guinness	8	139	17.38
Louis Woods	11	142	12.91

Bowling	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Economy
George Segal	44	5	179	19	9.42	4.07
Harry McKay	60	5	236	18	13.11	3.93
James White	29	1	173	12	14.42	5.97
Calum Allbrook	32	1	204	12	17.00	6.38
Andrew Roy	31	6	122	11	11.09	3.94
James Miller	31	2	129	11	11.73	4.16

Under 12s (Sean Pridmore)

MSYL Division 1

4th – P12, W5, L6, A1

MSYCL Cup Semi-Final

WSYCL Gladys Chitty League

2nd – P8, W4, L1, Tied 1Ab2.

This was a really progressive season for the squad. Attendance at training was generally very good and a number of the boys showed great improvement from the previous season. Doug House became largely responsible for the playing matters and his unquenchable enthusiasm for the game and coaching skills meant that both the A's and the B's were highly competitive outfits within their respective leagues.

The A's finished 4th in MSYL Division 1 beating both Stoke d'Abernon and Richmond twice and running both Wimbledon and Spencer close. We fared even better in the MSYL Cup beating Spencer in the quarter-finals thanks to a superb all round bowling effort. Unfortunately, this result was the pinnacle of our season as we lost the semi-final by one run to Malden Wanderers. Up until the last two games of the season we bowled exceptionally well with Sam Jones and James Sweeney picking up 16 wickets apiece.

Our batting was more fragile with only Max Vyvyan consistently scoring and finishing with an average of 46.3. This is an area we will need to improve on next season if we are to close the gap on the teams above us. Special mention should go to Matthew Walker who took up wicket keeping at the start of the season and who has developed into a very fine prospect.

The B's had a fabulous season, remaining top of the league and unbeaten until the last game of the season when a loss against a (disappointingly) over strength Stoke d'Abernon team pushed us down to a highly creditable second. A number of the boys contributed to this success but special mention should be made of Callum House who was the pick of the batsmen averaging over 16 and Tom Baldock for taking 10 wickets including two 4 wicket hauls.

A big thank you to all those who helped through the season especially Doug House, Jeremy Dyer, Imran Khan, Steve Hand and Iain Leigh-Pollitt.

Under 12s Player Awards:

Most Improved Player: James Sweeney

Batting: Max Vyvyan

Bowling: Sam Jones

All Rounder: Matthew Walker

Leading Averages

Batting	Played	Innings	Runs	Not Out	Average
Max Vyvyan	6	6	139	3	46.3
Tom Pridmore	11	11	101	2	11.2
Matthew Walker	10	10	99	1	11.0

Bowling	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Economy
James Sweeney	46	1	224	16	4.86
Sam Jones	45	4	221	16	4.90
George Griffiths	24	1	125	9	5.20

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Under 11s (James Calvert)

Mid-Surrey Division 1

Champions – P12, W8, L2, A2

Mid-Surrey Cup – Semi-Finals

WSYCL B

3rd – P8, W5, L2, A1

WSYCL Cup – First Round

WSYCL Gladys Chitty B

4th – P7, W4, Conceded 3

Esher Festival – Runners Up

2011 saw the whole squad step up; the A's to the Mid-Surrey League 1 with the B's taking the place in the WSYCL and a new team entered into the WSYCL Friendly League. All the teams rose to the challenge and were a match for much improved opposition. The A's won the league by 0.01 net run rate and we were well placed in the other leagues until availability was stretched too thin, leading to losses and concessions. Winning a very strong league and ensuring everyone represented Esher in a match meant the key objectives of the season were met.

Regularly providing six players to County or District left a weakened side near the bottom after three games. However, spurred on by a terrific victory over Wimbledon without any District players – led by mid-order resistance from William Page and William Sanders supported by penetrating bowling from William S and Zain Shaikh – the team never looked back. Undefeated from then on the A's won the league in a fierce squall on the last day of the season. Unfortunately Wimbledon had earlier taken their revenge by three runs in the cup semi-final. Harry Alderson topped the runs scored,

run close by Henry Calvert. The strength of the squad was demonstrated by the fact that nine batsmen hit retirement scores or high 20's. Ashtead felt the full force of the batting in conceding 175 in 20 overs with three retirements. Particularly pleasing was the batting of Jack Musk, whose keeping goes from strength to strength, William Page (83 runs) and Charlie Winder. William Sanders was one of only two players with a strike rate above 100. Charlie Winder again led the bowling who together with James Allan, Ed Darwin and William Sanders (5 wkts) took the lion's share of the work. Strong support was provided by match winning performances from Zain Shaikh and Oliver Harwood's improving spin (6 wkts) which when bowled in tandem with Charlie tied most middle orders down. Best individual match performance came from James Vyvyan with 4 for 8 in a very tight low scoring match against a full strength Banstead. The role of captain was much more important this year with coaching from the sideline outlawed (not that the opposition had read that rule). Harry Alderson, Charlie Winder and William Sanders shared the role depending on availability. Although decision making was not always to the coach's liking and at times represented a Greek cabinet meeting it was generally positive in batting first and aggressive in bowling changes and positioning, but within the spirit of the game. Experience in decision making and field placing will stand us in good stead next year. District matches and hectic lifestyles created availability difficulties and selection nightmares, but also provided opportunity for others to step up. Twenty-six players represented the A's in the season.

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William Moss impressed in his batting and deputised ably behind the stumps. New to the squad Ed Brown bowled with great pace and Sam Spink batted and played with boundless enthusiasm and growing expertise.

We were good enough to have won the other leagues, but availability cost us at the end of the season with weakened sides and concessions. Excellent leadership was shown by William Moss and William Chambers who balanced ruthless demolition of the opposition with involvement for all. The strength in depth of the squad remains with strong performances from Joe Campbell, William Paskell, Imraan Janmohamed, Nick Forbes and Richard Fourie. Following successful winter nets the talent of William Raynsford and Luke Emmins began to emerge.

Through a lot of rain and some shine the season would not have been possible without Richard Darwin's support, the coaching of Duncan and team and the match managing and umpiring of Matthew Raynsford, Mark Emmins, Mark Campbell and Andrew Forbes. Thank you also to Tamara Balasuriya and Helen Forbes for raising the bar in the quality of teas provided at WSYCL games. Thank you to them and many others who helped in particular 'Statto' Sanders and 'Trigger' Allan.

Under 11s Player Awards

Most Improved Player: William Moss

Batting: Harry Alderson

Bowling: Charlie Winder

All Rounder: Jack Musk

Leading Averages

Batting	Innings	Runs	Average	Best	Strike Rate
Harry Alderson	5	146	146.0	30*	93
Henry Calvert	11	143	28.6	33*	83
Charlie Winder	10	122	17.4	34*	95
Jack Musk	5	99	49.5	31*	85
Ed Darwin	8	90	12.9	27	65

Bowling	Overs	Wickets	Average	Economy	Best	Strike Rate
Charlie Winder	39.0	14	7.6	2.7	3/11	16.7
James Allan	19.4	11	6.5	3.7	3/3	10.7
Ed Darwin	30.5	9	16.0	4.7	2/5	20.6
Zain Shaikh	27.0	9	9.9	3.3	3/7	18.0
Henry Calvert	16.0	8	9.4	4.7	2/10	12.0

Esher CC playing kit

All adult and young cricketer members are encouraged to wear the Esher CC playing kit whilst representing the Club in any team.

Esher CC playing shirts, caps and training kit are available to purchase at the Club on Sunday mornings and from behind the bar at other times.

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Age Group Reports

Under 10s (Roger Koep)

2011 was another successful season, with good attendance at games and coaching throughout the season, strong improvement from the whole group and good results in our matches. The move to hard ball was eagerly anticipated and enjoyed by the boys who could now more readily identify with their heroes. Most of the boys made this transition seamlessly and the biggest improvement from the U9 year has been in the bowling department, where almost without exception every boy is now able to bowl consistently without fear of conceding a string of wides.

We had almost 50 boys in the age group and whilst there was a divergence of ability it was heartening to witness the enthusiasm and improvement of a talented group of boys who started to become real cricketers in both technique and attitude.

In all, we played over 20 matches, competing in the West Surrey Youth Cricket League ('WSYCL'), the Gladys Chitty League ('Gladys Chitty'), the WSYCL Cup as well as a number of festivals and internal fixtures.

We were very competitive in the WSYCL League finishing third by virtue of two very narrow losses to Teddington and Ashtead, both by six runs. A win in either of those fixtures would have seen us win our Division. We won five out of eight games with the Sunbury match abandoned because of a waterlogged wicket. Teddington were to again prove our nemesis as they had in the U9 year as we too lost narrowly to them in the Esher festival – off the last ball and in the WCYCL Cup semi-final. In a pulsating match on a poor wicket we gamely set about defending a modest score of 71, only narrowly losing to a couple of scrambled singles in the final over. The match was fitting of two very evenly matched sides, with Teddington's fantastic

team spirit and astute cricket seeing them home just as it looked like our boys had fought their way back into the tie. Our performance in the Gladys Chitty also saw us finish third winning six out of nine fixtures. This was most commendable given that we adopted a policy of giving as many boys as possible competitive cricket, meaning that we were often fielding two to three teams over a weekend, sometimes against other clubs A and B teams. The fact that we were still able to be competitive was testimony to our strength in depth, also evident in the fact that more than 20 boys featured in the A team at one time or other over the season. In almost all cases we continued with a policy of all boys bowling their allotment of overs, thus contributing fully in each match played. Our season of near misses and poor luck was epitomised by the Horsley and Send festival where we were eliminated on a rain induced count back just when our boys were looking forward to a three way play-off with the hosts and Teddington.

Some standout performances over the season included two bowling displays by Elliot Rumble, a hat trick against Walton as well as a five wicket haul against Thames Ditton. Andrew McCallum was very consistent throughout the season with strong batting displays his hallmark whilst Austin Wilman excelled with both bat and ball. Nick Morgan had some fiery spells with the ball and some explosive innings over the course of the season.

Much credit for the improvement in the boys' skill levels must go to Sohail as well as Duncan and his coaching staff. Thank you also to the many parents who assisted with coaching, scoring and umpiring, but especially to Simon Morgan, Richard Wilman, Neil McCallum, Steven Grubb and John Craig who were ever present. Georgina Morgan deserves special praise for assisting me throughout the season.

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Young Cricketers – Reports and Averages continued

Age Group Reports

Under 9s (Neil Fletcher and Jonathan Barrett)

48 Esher U9 boys played over 40 matches in the North East Central (NEC) and West Surrey (WSYCL) leagues. It was the first time Esher had entered the NEC league (which starts hardball earlier than the WSYCL) as we wanted to progress the boys to hardball cricket a year early. Every player in the age group ultimately experienced hard ball cricket in practice or matches. Eight boys also tried their hand at the art of captaincy. Esher U9s had a fantastic season winning the NEC League and Championship, WSYCL League and Cup and both the Esher and East Horsley tournaments. Guildford prevented a clean sweep by pipping us to the championship in the last over of the final at New Road. Unfortunately bad weather prevented us completing all the Gladys Chitty fixtures. A number of awards were presented at the end of the season reflecting great individual achievements.

Special thanks must go to Duncan and his coaching team for their great support. Also thanks to all the scorers, in particular Jonathon Manuel, and the Chandlers for working out the averages. Thanks too to David Crook, Duncan Cole, Richard Bagshaw, Simon Hotchin, Andrew Davies, Ian Marriott and Hamish Miles for managing teams at matches. Biggest thanks to Sarah Fletcher for organising us all with such efficient match admin. Thanks to all the parents for your support during a great season.



Under 9s

End of Season Awards

Most Improved Player: Rory Harris.

Also considered for this award were Denil Manuel and Arlie Talboys for their wicket-keeping skills, Marcus Rhodes for his all round performances and Dax Frame for his batting.

Batting: Jack Fletcher.

Also considered for this award were Isaac Bagshaw, Ollie Hotchin, Max Hunt, Fabian Pountney and Arlie Talboys who were all not out in their matches. Sam Calvert, Denil Manuel and Thomas Chandler all scored prolifically with over 200 runs in the season.

Bowling: Ollie Phillips.

This is a particularly hard fought award in this age group where the bowling and fielding was excellent. Alex Cole, Ed Crook, Fabian Pountney,

Leading Averages

Batting – qualify 10 innings

	Innings	Not Out	Runs	Average
Thomas Chandler	14	11	208	69.33
Lorenzo Fourie	15	12	139	46.33
Jack Fletcher	21	13	265	33.13
Denil Manuel	18	11	228	32.57
Marcus Rhodes	18	12	165	27.50
Sam Calvert	20	12	200	25.00

Bowling – qualify 20 overs

	Overs	Wickets	Runs	Average	Economy
Ollie Phillips	42	29	149	5.14	3.55
Lorenzo Fourie	28	16	86	5.38	3.07
Thomas Chandler	32	17	99	5.82	3.09
Joe Jeans	42	22	143	6.50	3.40
Angus Barrett	32	15	103	6.87	3.22

Max Hunt and Ollie Hotchin all bowled particularly well.

All Rounder: Thomas Chandler.

Other notable contenders included Anand Karia who scored at an average of 31 with the bat and took 7 wickets at an average of 4. Lorenzo Fourie averaged 46 with the bat and took 16 wickets @ 5.

Best Newcomer: Jo Jeanes.

Also considered for this award were Jack Meanley, William Holyoake, Alex Weatherstone, Max Madden and Alex Page. As these boys joined us, we bade a fond farewell to Jack Miles as he emigrated to Australia at the end of the season.

Champagne Moment: Sammy Cowan.

There were a number of highlights during the year but Sammy's amazing high speed left handed catch at the Horsley tournament won the award – a feat he repeated in a subsequent match.

Under 8s (Glen Harrison)

This was a very enjoyable and successful season for a very talented group of boys. The NEC league side won all their league matches to claim the area title which included comprehensive wins over strong Spencer and Dulwich teams. In late August they played the winners of the other NEC area to become overall champions. The side also won all their friendly matches and the Esher Festival. Each and every player contributed to the success with Ninaad Surana, Freddie Harrison and Hadi Shaikh being the leading wicket takers.

Joseph McMurray is a hugely talented and technically superb batsman, and was a tremendous wicket keeper. Jo Moss was the leading run scorer and was exceptional in the field. Jo formed a formidable opening partnership with Alex Clinton who was brilliant with bat and ball. Alex has emigrated to Australia and we all wish him and the family well and look forward to seeing him in the future playing for Esher.

The year group was very strong and we were able to have the depth of talent to put out three teams on many occasions. All boys played in at least three or four friendly matches and Esher managed to put out three teams in the Festival. The Lions played some exceptional cricket throughout the year and many boys impressed and will push for



Under 8s

the league side next year. Max Franks emerged as a brilliant wicket-keeper batsman: Ben Dickinson, Anish Kocchar, Christian Collier and Alex O'Brien were superb all-rounders. All these boys represented the league side and were more than comfortable in that company. The most pleasing aspect of the season was seeing how much fun they all had. Watching the boys playing cricket/rugby/rounders into the dark night following the Dad's match/Barbecue epitomised how much they enjoyed being in each others' company. The contribution and support from all the parents was indicative of the brilliant atmosphere that Esher CC provides for young sportsmen to flourish.

These lucky boys have been coached brilliantly from an early age by Alex, Duncan and more recently Sohail. A huge thank you to all of them on behalf of the boys and parents of the U8s. Thank you also to Adam Glover and Steve McMurray for their superb help with the League side and to Jonathan Dickinson, Jonathan Collier and Manish Aggerwal for helping to run the Lions and Panthers. Thank you also to all the mums and dads who scored throughout the season – it could not happen without you!

We all look forward to seeing the boys progress next year and see how they adapt to the hard ball.

Young Cricketers – Reports and Averages continued

Age Group Reports

Under 7s (Andrew Baiden)

The U7s had an excellent season with a group of enthusiastic young cricketers, many of whom developed rapidly during the course of the season.

The age group consisted of 45 very committed boys who demonstrated their enthusiasm for the game with good attendance and lots of practice at home. Coaches Steve Wade, Jonny Pughe and Andrew Baiden were supported by mums and dads who helped with all aspects of the season, from Sunday sessions to umpiring and scoring to welfare and registration. The coaches helped the boys focus on the three main disciplines of bowling, batting and fielding and we saw some real leaps forward this year.

We managed five matches, against two Esher U8 sides, two U8 sides from Oxshott and a match against Horsley. One game stands out, the match against Oxshott, where our B's despatched the opposition efficiently and our A's came a whisker away from pulling off a last-ball win against older opposition.

Next year we hope to get lots more matches and give the boys the chance to play in competitive games, which they are all looking forward to.

The weekly awards for excellence proved popular and we will develop more awards next year as we take part in more competitive matches. All in all an excellent second season for the boys and the signs we are developing not one or two, but maybe three competitive sides for the future.

Esher CC Cricket Courses

Esher CC will run a series of cricket courses for Young Cricketers during the Easter holidays, summer half-terms and summer holidays.

Courses are staffed by ECB Level 1 and 2 coaches and run from 9.30am to 1pm Monday to Friday.

Easter Holiday Course Dates:

Monday 26th March
Monday 2nd April
Monday 9th April

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(Note: It is recommended that you liaise with other parents in your age group to ensure that players from the same age groups try to attend the same courses.)

Under 6s (Duncan Pauline)

It was great to see so many U6s last season learning the basics of the game from the experienced coaching team of Chandra De Mel, Richard Cook and well led by Alex Szepietowski. The improvements were there to see, by the middle of the season most of the group were bowling with a run up, had a solid bowling action, a good follow through and most importantly used a straight arm.

The group had skill sessions involving basic fielding techniques including short catching, the long barrier, interception and the under arm flick; all good grounding for their cricket to come. Always the most difficult to get to grips with is the batting side of the game, to be able to play with a straight bat when required. The coaches started with the grip, stance and back swing and progressed during the season to some basic cricket shots including the ever favourite 'Pull Shot', Forward Defensive, and Forward Drive.

During the mini practice matches the coaches introduced the correct calling procedures, how to run between the wickets and run your bat in and how to judge a run.

Next season we will introduce the group to some friendly matches against other clubs and a series of internal practise matches. A huge thanks to the army of helpers on each Sunday morning session, it makes such a difference to the development of the group.

Under 5s (Duncan Pauline)

Great to see cricketers starting off so young and amazing to see what they can do at this age. The Thursday afternoon sessions were a lot of fun with the young cricketers learning the very basics of the game and playing many mini kwik cricket matches within the group. By the end of the 10 week course most had an understanding of bowling with a straight arm, some fielding techniques and the basics of batting.

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The Green Shoots of Youth

Hopefully, 2011 will prove a watershed year as the numbers of young cricketers representing the adult teams increased, and with success. Duncan Pauline writes from the boundary's edge.

In all 5 young players scored hundreds for Esher, with Charan Gill also scoring a century when representing the Wanderers:

- Nick Woolhead
- Alex Waghorn
- Tim Clews
- William Tilston
- Charan Gill
- Tom McClean

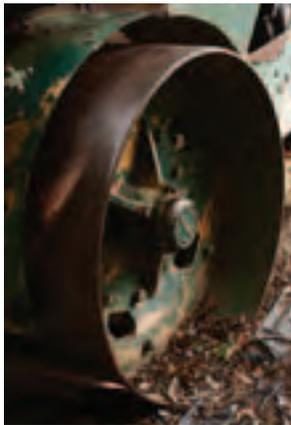
Of the hundreds, I saw all but Tim Clew's and all were fantastic and all were very different. What pleased me most was the maturity and good solid technique they showed in achieving them, which will stay with these lads for the remainder of their cricketing careers. Jamie Abbott on his return from schools cricket scored well in the 1's and scored heavily for the Wanderers on Sundays. Marcel Van Wyk scored his first 50 in adult cricket for the 3's. With the ball, Nick Winder bowled superbly for the 3's and then the 2's returning 3 for 20 off 8 overs in the final league match, and also bowled a fine spell of 4-18 off 8 overs in a 40-over game against Bradfield Waifs. Jack McClean's spell against the MCC was very powerful and looked high class, with good pace and great control he removed

4 very good top order MCC batsmen. To me, he looked like Stuart Meaker when he was 15! Alex Waghorn played half a dozen 1st XI league matches and gained useful experience.

Andrew Woodhouse, Thomas Burnett and Demetri all bowled well on occasions. Behind the stumps Nick Woolhead did a good job and was surprisingly agile for a giant, whether he is going to defy the odds and become a good wicket-keeper whilst being 6ft 6ins is up for debate but he enjoys it and does a good job.

The holiday coaching sessions provided by the club certainly helped technically and further bonded the players with the club; improvement was there for all to see in all areas of their game. With the talented U14s beginning to come through we must have 20 + YC's that will be playing 1st and 2nd team cricket in the next couple of years. The disappointing area was availability, these lads hardly played more than 4 or 5 matches for Esher each. What a season it could have been!!!

The key objective for the club is to help ensure that all the young players continue to enjoy playing for Esher, and form the backbone of a strong adult playing section. The future's bright, the future's orange – or so some say – and next season an Esher Academy side will indeed be in orange in the Surrey Trust League. Ebby would not be amused!



Social events

180 people attended the end of season ball in September which rounded off a successful season both on and off the field. It is our intention to make this an annual event which is not only a fitting way to conclude the season but also provides much needed funds for the Club. A very big thank you to Zoe Byrne and her team for organising the event. We have yet to decide if the ball in 2012 will be mid-summer or in September as usual.

Vince Chandler arranged the popular 'Friends of Esher lunch' in June. The event was attended by 35 friends of Esher who enjoyed a splendid lunch followed by watching the U15's cruise to victory over Wimbledon in the afternoon.

A schedule of events planned for 2012 is given below:

Saturday, 12th May	Start of the league season Comedy evening	Contact Andy Wales andy@andywales.co.uk
Friday, 8th June	Friends of Esher lunch	Contact Vince Chandler vachandler@btinternet.com
Saturday, 23rd June	Summer Garden Party	Contact Andy Wales andy@andywales.co.uk
Saturday, 1st September	End of Season party	Contact Andy Wales andy@andywales.co.uk
TBC	Summer/End of Season Ball	Contact John Woolhead johnwoolhead@ntlworld.com

Esher CC Golf – Tour to Seaford

Esher CC's annual golf tour to Seaford, approaching its 50th year, welcomed a few new, if not necessarily young, faces. The usual mix of cricketing golf, reminisces of the glory days and Harvey's Best was on offer.

In the main competition, the early pace was set by Barrett and Coutts. In a change to normal policy, the opportunity was taken to put out the overnight leaders in the final group, who all responded with minor collapses. This let in

Paul Rimmer, who won with a total of 69 points, and thus made the 25,000 mile round trip worthwhile. The annual 'Hairies vs Baldies' foursomes match was bolstered by the true Aussie baldie to support Pete Segal against Robinson and Parvin, but in the end Winder and Allbrook defied their individual form to win going away.

Next year's dates are 5th–7th of October. If interested, please contact Jules Winder.



Surrey Championship 2012 fixtures

	First XI	Second XI	Third XI
5th May	Ashford (A)	Sanderstead (H)	Kingstonian (A)
12th May	Leatherhead (H)	Valley End (A)	Thames Ditton (A)
19th May	Walton on Thames (H)	Purley (A)	Sanderstead (H)
26th May	Worcester Park (A)	Worcester Park (H)	Addiscombe (H)
2nd June	Farnham (H)	Old Whitgiftians (A)	SinjunGrammarians (H)*
9th June	Trinity Midwhitgiftians (A)	Camberley (H)	Stains & Laleham (A)
16th June	Cobham Avorians (H)	Old Wimbledonians (A)	Kempton (H)
23rd June	Horsley & Send (A)	Bank of England (H)	Old Emanuel (A)
30th June	Ashford (H)	Sanderstead (A)	Ashford (H)
7th July	Pyrford (H)	Old Rutlishians (A)	Streatham & Marlborough (A)
14th July	Walton on Thames (A)	Purley (H)	Woking & Horsell (A)
21st July	Worcester Park (H)	Worcester Park (A)	Farnham (A)
28th July	No match	No match	No match
4th August	Leatherhead (A)	Valley End (H)	Purley (H)
11th August	Horsley & Send (H)	Bank of England (A)	Guildford City (H)
18th August	Cobham Avorians (A)	Old Wimbledonians (H)	Chertsey (A)
25th August	Farnham (A)	Old Whitgiftians (H)	Mertsham (A)
1st September	Pyrford (A)	Old Rutlishians (H)	Worcester Park (H)
8th September	Trinity Midwhitgiftians (H)	Camberley (A)	

All 3rd XI home matches will be played at Imber Court except on the 2nd June which will be played at Old Tiiffs*



Other fixtures 2012

Date	Opposition	Venue	Team	Time
Fri 13th April	Guildford City	Home	Snr Dev	1330
Sat 14th April	Claygate	Home	A XI	1300
Sat 14th April	East Molesey	Away	1st XI	1300
Sun 15th April	Frimley	Home	1st XI	1300
Thur 19th April	St. Pauls School	Home	Jnr Dev	1400
Sat 21st April	Valley End	Home	1st XI	1300
Sat 21st April	Valley End	Away	2nd XI	1300
Sun 22nd April	London University	Home	1st XI	1300
Sat 28th April	Chessington	Away	1st XI	1300
Sat 28th April	Chessington	Home	2nd XI	1300
Sun 29th April	Old Cranleighans	Home	1st XI	1300
Sun 6th May	Old Hamptonians 20/20 cup	Home	1st XI	1300
BHM 7th May	U9 Colts Festival	Home	U9	0930
Sun 13th May	U9 Family day	Home	U9	1300
Sun 20th May	Albert Arms v Brixton	Home	Albert	1300
Sun 27th May	Presidents XI	Home	1st XI	1230
Sun 3rd June	U8 Colts Festival	Home	U8	0930
Sun 3rd June	Oxshott	Away	Dev	1300
BHM 4th June	U11 Colts Festival	Home	U11	0930
BHT 5th June	U10 Colts Festival	Home	U10	0930
BHT 5th June	Normandy Away	Away	Dev	1300
Sun 10th June	Normandy	Home	Dev	1300
Sun 17th June	Albert Arms v Marnies	Home	Albert	1300
Sun 24th June	Old England	Home	Esher XI	1300
Sun 1st July	Wanderers v London NZ	Home	Wand	1300
Sun 1st July	Chessington	Away	Dev	1300
Sun 8th July	Leatherhead	Home	Dev	1300
Sat 14th July	Ashtead	Home*	Acad	1300
Sun 15th July	Wanderers	Home	1st XI	1230
Thur 19th July	Surrey U12 v Essex	Home	Surrey	1300
Sat 21st July	Academy XI Old Whitgiftians	Away	Acad	1400
Sun 22nd July	Dev XI TBC	TBC	Dev	1300
Wed 25th July	Surrey U14 v Norfolk	Home	Surrey	1300
Sun 29th July	Wanderers v Old Seagulls	Home	Wand	1300
Mon 30th July	Surrey U12 v Hertfordshire	Home	Surrey	1300
Sat 4th August	Chertsey	Away	Acad	1300
Sun 5th August	Oxshott	Home	Dev	1300
Fri 10th August	Surrey U9 v Surrey U10	Home	Surrey	1300
Sat 11th August	Academy XI TBC	TBC	Acad	1300
Sun 12th August	Bradfield Waifs	Home	Dev	1300
Wed 15th August	Surrey U 12 District Challenge	Home	Surrey	1300
Sat 18th August	Chertsey	Home*	Acad	1300
Sun 19th August	Wanderers v Stoics	Home	Wand	1300
Sun 26th August	George Morris Memorial	Home		1300
Sun 2nd September	U14 Cup final	Home	U14	1000
Sun 9th September	Esher Eng v Esher ROW	Home	Esher XI	1300

*To be played at Imber Court

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Notice of Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Notice is hereby given that the AGM of Esher Cricket Club (The Club) will be held on Tuesday, 27th March 2012 at 7.30 pm in the Clubhouse, 47, New Road, Esher, Surrey KT10 9NU.

The following resolutions will be proposed:

1. To elect J A Woolhead as Chairman of the Club.
2. To approve the minutes of the 2011 AGM (note 1).
3. To approve the Accounts for the year to 30th September 2011 (note 2).
4. To elect the officers of The Club (note 3).
5. To elect The Management and Young Cricketer Committees (note 3).
6. To re-elect D Tilston as Independent Reviewer of the Accounts.
7. To approve the 2012 subscription rates as follows:

Full playing member	£145 (£120 if paid by 31st May 2012)
Full time student	£75 (£65 if paid by 31st May 2012)
Social member	£25
Life member	£1,500
Resident social member*	£120
Young Cricketer U11 to U16	£150
Young Cricketer U9 & U10	£140
Young Cricketer U6 to U8	£130
Young Cricketer U5	£95
Girls	£130

*including 200 Club membership

The young Cricketer subscription includes family membership. A reduction of £25 will apply to the above subscription of each sibling within the immediate family.

8. Any other business

Once the formal business of the meeting has concluded a question and answer session will be held at which any issues relating to the Club can be raised and discussed.

Notes

1. The minutes of the 2011 AGM will be displayed on the Club notice board for 15 days prior to the meeting. Copies will be available at the meeting.
2. The Accounts can be found on page 6 of this report.
3. The Officers of the Club and the membership of the Committees can be found on page 40 of this report. Any alternative nominations must be received by the Secretary 7 days before the meeting.



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