

Welcome to our first newsletter of 2014. We hope you enjoy it and find it informative. Any comments to neil.mooney1@hotmail.com



Kimble Cricket Club

Continued investment in 2014

Well 2013 certainly proved an exciting year for Kimble CC and I see no reason for that momentum to stop in 2014. As a club we pretty much achieved all our targets in 2013 both on and off the field. We managed to bring new investment into the club, significantly enhance the training facilities, bolstered the clubs coaching staff and put two very competitive teams on the field every weekend culminating with the 1sts being promoted back to Division 4 of the Cherwell league. We need to keep moving forward and will continue to invest in 2014. We will have more qualified coaches than ever before so we can continue to invest in our junior teams as this is the life blood of the club and creates the backbone for our senior teams (9 out of the 11 1st team players came from our junior ranks!)



However to achieve our goals we need to have your continued support. I thank you all for your support up to now and I hope to see you all back at the club in 2014 but this time please bring a friend, irrespective of age or ability, as this will help us continue to grow as a club and if you can spare any time we are always happy to welcome new people to help out at the club as there's still a lot to do! So here's to another successful year and I hope to see many of you at winter nets. **Roy Stackhouse, Chairman.**

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Achievements in past 12 months:

- ✓ new artificial surface twin lane practice nets
- ✓ new state of the art bowling machine
- ✓ new junior coaching equipment (> £1000)
- ✓ increased qualified coaches for 2014
- ✓ 1st team promoted
- ✓ 9 out of the 1st team regulars developed through Kimble Junior system
- ✓ new club website

Annual General Meeting: 7pm Wed Feb 19 at the Bricklayers Arms, Aylesbury (function room). All very welcome. Come along. Get involved!

NEW Junior Section Leader required – start March

We are looking for someone with new ideas, organisation and drive to take on leading our Junior section. Role involves developing junior membership e.g. school liaison, coordinating junior practice nights and liaison with players, coaches and parents. The role does NOT require any cricket coaching or detailed cricket knowledge or expertise as we have several keen coaches, although more always welcome. Anyone interested contact Roy Stackhouse roystackhouse@sky.com

Early 2014 Diary Dates

- Feb 19@7pm AGM
- Feb 25 1st indoor practice
- April 14 1st outdoor Monday night for JUNIORS (t.b.c.)
- April 16 1st outdoor SENIOR practice net (t.b.c.)
- April 26 v Bledlow Ridge (Cup)
- May 3 Quiz Night
- May 10 1st League matches for Sat 1s and 2s

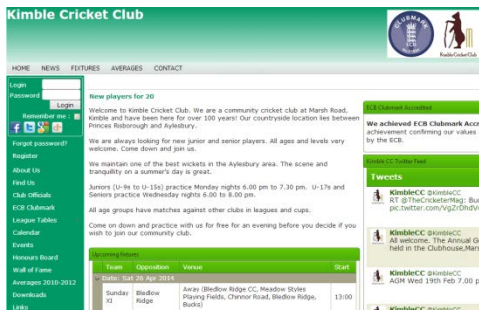
Extra Qualified Coaches boost for Monday nights

Tony Skeggs and Bob Whitehead are both taking their Level 2 coaching qualification this winter. So for the new season we will have FOUR qualified Level 2 coaches working under the guidance of our Head Coach, Dave Richards. There are few Clubs in the area who have as many qualified coaches. We look forward to running great coaching and practice sessions in the new season. So please bring your children down on Monday evenings and encourage other parents to do the same.

Use the club website ...its good!

Following the successful launch of a new club website 12 months ago, here is an update as to what you can find on it:

- ✓ Club latest news / updates including social media feeds
- ✓ Fixtures and results for all Junior & Senior fixtures
- ✓ Latest league tables
- ✓ Practice night on / off confirmation (if weather uncertain)
- ✓ Social event dates & details
- ✓ Averages and Kimble Wall of Fame (50s, 100s, 5 wickets)
- ✓ Links to other cricket websites e.g. opposition maps



All members have their own login to maintain their latest contact and match availability details at any time. Any queries contact Neil Mooney or Stuart Skeggs .

Bring along a NEW Junior or Senior Member

We seek new Junior and Senior members of all abilities. Please encourage others you may know to come along and try us out. We really would like to see a lot more new faces throughout the Club.

Annual General Meeting: 7pm Wed Feb 19

Our AGM will be held at the Bricklayers Arms (gyratory system, Aylesbury). Please come along to hear how we are getting on and our plans for the future. We are keen to hear your views and we would really like some more people to get involved with the running of the Club.

New Club Welfare Officer required

After many years of wonderful service, Toni Russel has decided to step down from the role of Welfare Officer. We would like to hear from anyone interested in taking on this important role which helps to ensure that we provide a safe and supportive environment for children to learn to play cricket. If interested, please contact one of the Committee.

2013 teams & competitions

Juniors: Aylesbury & District Midweek League for all age groups. League website: admcl.co.uk
Juniors aged 14 upwards may also get the opportunity to play in the senior teams.

Seniors: Saturdays: 1st XI Division 4 and 2nd XI Division 9. League website: cherwellcricketleague.co.uk

Sundays: Senior friendly matches most Sundays.
National Village Cup; Bucks Cup.



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2013 End of Season Awards

- **1st Team Batting:** Bradley Rose
- **1st Team Bowling:** Phil Semmens
- **2nd Team Batting:** Tony Skeggs
- **2nd Team Bowling:** Arron Allison
- **Young Player:** Arron Allison
- **Best Performance:** Stuart Skeggs
- **Most Sixes:** Michael Stackhouse
- **Most Ducks:** Dan Bull

Kimble indoor nets

Winter practice at Waddesdon School
25th Feb to 1st Apr

Every Tuesday @ 6.00 to 7.30 pm
For over 14s and seniors

Structured practice / £2 per session
Head Coach: Dave Richards

Club Contacts

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Stuart Skeggs – Fixture Secretary
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Adrian Rose – Sat 1st XI Captain
Tony Skeggs – Sat 2nd XI Captain
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Pete Spinks – Treasurer

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Dave Richards – Head Coach

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Neil Mooney – Publicity

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Vacant – Welfare Officer

Vacant – Junior Section Coordinator

Don't play, but want to get involved?
Interested in helping with junior matches or umpiring junior / senior games or to help out in the kitchen or bar? If so, talk to Roy Stackhouse