

HURLEY 2nd v Littlewick Green 2nd

Date: 2nd May

Played at Littlewick Green

Innings of Littlewick Green 2nd

W. Green		b. Wright	5
M. Hickman		b. Wright	8
K. Oelofse		b. Wright	3
V. Mamm	Hit Wicket	b. Taylor	37
P. Parkhouse		b. Arshad	4
S. Lane	c. Ali	b. Kayani	31
D. Herron	c. M. Walton	b. Kayani	1
C. Green	c. Ali	b. Kayani	2
C. Sethi		b. Kayani	0
D. Clegg	Not out		0
J. Heron	c. Kayani	b. Taylor	0
		Extras	39
		Total	130
		For	10

Bowling

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wkts.
D. Wright	11	1	26	3
I. Arshad	8	2	28	1
S. Kayani	7	1	34	4
Y. Ali	3	0	27	0
S. Taylor	1.1	0	6	2

Innings of Hurley 2nd

I. Arshad		b. Sethi	12
D. Wright		b. Sethi	47
S. Draper		b. Sethi	11
S. Taylor	Not out		33
J. Patrick	Run Out		17
D. Walton	Not out		1
		Extras	13
		Total	134
		For	4

Bowling

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wkts.
K. Oelofse	8	1	54	0
C. Sethi	7	1	31	3
S. Lane	2	0	9	0
J. Herron	4	1	5	0
C. Green	3	0	18	0
V. Mamm	3	0	9	0
D. Herron	2	1	3	0
D. Clegg	0.2	0	4	0

Result: Hurley 2nd Won by 6 wickets.

Hurley 2nd XI got their Chiltern League season off to a flying start with maximum points at local rivals Littlewick Green. The Green won the toss and chose to bat first but it was Hurley skipper, Darryn Wright (3 for 26) who was the first to strike dismissing the top three home batsmen in his first four overs. Bill Green (5) could consider himself a little unlucky to be bowled by a delivery which kept low, but Wright thoroughly deserved his three wickets, beating the outside edge on numerous occasions. Imran Arshad got some reward for an impressive spell of eight overs picking up the wicket of Paul Parkhouse (4) to reduce the hosts to forty-two for four after twelve overs. A fifty-six run partnership between Vic Mamm (37) and Steve Lane (31) brought some respectability to the score card and gave Littlewick brief hopes of posting a decent total on a two paced wicket. These hopes were ended by Shoaib Kayani (4 for 34) in the space of six overs as the home side subsided to 122 for 8. A couple of wickets for Steve Taylor (2 for 6) mopped up the tail as the Green were bowled out for 130 in thirty overs.

This score never looked like being enough runs to deny Hurley and the visitors set about the chase at an impressive rate. When Arshad (12) dragged a delivery from Sethi onto his stumps in the sixth over the opening partnership had already reached forty-four. Wright continued the onslaught with forty-seven from twenty-seven deliveries before falling in the same manner as his

opening partner. Despite losing Sam Draper, bowled Sethi for eleven and Jono Patrick, unluckily run out when the bowler deflected a fierce drive from Taylor onto the non striker's wicket, Hurley never looked in danger of losing. A solid thirty-three not out from Taylor saw the visitors home with forty overs to spare.