

Final Review & Second Round Preview



September 13

Somerset claim C&G Trophy glory

Somerset brought 18 years of anguish to an end as they upset Leicestershire and the odds to claim the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy.

A blistering knock from Keith Parsons proved the difference between the two sides in an entertaining Lord's final as Somerset built a total that proved beyond their hotly-tipped opponents.

Parsons hit an unbeaten 60 from 52 balls as he and wicketkeeper Rob Turner shared an unbroken sixth-wicket stand of 95 to lift Leicestershire's target to a taxing 272.

Trevor Ward (54) and Darren Maddy (49) both threatened to run it close but Leicestershire, despite the renowned depth of their batting order, fell short by 41 runs.

The Taunton side's victory secured their first trophy since the golden days of the early eighties and skipper Jamie Cox was delighted to have finally lifted the burden of history.

He said: "Everyone keeps telling us about the era when we last won a trophy.

"The names of Botham, Richards, Garner will never be forgotten, but hopefully people will start remembering the names of Parsons, Turner, Blackwell, Dutch.

"We were really conscious to try and create our own history. Now we've been here, now we've won, it's such a good monkey to have off your back."

The final proved not to be Shahid Afridi's day. The Pakistan star had set the competition alight with explosive innings of 95 and 67 in the semi and quarter-final wins over Lancashire and Worcestershire respectively but 20 was all he could manage at Lord's.

His efforts had seen Leicestershire through in explosive style but Somerset's victories over Kent and Warwickshire were no less impressive.

Gloucestershire's two-year reign as holders came to an abrupt halt as they lost to Durham in the fourth round but the 2001 Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy will be remembered for more than the fate of the big boys.

Herefordshire captured most of the early headlines as they became only the 11th non-first class county to beat professional opposition when they disposed of Middlesex in the third round.

Herefordshire eventually went out to Worcestershire but their fun may not yet be over as, with next year's competition already under way, they line up alongside 27 other teams for the second round this month.

Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy Dates

2001	First round	Tue May 1 (Reserve Day May 2)
	Second round	Tue May 15 (Reserve Day May 16)
	Third round	Wed June 27 (Reserve Day June 28)
	Fourth round	Wed July 11 (Reserve Day July 12)
	Quarter-finals	Tue 24 & Wed 25 July
	First Semi-final	Sat 11 August
	Second Semi-final	Sun 12 August
	Final (Lord's)	Sat 1 September

Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy Dates

2002	* Due to the increased size of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy the early rounds of the 2002 competition will take place at the end of the current season	
	First round	Wed August 29, 2001 (Reserve Day August 30)
	Second round	Thu September 13, 2001 (Reserve Day September 14)

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The 60 teams competing for the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy

2002	Bedfordshire, Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Cambridgeshire, Cheshire, Cornwall, Cumberland, Dorset, Denmark, Derbyshire, Derbyshire CB, Devon, Durham, Durham CB, Essex, Essex CB, Gloucestershire, Gloucestershire CB, Glamorgan, Hampshire, Hampshire CB, Herefordshire, Hertfordshire, Holland, Huntingdonshire, Kent, Kent CB, Ireland, Lancashire, Lancashire CB, Leicestershire, Leicestershire CB, Lincolnshire, Middlesex, Middlesex CB, Norfolk, Northamptonshire, Northamptonshire CB, Northumberland, Nottinghamshire, Nottinghamshire CB, Oxfordshire, Scotland, Shropshire, Somerset, Somerset CB, Staffordshire, Suffolk, Surrey, Surrey CB, Sussex, Sussex CB, Warwickshire, Warwickshire CB, Wales, Worcestershire, Worcestershire CB, Wiltshire, Yorkshire, Yorkshire CB
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Parsons and Turner shine for Somerset

Somerset again found an unlikely hero as their under-rated but efficient one-day performers claimed the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy at Lord's.

The west country outfit were indebted to the batting guile of Keith Dutch in their semi-final win over Warwickshire and this time it was the turn of another of their ever-reliable professionals, Keith Parsons, to shine.

Parsons' brisk unbeaten 60 lifted Somerset to an imposing 271 for five, a total which proved 41 runs too good for Leicestershire.

The common denominator in both Parsons' and Dutch's knocks was the support of Rob Turner, who again weighed in with a rapid 37 not out.

Leicestershire responded with opener Trevor Ward hitting an aggressive 54 and Darren Maddy scoring 49 but Somerset claimed wickets at regular intervals to thwart their victory bid.

Steffan Jones completed the formalities when he clean bowled Scott Boswell to signal the end of Somerset's long barren run.

Winning skipper Jamie Cox said: "To realise how to do it, how to win, how to come to these big days and just cope with the nerves, the uncertainties of what's going to happen on the day... we coped beautifully with that."

The Tasmanian added: "It's the proudest day of my cricketering life, I've got no hesitation in saying that. I've played in finals at home in Sheffield Shield and it was a great moment playing for my home state.

"But to do it as captain of your adopted club is something I'll never forget, I'll treasure this for the rest of my days. I'll never have a better day in cricket than this."

The day is also likely to be one Boswell will remember for some time too, but for entirely different reasons.

The former Northamptonshire paceman, preferred in the side to ex-England speedster Devon Malcolm, sent down eight wickets in his second over – the fourth of the day – as he suffered a serious bout of stagefright.

His 14-ball over was a nightmare start for Leicestershire and could easily have lasted 15 balls had Marcus Trescothick not smashed one of his wayward deliveries to the boundary.

That over proved to be Boswell's last significant contribution as he was immediately replaced by Phil DeFreitas, but Trescothick did not last much longer.

The England opener was caught off Jimmy Ormond for 18 as he miscued an unnecessary pull to Shahid Afridi at mid-on but Peter Bowler (42) and Cox (44) both dug in to repair the damage.

The innings changed direction as Afridi, one of the most-talked about players in the build-up to the game, snared three quick wickets with his rasping leg breaks.

Michael Burns kept the momentum going with 21 from 23 balls before falling to a brilliant Darren Maddy catch on the boundary, but his dismissal brought together Parsons and Turner, who made hay in the September sun.

As anticipated Afridi set about the Somerset bowling with all his usual vigour as Leicestershire began their reply.

The Pakistan star once again threw caution to the wind as he threw his bat at every ball, rattling up 20 in 10 balls, including three fours.

Unlike the semi-final however, when his match-winning 95 came off just 105 balls, luck was to desert him early as he tried to launch Richard Johnson over the pavilion.

Afridi had the height but not the distance as the ball skewered of the leading edge and after a long wait



Keith Parsons

finally dropping into Turner's gloves.

Turner was immediately mobbed by jubilant teammates as the importance of the wicket took little time to sink in.

Somerset's work was, however, far from over as Ward took over Afridi's mantle in a stand of 85 with Maddy. Ward struck 10 fours in a confident knock that threatened to lay the foundations for victory but the run rate crept up steadily after he was bowled off his pads by Parsons.

Leicestershire never really got to grips with their task thereafter and the tight bowling of Jones, who finished with three for 40,

ensured Somerset completed the job.

Victory was especially sweet for Johnson, who enjoyed his return to the ground where he played for Middlesex until leaving for Taunton last year.

He said: "I've loved every minute of it since I moved and I think there is a lot more to come from this team.

"This team is still emerging, we still haven't reached our full potential and this victory will give us an absolutely massive lift.

"We haven't won a trophy for a long time, but that's out of the way now and we can move on from here and create our own history."



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Final Review

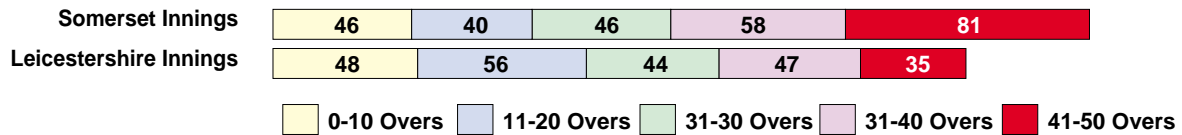
Leicestershire v Somerset

1st September at Lord's
Somerset beat Leicestershire by 41 runs

Somerset won the toss

SOMERSET						LEICESTERSHIRE					
	Runs	Min	BIs	4s	6s		Runs	Min	BIs	4s	6s
ME Trescothick c Afridi b Ormond	18	29	18	3	0	TR Ward b Parsons	54	80	65	10	0
PD Bowler b Shahid Afridi	42	107	85	6	0	Shahid Afridi c Turner b Johnson	20	13	10	3	0
*J Cox b Shahid Afridi	44	98	64	4	0	DL Maddy c & b Dutch	49	106	71	3	0
ID Blackwell b Shahid Afridi	15	12	16	1	1	*VJ Wells c Turner b Parsons	3	5	8	0	0
M Burns c Maddy b Wells	21	24	23	1	0	BF Smith c Trescothick b Dutch	15	16	18	1	0
KA Parsons not out	60	69	52	3	3	DI Stevens lbw b Jones	23	33	32	1	0
†RJ Turner not out	37	51	42	2	0	†ND Burns c Turner b Jones	6	9	9	1	0
Extras (lb 19, w 15)	34					A Habib c Dutch b Blackwell	15	23	19	1	0
Total (5 wickets, 50 overs)	271					PAJ DeFreitas b Johnson	14	34	23	1	0
Did Not Bat: KP Dutch, RL Johnson, AR Caddick, PS Jones.						J Ormond not out	18	24	18	1	1
Fall: 1-40, 2-107, 3-132, 4-149, 5-176.						SAJ Boswell b Jones	2	5	4	0	0
Bowling: Ormond 10-2-38-1 (2w), Boswell 2-0-23-0 (9w), DeFreitas 10-1-57-0 (2w), Wells 10-1-40-1, Maddy 8-0-47-0 (1w), Shahid Afridi 10-0-47-3-(1w).						Extras (lb 3, w 2, nb 6)	11				
						Total (all out, 45.4 overs)	230				
						Fall: 1-20, 2-105, 3-111, 4-142, 5-156, 6-171, 7-182, 8-194, 9-225, 10-230.					
						Bowling: Caddick 10-2-33-0 (2nb), Johnson 8-0-39-2 (2w), Jones 7.4-0-40-3, Parsons 6-0-40-2 (1nb), Dutch 10-0-50-2, Blackwell 4-0-25-1.					

Runs per 10 overs



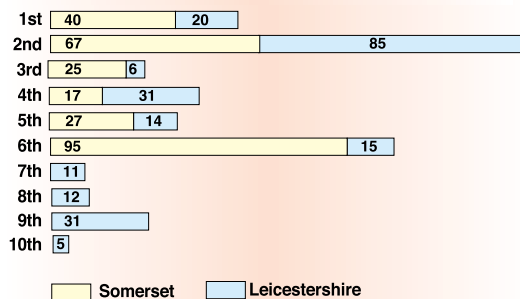
First 15 Overs Scoring Breakdown

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Somerset	3	13	18	31	31	36	40	46	46	46	48	49	55	60	60
Leicestershire	0	1	6	20	29	30	32	37	41	48	48	53	58	64	66

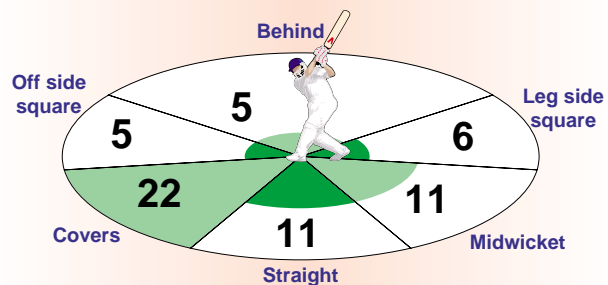
KA Parsons (Somerset)

Man of the Match

Partnerships



Best Innings: Keith Parsons 60no



B Dudleston & G Sharp Umpires



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First Round Review

Norfolk sink Holland in thriller

Norfolk claimed a place in the second round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy with a sensational last-ball win over World Cup-bound Holland.

The minor county won courtesy of losing fewer wickets after Nadim Abbas was run out on the final ball with the scores level.

It was a dramatic conclusion to an entertaining game at Horsford. Carl Rogers became the first Norfolk player to score a century in the competition with a brilliant 139 not out in his side's 245 for three.

James Walker also contributed with a well-made 76 but the Dutch, despite the absence of some of their ICC Trophy-winning

squad, responded well with half-centuries from Hanck Mol and Darron Reekers.

Peter Bradshaw claimed four wickets to check their progress but the Dutch, needing seven off the final over, almost made it but were thwarted by the sharp fielding of Stephen Livermore.

Of the other international sides competing, Denmark also went out as Suffolk ran out easy seven-wicket winners at Copdock. The news was better for Scotland and Ireland, who gained some consolation for their failure to qualify for the World Cup by ousting the Middlesex Cricket Board and Wiltshire respectively.

The most impressive batting

performance on the round belonged to Bedfordshire, who compiled a massive 367 for three in their 185-run crushing of the Derbyshire CB. Andrew Roberts and David Clark both scored centuries.

Three former county stars will miss out on the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy next year despite fine performances in round one.

Ex-England opener Wayne Larkins scored 50 as Huntingdonshire CB went down to Gloucestershire CB and Steve O'Shaughnessy, once of Lancashire, and Ashley Metcalfe, formerly of Yorkshire, both hit half-centuries in Cumberland's loss to Warwickshire CB.

First Round Results August 29th



Dunstable

Bedfordshire beat Derbyshire CB by 185 runs
Bedfordshire 367-3 (D R Clarke 176 no, A R Roberts 113) v Derbyshire CB 182 (J R Benstead 65, A R Roberts 5-40)
Man of the Match: A R Roberts (Bedfordshire)

Dinton

Buckinghamshire beat Worcestershire CB by 39 runs
Buckinghamshire 224-7 v Worcestershire CB 185
Man of the Match: Z A Sher (Buckinghamshire)

Chester

Cheshire beat Lancashire CB by 8 wkts
Lancashire CB 128 v Cheshire 131-2 (R G Hignett 54 no)
Man of the Match: C Lamb (Cheshire)

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Warwickshire CB beat Cumberland by 17 runs
Warwickshire CB 212-7 (J O Troughton 115 no) v Cumberland 195 (S J O'Shaughnessy 50, A A Metcalfe 50, J O Troughton 4-23)
Man of the Match: J O Troughton (Warwickshire CB)

Chelmsford

Sussex CB beat Essex CB by 6 wkts
Essex CB 237-9 (G W Ecclestone 66, A C Richards 64, R G Halsall 4-34) v Sussex CB 243-4 (D J Hussey 118 no, G R A Campbell 65)
Man of the Match: D J Hussey (Sussex CB)

Welwyn Garden City

Staffordshire beat Hertfordshire by 161 runs
Staffordshire 268 (P F Shaw 62, G F Archer 53) v Hertfordshire 107 (R Cooper 5-42, D Follett 4-17)
Man of the Match: D Follett (Staffordshire)

Godmanchester

Gloucestershire CB beat Huntingdonshire CB by 5 wkts
Huntingdonshire CB 180-8 (W Larkins 50) v Gloucestershire CB 183-5 (N A Stovold 75)
Man of the Match: N A Stovold (Gloucestershire CB)

Barwell

Leicestershire CB beat Northamptonshire CB by 7 wkts
Northamptonshire CB 212 v Leicestershire CB 213-3 (N J Pullen 88, N G Patel 62 no)
Man of the Match: N Pullen (Leicestershire CB)

Lincoln Lindum

Lincolnshire beat Berkshire by 86 runs
Lincolnshire 243-8 (J Trower 76, M A Fell 75 no, J K Barrow 4-31) v Berkshire 157 (R P Davis 56, R J Chapman 4-18)
Man of the Match: M A Fell (Lincolnshire)

Southgate

Scotland beat Middlesex CB by 24 runs
Scotland 245-8 (N MacRae 83, B Wright 55) v Middlesex CB 221 (S Price 85, S Davidson 4-43)
Man of the Match: B Wright (Scotland)

Manor Park

Norfolk won by losing fewer wickets
Norfolk 245-3 (C J Rogers 139 no, J R Walker 76) v Holland 245 (H J Mol 56, D Riekers 53, P J Bradshaw 4-30)
Man of the Match: C J Rogers (Norfolk)

Christchurch

Oxfordshire beat Nottinghamshire CB by 5 wkts
Nottinghamshire CB 248-5 (C M Tolley 78, M W Creed 77) v Oxfordshire 249-5 (C A Haupt 126 no)
Man of the Match: C A Haupt (Oxfordshire)

Copdock

Suffolk beat Denmark by 7 wkts
Denmark 112 (I D Graham 4-17) v Suffolk 114-3
Man of the Match: D J Callaghan (Suffolk)

South Wilts

Ireland beat Wiltshire by 85 runs
Ireland 247 (D Joyce 67, P G Gillespie 66) v Wiltshire 162 (P J K Mooney 4-34)
Man of the Match: P G Gillespie (Ireland)



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Second Round Preview

Northumberland v Staffordshire

Venue: Jesmond Cricket Ground, tel: 0191 2812738. **Contact:** Alan Stephenson, Osborne Avenue, Jesmond, Newcastle, NE2 1JS

How they did in 2001 **Northumberland** – R1 lost to Worcestershire CB by 8 wkts
Staffordshire – R1 lost to Middlesex CB 5-4 on bowl out

STAFFORDSHIRE will be looking to follow up their emphatic win over Hertfordshire as they travel to Northumberland in the second round of the 2002 Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy.

The minor counties Eastern Conference runners-up crushed Hertfordshire by 161 runs in the first round at Welwyn Garden City with Graeme Archer (53) and Paul Shaw (62) in good form with the bat.

County secretary Stuart Bourne said: "We bowled and batted very well and I think we put the game

beyond their reach with the way we batted.

"We have done pretty well this season and we have stuck with the principle of playing young players."

As well as their youngsters, Staffordshire also have an experienced overseas player on board in Ottis Gibson. The 32-year-old West Indian, who has two Test and 15 one-day appearances to his name, is currently playing as a professional in league cricket.

C McNamee & J Thallon Umpires

Sussex CB v Wales

Venue: Hastings Cricket Ground, tel 01424 424546. **Contact:** Peter Moores, County Ground, Eaton Road, Hove, East Sussex, BN3 3AN

How they did in 2001 **Sussex CB** – R1 bye, R2 bt Shropshire bt 36 runs, R3 lost to Gloucestershire by 95 runs
Wales – R1 bt Somerset CB by 20 runs, R2 bt Norfolk by 35 runs, R3 lost to Leicestershire by 133 runs

WALES travel to Hastings in the second round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy hoping to book another date against professional opposition.

The Welsh were beaten by eventual finalists Leicestershire in this year's competition and the club are looking forward to a visit from another first-class county.

They must first get past the Sussex Cricket Board but secretary Bill Edwards said: "We have reached the third round for five or six years running and hopefully

we can get there again.

"We have probably just had our most successful season since becoming a minor county and we will probably be playing the best side we have been able to put out in the competition."

Wales were handed a bye to the second round while their opponents had to fight their way past the Essex Cricket Board. Australian Dave Hussey, brother of Northamptonshire star Mike, scored an unbeaten 118 as they won by six wickets at Chelmsford.

C Puckett & J Reed Umpires

Cheshire v Cornwall

Venue: Toft Cricket Club, tel 01565 632734. **Contact:** John Pickup, 36 Landswood Park, Hartford, Northwich, Cheshire, CW8 1NF

How they did in 2001 **Cheshire** – R1 bye, R2 lost to Cornwall by 3 wkts
Cornwall – R1 bye, R2 beat Cheshire by 3 wkts

CHESHIRE will be hoping to turn the tables on Cornwall when they once again clash in the second round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy after losing out in a close encounter in May.

Cornwall won that tie by three wickets having successfully chased a total of 256 with five balls to spare, and despite losing opener and captain Gary Thomas with the scoreboard still on zero.

Thomas' side went out to Sussex in the next round by 33 runs, but he will know that his team will need to be at

their best to secure another money-spinning third round tie.

Neil Cross' Cheshire team produced a highly convincing performance in the first round, beating Lancashire Cricket Board by eight wickets and they will be confident of pulling off another triumph at the Toft.

The form of Richard Hignett will once again be vital to their chances of overcoming Cornwall after his unbeaten knock of 54 in the win over Lancashire CB.

T Wilson & H Evans Umpires



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Second Round Preview

Devon v Bedfordshire

Venue: Exmouth CC, tel 01395 272771. **Contact:** Geoff Evans, Blueberry Haven, 20 Boucher Road, Budleigh Salterton, Devon, EX9 6JF

How they did in 2001 **Devon** – R1 lost to Shropshire by 7 runs
Bedfordshire – R1 beat Nottinghamshire CB by 3 wkts, R2 bt Dorset by 7 wkts, R3 lost to Yorkshire by 4 wkts

BEDFORDSHIRE go into their second round Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy game with Devon buoyed by a comfortable victory over Derbyshire Cricket Board in the first round.

Andrew Roberts' side ran up a massive total of 367 from their 50 overs – a score which took them to victory by 185 runs.

Devon were handed a bye in the first round and will be hoping to produce a better performance in the competition than last time out when they lost to Shropshire in the first round.

The failure of Nicolas Folland's side to chase the modest total of 196 in that game will need to be overcome if they are to put a stop to the excellent batting of Bedfordshire's Roberts and David Clark.

Roberts scored 113 while Clark finished up 176 not out against Derbyshire CB and know that a repeat performance could set them up with another third round outing.

J Hardy & A Bundy Umpires

Scotland v Dorset

Venue: Linlithgow, tel 07860 126166. **Contact:** Robert Barclay, MES Sports Centre, Ralverston, Edinburgh, EH4 3NT

How they did in 2001 **Scotland** – R1 lost to Derbyshire CB by 49 runs
Dorset – R1 bye, R2 lost to Bedfordshire by 7 wkts

SCOTLAND will be hoping to gain some much needed pride from their second round Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy clash with Dorset having failed to achieve qualification for the World Cup in 2003.

John Williamson's side looked in the kind of form to progress when they beat Middlesex Cricket Board by 24 runs in the opening round.

Scotland coach Jim Love realises the importance of overcoming Dorset and having a good run in the competition.

He said: "We're reasonably confident. We know that if we live up to our potential we can beat them

"This is very important to us after we lost out on World Cup qualification and it's vital that we finish the season on a high."

Dorset, who were given a bye to the second round, will be hoping that former Middlesex and Hampshire batsman Matthew Keech can live up to his 2001 Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy average of 73 when they make the long journey to Linlithgow.

P Brown & C Megennis Umpires

Norfolk v Somerset CB

Venue: Manor Park, tel 01603 424635. **Contact:** Stephen Skinner, 27 Colkett Drive, Old Catton, Norwich, Norfolk, NR6 7ND

How they did in 2001 **Norfolk** – R1 bye, R2 lost to Wales by 35 runs
Somerset CB – R1 lost to Wales by 20 runs

NORFOLK will set up a tie with a first class county if they can reproduce the steady nerve they showed in their thrilling Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy first round win over Holland when they welcome Somerset Cricket Board to Manor Park.

Having managed a total of 245 for three, thanks largely to opener Carl Rogers reaching 139 not out, Paul Newman's side bowled the Dutch out for the same score, allowing the East Anglians to go through because of losing fewer wickets.

This gives them the opportunity to make up for the disappointment of the 2001 tournament when they were dumped out in the second round by Wales Minor Counties.

Somerset CB were ironically also defeated by Wales Minor Counties earlier this summer at the first round stage, but they will want to take advantage of their opening stage bye this time out.

Captain and opener Kevin Parsons, who has played first class cricket with Somerset, will need to use all his experience to guide his side past Norfolk.

J Illott & K Coburn Umpires



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Shropshire v Oxfordshire

Venue: Shifnal, tel 01952 462033. **Contact:** Neville Birch, 24 Ridgebourne Road, Shrewsbury, SY3 9AB

How they did in 2001 **Shropshire** – R1 bt Devon by 7 runs, R2 lost to Sussex CB by 36 runs
Oxfordshire – R1 lost to Huntingdonshire CB by 77 runs

HAVING received a bye in the first round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy, Shropshire will be determined not to again miss out on a lucrative third round tie when they meet Oxfordshire at Shifnal.

Last time out in the competition John Jones' side edged to a seven-run victory over Devon in the first round, before missing out on a tie with Gloucestershire in the third round due a 36-run loss to Sussex Cricket Board.

If Oxfordshire are to block their path they will need to avoid a repeat of the performance which saw them sink to

a 77-run defeat at the hands of Huntingdonshire during the 2001 Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy.

They produced a much stronger showing in the 2002 first round against Nottinghamshire Cricket Board in gaining a five-wicket victory.

Craig Haupt is Oxfordshire's most in-form player having mustered a match-winning innings of 126 not out in that triumph.

W Smith & D Tate Umpires

Hampshire CB v Ireland

Venue: West End, Southampton, tel 02380 472002. **Contact:** Tim Tremlett, The Hampshire Rose Bowl, Botley Road, West End, Southampton, SO30 3XH

How they did in 2001 **Hampshire CB** – R1 lost to Kent CB 3-1 on bowl out
Ireland – Did not compete in last season's competition

IRELAND will be expecting a much tougher challenge than they faced in their 85-run victory over Wiltshire when they take on the Hampshire Cricket Board in the second round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy.

Jason Molins' side bowled Wiltshire out for 162 and the performance of Peter Mooney – who took four for 34 from seven overs in that game – will again be key to Ireland's chances at West End.

Having lost out to Kent Cricket Board on a bowl-out in the first round of the tournament last time out, Hampshire CB will be keen to set up a clash with a first class county in

the third round.

Team manager Jim Smallbone said: "We're very confident and there's a massive incentive for the lads because if we can get through we'll play a major side at home.

"That could even be Hampshire or the county champions Yorkshire.

"I think Ireland are a beatable side – they're not in the same league as a county side but are probably a bit better than a minor county."

S Bishopp & R Sutton Umpires

Leicestershire CB v Kent CB

Venue: Hinckley Town CC, tel 01455 615336. **Contact:** Martin Fellows, County Ground, Grace Road, Leicester, LE2 8AD

How they did in 2001 **Leicestershire CB** – R1 bye, R2 lost to Warwickshire CB by 67 runs
Kent CB – R1 beat Hampshire CB 3-1 on bowl out, R2 beat Buckinghamshire by 5 wkts, R3 lost to Warwickshire by 7 wkts

LEICESTERSHIRE Cricket Board will be looking to put right their poor showing in the 2001 Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy when they take on Kent Cricket Board in the 2002 competition.

Neil Pullen's side sank to a 67-run defeat in the first round to Warwickshire Cricket Board back in May, but their chances of making the third round this time look more promising after their comfortable seven-wicket victory over Northamptonshire Cricket Board.

But Kent CB, who received a bye in the opening round,

will start the game as favourites as they are looking for their fourth consecutive third round appearance.

Team manager Chris Swadkin said: "Having reached the third round in the last three years we're optimistic.

"However, we've never played them before so we're a bit uncertain of our chances and as the game is away we'll probably have to be at our best to get something.

"It's not financially vital for us to reach the third round, but we will be playing with cricketing ambition."

T Riley & J Tythcott Umpires



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Cambridgeshire v Warwickshire CB

Venue: March CC, tel 01354 652029. **Contact:** Peter Gooden, The Redlands, Oakington Road, Cottenham, Cambridge, Cambridgeshire, CB4 8TW

How they did in 2001 **Cambridgeshire** – R1 bye, R2 beat Worcestershire CB 3-2 on bowl out, R3 lost to Kent by 9 wkts
Warwickshire CB – R1 bye, R2 bt Derbyshire CB by 8 wkts, R3 lost to Somerset by 50 runs

NAHEEM Sajjad's Warwickshire Cricket Board side will be looking to follow up their impressive first round victory over Cumberland when they travel to face Cambridgeshire in the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy.

A century from Jamie Troughton helped his side secure a 17-run victory, and having enjoyed an outing against Lancashire in the third round last time out, Warwickshire CB will be hungry to gain a tie with another first class side next summer.

Cambridgeshire, though, have already shown earlier in the year that they are more than capable of pushing the

bigger sides in the tournament.

Led by Ajaz Akhtar, they progressed to face eventual winners Somerset in the third round before losing to Jamie Cox's side by 50 runs.

After their bye to the second round, Akhtar will be hoping to take advantage and help his team to another game with a first class county.

And the skipper looks set to be the man to watch, having averaged 78 in the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy in 2001.

C Pocock & T Henry (Ireland) Umpires

Suffolk v Herefordshire

Venue: Bury St Edmunds CC, tel 01284 754592. **Contact:** Toby Pound, 94 Henley Road, Ipswich, Suffolk, IP1 4NJ

How they did in 2001 **Suffolk** – R1 beat Lincolnshire by 4 wkts, R2 beat Essex CB by 6 wkts, R3 lost to Nottinghamshire by 9 wkts
Herefordshire – R1 bye, R2 beat Gloucestershire CB by 5 wkts, R3 beat Middlesex by 3 wkts, R4 lost to Worcestershire by 7 wkts

HEREFORDSHIRE will be looking to earn a chance to repeat their heroics of beating Middlesex in the third round of the 2001 Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy when they come up against Suffolk.

The minor counties side made the headlines with their impressive victory over Angus Fraser's first class outfit, and they will be up against another county side if they can record a victory from their trip to Bury St Edmunds.

They will be hoping to bat as faultlessly as they did in their last clash with Suffolk in 1995.

On that occasion they memorably chased a total of 301 without losing a wicket. Harshad Patel scored 126 not out that day, and six years later he will once again be opening the innings against Suffolk.

Herefordshire spokesman Peter Sykes said: "We want to reproduce our success last time and reach the fourth round again. It's every minor counties' dream."

Suffolk, however, demonstrated promising form in beating Denmark in the first round, reaching the target set by Aftab Ahmed's side with over 16 overs to spare.

D Burden & P Joy Umpires

Gloucestershire CB v Yorkshire CB

Venue: Bristol, tel 0117 9108000. **Contact:** Peter Hall, The Royal & SunAlliance County Ground, Nevil Road, Bristol, BS7 9EJ

How they did in 2001 **Gloucestershire CB** – R1 bye, R2 lost to Herefordshire by 5 wkts
Yorkshire CB – R1 beat Lancashire CB by 77 runs, R2 lost to Northamptonshire CB by 30 runs

Gloucestershire Cricket Board's youngsters know they are just one game away from the invaluable experience of an encounter with a first class county when they take on Yorkshire Cricket Board.

The vast majority of the Gloucestershire CB side are under 23 years of age, and the club are using the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy to give their budding youngsters some crucial experience.

Gloucestershire CB coach Andy Stovold said: "If we can get through to the third round it would give the youngsters

in our side a great kick for the winter period.

"But what we're trying to do is put our youngsters in good stead for the development of their career and for the county team."

Having overcome Huntingdonshire in the first round, the west country outfit welcome a Yorkshire CB who beat them in the same competition two years ago by just six runs.

And Yorkshire CB will want to be keen to repeat that result having missed out on round three last year by losing to Northamptonshire CB in the second round.

W Morgan & M Moran Umpires



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Second Round Preview

Buckinghamshire v Durham CB

Venue: Beaconsfield CC, tel 01494 674134. **Contact:** Kevin Beaumont, 49 Amersham Road, Little Chalfont, Buckinghamshire, HP6 6SW

How they did in 2001 **Buckinghamshire** – R1 bye, R2 lost to Kent CB by 5 wkts
Durham CB – R1 bye, R2 lost to Hertfordshire by losing fewer wkts

DURHAM Cricket Board will be determined to avoid the disappointment of missing out on the third round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy when then travel to play Buckinghamshire.

They were denied a lucrative game with Worcestershire in the 2001 tournament after going out to Hertfordshire because they lost more wickets, when the two teams were tied on the same score.

But in Buckinghamshire they will face a side brimming with confidence after beating Worcestershire Cricket Board by 39 runs in the last round.

Buckinghamshire team manager Steve Lynch said: "We'll be putting a good, useful side out. We don't underestimate our opponents, but if we play as well as we did against Worcestershire Cricket Board in the first round I think we'll do well.

"This game is extremely important to us. If we win we will get a game that is financially rewarding and gives the players valuable experience on a higher stage."

R Wood & M Johnson Umpires

Lincolnshire v Surrey CB

Venue: Bourne CC, tel 01778423641. **Contact:** Tony North, iKoorahi, Whisby Road, Whisby Moor, Lincoln, Lincolnshire, LN 6 9BY

How they did in 2001 **Lincolnshire** – R1 lost to Suffolk by 4 wkts
Surrey CB – R1 bye, R2 beat Huntingdonshire CB by 59 runs, R3 lost to Surrey by 10 wkts

LINCOLNSHIRE will be aiming to continue the form they showed in beating Berkshire in the first round of the Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy when they welcome Surrey Cricket Board to Bourne.

Mark Fell's side were able to defend a total of 243 in comfortable fashion, bowling out their opponents for 157.

Robert Chapman will hope he can match his bowling performance in that game when he took four for 18 from his eight overs.

But Chapman knows he and his team-mates will be up against a Surrey CB side determined to match their

achievement of reaching the third round earlier of the 2001 tournament earlier in the summer.

Surrey CB coach and captain Chris Bullen said: "The trip to Lincolnshire is very important to us, not least because last time we managed to get through to the third round for the first time.

"That game against Surrey at Guildford gave us a great taste of what it was like to play against the big boys and we all want to repeat that."

M White & I Gould Umpires

Notes



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Trophy Results 2001

First round

May 1st and 2nd

1	Derbyshire CB bt Wiltshire by 49 runs	Chippenham
2	Huntingdonshire CB bt Oxfordshire by 77 runs	..	Challow & Childrey
3	Shropshire bt Devon by 7 runs	.....	Shrewsbury
4	Suffolk bt Lincolnshire by 4 wkts	.....	Sleaford
5	Wales bt Somerset CB by 20 runs	.....	North Perrott
6	Kent CB bt Hampshire CB 3-1 on bowl out	.....	The Mote
7	Middlesex CB bt Northumberland 5-4 on bowl out	.....	Southgate
8	Bedfordshire bt Nottinghamshire CB by 3 wkts		Wardown Park
9	Worcestershire CB bt Staffordshire by 8 wkts	.....	Porthill Park
10	Yorkshire CB bt Lancashire CB by 77 runs	.....	Nelson

Teams receiving First round byes

Cambridgeshire, Surrey CB, Sussex CB, Essex CB, Norfolk, Buckinghamshire, Berkshire, Dorset, Cumberland, Northamptonshire CB, Herefordshire, Gloucestershire CB, Warwickshire CB, Leicestershire CB, Cornwall, Cheshire, Hertfordshire, Durham CB.

Second round

May 15th and 16th

11	Cambridgeshire bt Derbyshire CB by 8 wkts	.....	March
12	Surrey CB bt Huntingdonshire CB by 59 runs	.....	Cheam
13	Sussex CB bt Shropshire by 36 runs	.....	Hastings
14	Suffolk bt Essex CB by 6 wkts	.....	Mildenhall
15	Wales bt Norfolk by 35 runs	.....	Manor Park
16	Kent CB bt Buckinghamshire by 5 wkts	.....	The Mote
17	Berkshire bt Middlesex CB by 8 wkts	.....	Richmond
18	Bedfordshire bt Dorset by 7 wkts	.....	Dean Park
19	Cumberland bt Worcs CB 3-2 on bowl out	.....	Kidderminster
20	Northants CB bt Yorkshire CB by 30 runs	.....	Northampton
21	Herefordshire bt Gloucs CB by 5 wkts	.....	Brockhampton
22	Warwicks CB bt Leics CB by 67 runs	....	Coventry & N. Warwicks
23	Cornwall bt Cheshire by 3 wkts	.....	Camborne
24	Herts bt Durham CB by losing fewer wkts	..	Welwyn Garden City

Third round

June 27th

25	Somerset bt Cambridgeshire by 50 runs	.....	March
26	Surrey bt Surrey CB by 10 wkts	.....	Guildford

27	Gloucestershire bt Sussex CB by 95 runs	.....	Horsham
28	Nottinghamshire bt Suffolk by 9 wkts	.....	Mildenhall
29	Leicestershire bt Wales by 133 runs	.....	Swansea
30	Warwickshire bt Kent CB by 7 wkts	.....	Canterbury
31	Essex bt Berkshire by 69 runs	.....	Reading
32	Yorkshire bt Bedfordshire by 4 wkts	.....	Luton
33	Kent bt Cumberland by 9 wkts	.....	Barrow
34	Northants bt Northamptonshire CB by 9 wkts	....	Northampton
35	Herefordshire bt Middlesex by 3 wkts	.....	Luctonians
36	Lancashire bt Warwickshire CB by 7 wkts	.....	*Blackpool
37	Sussex bt Cornwall by 33 runs	.....	Truro
38	Worcestershire bt Hertfordshire by 267 runs	.....	Hertford
39	Glamorgan bt Derbyshire by 3 wkts	.....	Cardiff
40	Durham bt Hampshire by 7 wkts	.....	Riverside

* Warwickshire CB were unable to establish a venue for the match – hence it was staged in Lancashire.

Fourth round

July 11th

41	Worcestershire bt Herefordshire by 7 wkts	.....	Worcester
42	Somerset bt Glamorgan by 7 wkts	.....	Taunton
43	Yorkshire bt Surrey by 6 wkts	.....	Headingley
44	Kent bt Northamptonshire by 6 wkts	.....	Canterbury
45	Lancashire bt Sussex by 7 wkts	.....	Old Trafford
46	Durham bt Gloucestershire by 3 runs	.....	Gloucester
47	Warwickshire bt Essex by 5 wkts	.....	Edgbaston
48	Leicestershire bt Nottinghamshire by 6 wkts	.....	Trent Bridge

Quarter-finals

July 24th

49	Leicestershire bt Worcestershire by 118 runs	Worcester
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July 25th

50	Somerset bt Kent by 52 runs	Canterbury
51	Lancashire bt Durham by 7 wkts	Blackpool
52	Warwickshire bt Yorkshire by 4 wkts	.....	Headingley

First Semi-final

August 11th

53	Somerset bt Warwickshire by 4 wkts	Taunton
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Second Semi-final

August 12th

54	Leicestershire beat Lancashire by 7 wickets	Leicester
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Final

September 1st

55	Somerset bt Leicestershire by 41 runs	Lord's
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THE DUCKWORTH/LEWIS SYSTEM

All Cheltenham & Gloucester Trophy matches have a reserve day, but if play is still lost to the weather the Duckworth Lewis system can be used to reset targets. The system is based on what percentage of its resources (overs and wickets) a team have left.

With 50 overs left and 10 wickets remaining, a team has 100 per cent of its resources left. The table shows the percentage of resources at other stages in the innings.

The procedure for working out targets is as follows:

- 1) For each innings: Use the table to calculate the resource percentage lost by the interruption and therefore calculate the resource percentage still available.
- 2) If team 2 have less resources available than team 1, calculate the ratio of the resources available to both teams. Team 2's revised target is obtained by scaling down team 1's score by this ratio.
- 3) If team 2 have more resources available than team 1, calculate the amount by which team 2's resources exceeds team 1's. Work this out as a percentage of 225 (the average 50-over score in ECB matches and one-day internationals). This gives the extra runs to add to team 1's score to give team 2's target.

WICKETS LOST	0	2	5	7	9
OVERS LEFT					
50	100	83.8	49.5	26.5	7.6
40	90.3	77.6	48.3	26.4	7.6
30	77.1	68.2	45.7	26.2	7.6
25	68.5	61.8	43.4	25.9	7.6
20	58.9	54.0	40.0	25.2	7.6
10	34.1	32.5	27.5	20.6	7.5

PLAYING CONDITIONS

- One innings per side of up to 50 overs. A maximum of 10 overs per bowler.
- Scheduled hours of play 11am to 6.45pm. Each innings scheduled to last a maximum three hours and 45 minutes. There will normally be two sessions of play of three hours and 30 minutes each, with an interval from 2.30pm to 3.25pm. The interval will be reduced if necessary.
- Two drinks intervals per innings, but these can be cancelled to make up time lost to interruptions.
- The fielding side can be penalised for slow over rates by the addition of runs to the batting side's total.
- For the first 15 overs a minimum of seven fielders plus the bowler and wicket-keeper must be inside the fielding circle as the ball is bowled. For the rest of the innings a minimum of four fielders plus the bowler and wicket-keeper must be inside the circle. The restrictions are lifted earlier when the number of overs is reduced.
- In the event of a tie, the team losing fewer wickets will win. If the sides are still level, the higher score after 15 overs will win.
- In rounds one and two, run rate may be used to set a revised target after a suspension of play. From round three onwards, the Duckworth Lewis system will be used.



Competition records 1963-2001

Highest Totals

Total	Teams	Venue	Year
413 for 4	Somerset v Devon	Torquay	1990
406 for 5	Leicestershire v Berkshire	Leicester	1996
404 for 3	Worcestershire v Devon	Worcester	1987
392 for 5	Warwickshire v Oxfordshire	Birmingham	1984
386 for 5	Essex v Wiltshire	Chelmsford	1988
384 for 6	Kent v Berkshire	Finchampstead	1994
384 for 9	Sussex v Ireland	Belfast	1996
381 for 3	Lancashire v Hertfordshire	Radlett	1999
373 for 7	Glamorgan v Bedfordshire	Cardiff	1998
372 for 5	Lancashire v Gloucestershire	Manchester	1990
371 for 4	Hampshire v Glamorgan	Southampton	1975
367 for 5	Somerset v Herefordshire	Taunton	1997
365 for 3	Derbyshire v Cornwall	Derby	1986
361 for 7	Essex v Durham	Chelmsford	1996
361 for 8	Essex v Cumberland	Chelmsford	1992
361 for 8	Warwickshire v Bedfordshire	Birmingham	1994

Highest total by a minor county

Total	Teams	Venue	Year
323 for 7	Hertfordshire v Leicestershire (R)	Radlett	1999

Highest total batting second

To Lose

Total	Teams	Venue	Year
350	Surrey v Worcestershire	The Oval	1994

To Win

329 for 5	Sussex v Derbyshire	Derby	1997
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Lowest Totals

Total	Teams	Venue	Year
39	Ireland v Sussex	Hove	1994
41	Cambridgeshire v Buckinghamshire	Cambridge	1972
41	Middlesex v Essex	Westcliff	1972
41	Shropshire v Essex	Wellington	1974

Largest Victories

Total	Teams	Venue	Year
346 runs	Somerset beat Devon	Torquay	1990
304 runs	Sussex beat Ireland	Belfast	1996
299 runs	Worcestershire beat Devon	Worcester	1987
291 runs	Essex beat Wiltshire	Chelmsford	1988
244 runs	Sussex beat Ireland	Hove	1985

Highest Scores (Individual)

Player	Runs	Teams	Venue	Year
A.I.Kallicharran	206	Warwickshire v Oxfordshire	Birmingham	1984
V.J.Wells	201	Leicestershire v Berkshire	Leicester	1996
T.M.Moody	180*	Worcestershire v Surrey	The Oval	1994
J.M.Dakin	179	Leicestershire v Wales	Swansea	2001
C.G.Greenidge	177	Hampshire v Glamorgan	Southampton	1975
A.J.Wright	177	Gloucestershire v Scotland	Bristol	1997
G.A.Hick	172*	Worcestershire v Devon	Worcester	1987
V.P.Terry	165*	Hampshire v Berkshire	Southampton	1985
C.J.Tavare	162*	Somerset v Devon	Torquay	1990
I.V.A.Richards	162*	Glamorgan v Oxfordshire	Swansea	1993
C.L.Smith	159	Hampshire v Cheshire	Chester	1989
R.K.Rao	158	Sussex v Derbyshire	Derby	1997
Zaheer Abbas	158	Gloucestershire v Leicestershire	Leicester	1983
G.D.Barlow	158	Middlesex v Lancashire	Lord's	1984



Competition records 1963-2001

Most Hundreds (Individual)

Total	Player	Team	Career span
8	R.A.Smith	Hampshire	1985-2000

Fastest Hundred (Individual)

Balls	Player	Teams	Venue	Year
36	G.D.Rose	Somerset v Devon	Torquay	1990

Most Runs in a Career (Individual)

Total	Player	Team	Career span
2547 (av 48.98)	G.A.Gooch	Essex	1973-1996

Highest Partnerships for each wicket (* denotes unbroken partnership)

Wicket	Runs	Batsmen	Teams	Year
1	311	A.J.Wright & N.J. Trainor	Gloucestershire v Scotland	1997
2	286	I.S.Anderson & A.Hill	Derbyshire v Cornwall	1986
3	309*	T.S.Curtis & T.M.Moody	Worcestershire v Surrey	1994
4	234*	D.Lloyd & C.H.Lloyd	Lancashire v Gloucestershire	1978
5	166	M.A.Lynch & G.R.J.Rooper	Surrey v Durham	1982
6	226	N.J.Llong & M.V.Fleming	Kent v Cheshire	1999
7	160*	C.J.Richards & I.R.Payne	Surrey v Lincolnshire	1983
8	112	A.L.Penberthy & J.E.Emburey	Northamptonshire v Lancashire	1996
9	87	M.A.Nash & A.E.Cordle	Glamorgan v Lincs	1974
10	81	S.Turner & R.E.East	Essex v Yorkshire	1982

Best Bowling (Individual)

Player	Bowling Figures	Teams	Venue	Year
M.A.Holding	8-21	Derbyshire v Sussex	Hove	1988
D.L.Underwood	8-31	Kent v Scotland	Edinburgh	1987
A.L.Dixon	7-15	Kent v Surrey	The Oval	1967
R.P.Lefebvre	7-15	Somerset v Devon	Torquay	1990
N.V.Radford	7-19	Worcestershire v Bedfordshire	Bedford	1991
D.Gough	7-27	Yorkshire v Ireland	Headingley	1997
P.J.Sainsbury	7-30	Hampshire v Norfolk	Southampton	1965
S.P.Davis	7-32	Durham v Lancashire	Chester-le-Street	1983
R.D.Jackman	7-33	Surrey v Yorkshire	Harrogate	1970
D.E.Malcolm	7-35	Derbyshire v Northamptonshire	Derby	1997
N.A.Mallender	7-37	Northamptonshire v Worcestershire	Northampton	1984
A.I.C.Dodemaide	6-9	Sussex v Ireland	Downpatrick	1990
K.P.Evans	6-10	Nottinghamshire v Northumberland	Jesmond	1994
J.A.Flavell	6-14	Worcestershire v Lancashire	Worcester	1963
R.D.Healey	6-14	Devon v Hertfordshire	Stevenage	1969
O.H.Mortensen	6-14	Derbyshire v Ireland	Derby	1989
F.S.Trueeman	6-15	Yorkshire v Somerset	Taunton	1965
W.W.Daniel	6-15	Middlesex v Sussex	Hove	1980

Hat-tricks (Individual) in chronological order

Player	Teams	Venue	Year
J.D.F.Larter	Northamptonshire v Sussex	Northampton	1963
D.A.D.Sydenham	Surrey v Cheshire	Hoylake	1964
R.N.S.Hobbs	Essex v Middlesex	Lord's	1968
N.M.McVicker	Warwickshire v Lincolnshire	Birmingham	1971
G.S.le Roux	Sussex v Ireland	Hove	1985
M.Jean-Jacques	Derbyshire v Nottinghamshire	Derby	1987
J.F.M.O'Brien	Cheshire v Derbyshire	Chester	1988
R.A.Pick	Nottinghamshire v Scotland	Trent Bridge	1995
J.E.Emburey	Northamptonshire v Cheshire	Northampton	1996
A.R.Caddick	Somerset v Gloucestershire	Taunton	1996
D.Gough	Yorkshire v Ireland	Headingley	1997



Competition records 1963-2001

Most Economical Analysis (Individual - 12 Overs)

O	M	R	W	Player	Teams	Venue	Year
12	9	3	1	J.Simmons	Lancashire v Suffolk	Bury St Edmunds	1985

Most Expensive Analysis (Individual - 12 Overs)

O	M	R	W	Player	Teams	Venue	Year
12	0	107	2	C.C.Lovell	Cornwall v Warwickshire	St Austell	1996

Most Wickets in a Career (Individual)

Total	Player	Team(s)	Career span
87 wkts (av 14.24)	A.A.Donald	Warwickshire	1987-2000
81 wkts (av 14.85)	G.G.Arnold	Surrey & Sussex	1963-1980

Most Dismissals in an Innings (Individual)

Dismissals	Player	Teams	Venue	Year
8 (8 caught)	D.J.Piper	Worcestershire v Herefordshire	Hertford	2001
7 (7 caught)	A.J.Stewart	Surrey v Glamorgan	Swansea	1994
6 (5 caught, 1 stumped)	R.W.Taylor	Derbyshire v Essex	Derby	1981
6 (4 caught, 2 stumped)	T.Davies	Glamorgan v Staffordshire	Stone	1986
6 (5 caught, 1 stumped)	K.R.Brown	Middlesex v Wales	Northop Hall	1994

Most Dismissals in a career (Individual)

Dismissals	Player	Team	Career span
83 (70 caught, 13 stumped)	R.C.Russell	Gloucestershire	1981-2000
66 (58 caught, 8 stumped)	R.W.Taylor	Derbyshire	1963-1984

Most Catches in an Innings (Individual)

Catches	Player	Teams	Venue	Year
4	A.S.Brown	Gloucestershire v Middlesex	Bristol	1963
4	G.Cook	Northamptonshire v Glamorgan	Northampton	1972
4	C.G.Greenidge	Hampshire v Cheshire	Southampton	1981
4	D.C.Jackson	Durham v Northamptonshire	Darlington	1984
4	T.S.Smith	Hertfordshire v Somerset	St Albans	1984
4	H.Morris	Glamorgan v Scotland	Edinburgh	1988
4	C.C.Lewis	Nottinghamshire v Worcs	Nottingham	1992
4	G.Yates	Lancashire v Essex	Old Trafford	2000
4	D.P.Fulton	Kent v Northamptonshire	Canterbury	2001

Most Catches in a career (Individual)

Catches	Player	Team	Career span
27	J.Simmons	Lancashire	1970-1989

Previous Finals

1963	Sussex bt Worcestershire by 14 runs	1982	Surrey bt Warwickshire by nine wickets
1964	Sussex bt Warwickshire by eight wickets	1983	Somerset bt Kent by 24 runs
1965	Yorkshire bt Surrey by 175 runs	1984	Middlesex bt Kent by four wickets
1966	Warwickshire bt Worcestershire by five wickets	1985	Essex bt Nottinghamshire by one run
1967	Kent bt Somerset by 32 runs	1986	Sussex bt Lancashire by seven wickets
1968	Warwickshire bt Sussex by four wickets	1987	Nottinghamshire bt Northamptonshire by three wickets
1969	Yorkshire bt Derbyshire by 69 runs	1988	Middlesex bt Worcestershire by three wickets
1970	Lancashire bt Sussex by six wickets	1989	Warwickshire bt Middlesex by four wickets
1971	Lancashire bt Kent by 24 runs	1990	Lancashire bt Northamptonshire by seven wickets
1972	Lancashire bt Warwickshire by four wickets	1991	Hampshire bt Surrey by four wickets
1973	Gloucestershire bt Sussex by 40 runs	1992	Northamptonshire bt Leicestershire by eight wickets
1974	Kent bt Lancashire by four wickets	1993	Warwickshire bt Sussex by five wickets
1975	Lancashire bt Middlesex by seven wickets	1994	Worcestershire bt Warwickshire by eight wickets
1976	Northamptonshire bt Lancashire by four wickets	1995	Warwickshire bt Northants by four wickets
1977	Middlesex bt Glamorgan by five wickets	1996	Lancashire bt Essex by 129 runs
1978	Sussex bt Somerset by five wickets	1997	Essex bt Warwickshire by nine wickets
1979	Somerset bt Northamptonshire by 45 runs	1998	Lancashire bt Derbyshire by nine wickets
1980	Middlesex bt Surrey by seven wickets	1999	Gloucestershire bt Somerset by 50 runs
1981	Derbyshire bt Northamptonshire by losing fewer wickets	2000	Gloucestershire bt Warwickshire by 22 runs (D/L Method)



Match Results Summary 1963-2001

	Team	Played	Won	Lost	Trophy Winners	Losing Finalists	MOM Awards
1	Lancashire	114	82	32	7	3	73
2	Warwickshire	115	81	34	5	6	71
3	Middlesex	103	68	35	4	2	58
4	Sussex	99	64	35	4	4	57
5	Northamptonshire	99	62	37	2	5	54
6	Hampshire	99	61	38	1	–	60
7	Somerset	97	62	36	3	3	57
8	Surrey	100	62	38	1	3	51
9	Kent	90	53	37	2	3	52
10	Yorkshire	86	49	37	2	–	39
12	Essex	86	49	37	2	1	50
11	Worcestershire	87	49	38	1	3	46
13	Gloucestershire	87	49	38	3	–	51
14	Glamorgan	84	45	39	–	1	42
16	Leicestershire	84	45	40	–	2	46
15	Nottinghamshire	81	43	38	1	1	43
17	Derbyshire	80	42	38	1	2	46
18	Durham	47	16	31	–	–	21
19	Hertfordshire	29	7	22	–	–	11
20	Kent CB	9	6	3	–	–	7
21	Bedfordshire	21	6	15	–	–	7
22	Lincolnshire	20	5	15	–	–	5
23	Buckinghamshire	25	5	20	–	–	7
24	Wales CB	6	4	2	–	–	4
25	Durham CB	7	4	3	–	–	3
26	Cumberland	20	4	16	–	–	4
27	Shropshire	20	4	16	–	–	8
28	Scotland	22	4	18	–	–	6
29	Suffolk	23	4	19	–	–	4
30	Berkshire	25	4	21	–	–	5
31	Cheshire	24	4	20	–	–	5
32	Staffordshire	27	4	23	–	–	5
33	Sussex CB	6	3	3	–	–	2
34	Herefordshire	9	3	6	–	–	4
35	Holland	10	3	7	–	–	5
36	Northumberland	14	3	11	–	–	5
37	Cambridgeshire	24	3	21	–	–	11
38	Ireland	24	3	21	–	–	6
39	Devon	25	3	22	–	–	11
40	Surrey CB	5	2	3	–	–	2
41	Hampshire CB	5	2	3	–	–	3
42	Warwickshire CB	5	2	3	–	–	3
43	Gloucstershire CB	5	2	3	–	–	2
44	Derbyshire CB	6	2	4	–	–	2
45	Huntingdonshire	6	2	4	–	–	2
46	Middlesex CB	6	2	4	–	–	1
47	Wales (Minor Co)	6	2	4	–	–	–
48	Yorkshire CB	6	2	4	–	–	3
49	Wiltshire	18	2	16	–	–	2
50	Norfolk	22	2	20	–	–	3
51	Oxfordshire	23	2	21	–	–	5
52	Leicestershire CB	4	1	3	–	–	2
53	Northamptonshire CB	4	1	4	–	–	2
54	Essex CB	5	1	4	–	–	1
55	Lancashire CB	5	1	4	–	–	1
56	Worcestershire CB	5	1	4	–	–	1
57	Cornwall	11	1	10	–	–	2
58	Dorset	16	1	15	–	–	3
59	Denmark	3	–	3	–	–	–
60	Somerset CB	3	–	3	–	–	1
61	Nottinghamshire CB	4	–	4	–	–	–

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