

# HATLEY CRICKET CLUB

## Fixtures, results and match reports 2013

### Hatley and Arrington Cricket Club team members [possibly]

|                        |                           |              |
|------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| Tim 'Henry' Davenport  | Luke 'Kallis' Knibbs      | Melvin Perry |
| Jamie Gooch            | Matt Knibbs               | Willy Perry  |
| Frank Hooley – Captain | Paul 'Gazza' Knibbs       | Tom Slater   |
| Greg Hooley            | Brendan Larder            | Matt Steele  |
| Andrew 'Smokey' Jakes  | Nick Lenton               | Bob Warman   |
| Kevin 'Bobby' Knibbs   | Mick Marshall – President |              |

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| MONTH     | SUNDAY | OPPOSITION      | VENUE | START   | RESULT                              |
|-----------|--------|-----------------|-------|---------|-------------------------------------|
| April     | 21     | Chippenham      | Home  | 1.30 pm | Hatley lost by 28 runs              |
| April     | 28     | Barley          | Away  | 1.30 pm | Hatley won by 6 runs                |
| May       | 5      | Guilden Morden  | Home  | 2.00 pm | No match – GM couldn't raise a team |
| May       | 12     | Eltisley        | Away  | 2.00 pm | Hatley lost by 88 runs              |
| May       | 19     |                 |       |         | No match                            |
| May       | 26     |                 |       |         | No match                            |
| June      | 2      | Hare Street     | Home  | 2.00 pm | Hatley won by 89 runs               |
| June      | 9      |                 |       |         |                                     |
| June      | 16     | Shefford        | Home  | 2.00 pm | Hatley lost on the last ball.       |
| June      | 23     | Barley          | Home  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| June      | 30     | Hare Street     | Away  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| July      | 7      | Robin Harris XI | Home  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| July      | 14     | Guilden Morden  | Away  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| July      | 21     | Milton          | Away  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| July      | 28     | Aspenden        | Away  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| August    | 4      | Shefford        | Away  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| August    | 11     |                 |       |         |                                     |
| August    | 18     | Aspenden        | Home  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| August    | 25     | Chippenham      | Away  | 2.00 pm |                                     |
| September | 1      | Milton          | Home  | 1.00 pm |                                     |
| September | 9      | Arkley          | Home  | 1.00 pm |                                     |

## Reports



## Match reports – 2013

### June 16 – Home to Shefford

*Hatley lost on the last ball*

By Matt Knibbs

Hatley played Shefford on Sunday and it was an exciting finish. Russ Nicholson did not play as he was on the Tadlow to Tenerife time trial.

Hatley had to play with 10 men for an hour as Cliffy Dixon stormed off to speak to his young lad Matty after he bought him the same CD for the fifth year running for Fathers Day.

Hatley batted first and scored 208 for 7, Bobby Warman hit a chanceless 62 and Barry Walker 64. Shefford won off the last ball of the game, Big John Anderson hit 82 and Hatley's new overseas player M Pateman took three wickets.

Hatley president Mick Marshall saved the day when he ran home at tea to raid his shop for milk and sugar.

The Match Ball sponsor was **Lenton's Helping Hands of Swayde.**

### June 2 – Home to Hare Street

*Hatley won by 89 runs*

By Matt Knibbs

Hatley played Hare Street on Sunday. Hatley were without top run scorer Tim Davenport, who was away on a camping holiday with the Perrys, and youngster Matty Dixon who was at a JLS concert.

Hatley batted first and set a total of 329 for 5. Bobby Warman, Andy Jakes and Lee Smith all getting into the 60s. Hatley all rounder Matty Knibbs retired with a torn fetlock.

At the tea interval, club member Kev Knibbs was sent home by President Marshall after commenting on the state of the Hatley pitch.

In reply, Hare Street were bowled out for 240. K Ward top scored with 138.

The Match Ball sponsor was **Russ Nicholson Tanning in Tadlow.**

### May 12 – Away to Eltisle

*Hatley lost by 88 runs*

By Nick Lenton

Hatley played Eltisley in a big local derby on Sunday despite the bad weather. Matt Knibbs did not play as he said he was working for Tadlow Taxis but was spotted playing hide and seek with the Dixon brothers Matty and Cliffy.

Hatley wheeled out veteran Paul Murden to replace Russ Nicholson who was at a over 65s cycling convention.

Eltisley batted first and scored 205 for 7, Relihan top scored with 80 and Lenton took 4 for 17. Hatley struggled to 117 for 8, Murden top scoring with 36.

Big hitting Davenport was sent out to open and rattled the score along scoring 7 off 100 balls. Greg Hooley refused to bat after being put at number 11; he said after the game Hatley would have won if he had opened the batting.

Hatley is without a game for two weeks now – and hope to have removed Bobby Warman from his sofa to play in the next game.

The Match Ball sponsor was **Perrys Grass Cutting Services of Tadlow.**

### **April 28 – Away to Barley**

*Hatley won by six runs*

**By Matt Knibbs**

Hatley played Barley on Sunday in a very close game. Luke Knibbs did not play as he has emigrated to Tetworth Hill. Russ Nicholson failed to get to the game due to a high speed blow out on his Raleigh Grifter.

Hatley batted first and scored 203 for 9. Hatley moved veteran Tim Davenport to a new role – The Run Prevention Officer. As the game was at Barley, Davenport batted in the style of the prolific ex Hatley legend Albert Hastings.

Tom Slater top scored with 49 and Greg Hooley a career best 30 not out. Young Matty Dixon did a sponsored silence and raised £1.30 for Homeless ex cricketers.

Barley fell six runs short in a tight finish with Hatley using 10 bowlers. After the game, Tim Davenport was named Barley's Man of the Match.

The Match Ball sponsor was **Ian Keeves Health Spa of Tadlow.**

### **April 21 – Home vs Chippenham**

*Hatley lost by 28 runs*

Chippenham 258 for 6, Hatley 225 all out