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## SATURDAY ELEVEN

Date	Opponents	Ground
Apr. 30	Chalfont Colony .. ..	Away
May 7	Boxmoor 2nd XI .. ..	Home
" 14	Cooper's R.C. 2nd XI .. ..	Home
" 21	Northchurch .. ..	Home
" 28	The Lee .. ..	Away
June 4	Penn Street .. ..	Home
" 11	Seer Green .. ..	Away
" 18	Chesham 3rd XI .. ..	Home
" 25	Sarratt .. ..	Home
July 2	Sarratt .. ..	Away
" 9	Seer Green .. ..	Home
" 16	Farnham Common .. ..	Home
" 23	Cooper's R.C. 2nd XI .. ..	Away
" 30	Beaconsfield 3rd XI .. ..	Home
Aug. 6	Chenies and Latimer .. ..	Away
" 13	Chalfont Colony .. ..	Home
" 20	Rickmansworth B.L. .. ..	Away
" 27	The Lee .. ..	Home
Sept. 3	Farnham Common .. ..	Away
" 10	Northchurch .. ..	Away
" 17	Penn Street .. ..	Away
" 24	Boxmoor 2nd XI .. ..	Away
June 28	Evening Fixture Chesham XI (6 p.m.)	Away
June 6	Bank Holiday Fixtures (w.m.) All Souls Twickenham (11.30 a.m.)	Home
Aug. 1	(a.m.) Chalfont St. Peter 2nd XI .. ..	Home

## SUNDAY 1st ELEVEN

Date	Opponents	Ground
Apr. 24	Club Match .. ..	Home
May 1	United Counties Bus Co. .. ..	Home
" 8	Chesham Vale .. ..	Away
" 15	Warners End .. ..	Away
" 22	Bellingdon .. ..	Home
" 29	Halton Civilians .. ..	Home
June 5	West Hyde & Maple Cross .. ..	Away
" 12	St. Leonards and B.C. .. ..	Home
" 19	Brazils .. ..	Away
" 26	St. Leonards & B.C. .. ..	Away
July 3	Bellingdon .. ..	Away
" 10	West Wycombe .. ..	Home
" 17	Jordans .. ..	Away
" 24	Potten End .. ..	Away
" 31	Brazils .. ..	Home
Aug. 7	All Souls Twickenham (11.30)	Away
" 14	Halton Civilians .. ..	Away
" 21	Broadfields Park .. ..	Home
" 28	West Hyde & Maple Cross .. ..	Home
Sept. 4	Bourne End .. ..	Away
" 11	Chesham Vale .. ..	Home
" 18	Rickmansworth B.L. .. ..	Home
" 25	Bourne End .. ..	Home
Oct. 2	N. R. Bunce's XI .. ..	Home

## SUNDAY 'A' ELEVEN

Date	Opponents	Ground
Apr. 24	Club Match .. ..	Home
May 1	Chenies & Latimer .. ..	Home
" 8	" .. ..	"
" 15	" .. ..	"
" 22	Leverstock Green .. ..	Away
" 29	" .. ..	"
June 5	Potten End .. ..	Home
" 12	" .. ..	"
" 19	Warners End .. ..	Home
" 26	" .. ..	"
July 3	" .. ..	"
" 10	" .. ..	"
" 17	" .. ..	"
" 24	" .. ..	"
" 31	" .. ..	"
Aug. 7	" .. ..	"
" 14	" .. ..	"
" 21	" .. ..	"
" 28	United Counties Bus Co. .. ..	Away
Sept. 4	Leverstock Green .. ..	Home
" 11	" .. ..	"
" 18	" .. ..	"
" 25	West Wycombe .. ..	Away



### CHESHAM BOIS C. C. 1960

Back row L-R

Peter East, Alan Bruton, Richard Summers, Peter Nash, Len Hammond, Michael Hoar.

Sitting L-R

Bill Washington (scorer), Colin Ware, Len Barker, Ian Gomm, David Hearn, Ron Smith.

There were only a few match reports for this season found in the Bucks Examiner. They are shown below:

30 April Chalfont Colony C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Chalfont

26

94

Chesham Bois won by 68 runs

7 May Chesham Bois C.C. v Boxmoor 2<sup>nd</sup> XI played at Chesham Bois Common

120

40

(R. King 45)

Chesham Bois won by 80 runs

8 May Chesham Vale C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at The Vale

38 & 60

99

(R. Smith 6 for 14)

(inc. a Hat-trick)

Chesham Bois won by innings & 1 run

## WIN FOR BOIS

Chesham Bois defeated The Vale by an innings and one run. Scores: Chesham Bois 99 (R. Spiller 20, R. Vince 17, P. East 15, R. Gurney 5-28); The Vale 38 (Morgan 19, R. Smith 6-14, including a hat-trick) and 60 (R. Gurney 17, How 21, R. Vince 4-14).

**Bucks Examiner Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 1960**

8 May Chesham Bois 'A' v Chenies & Latimer C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

141 for 5 dec.  
(M. Cooper 60)

65

Chesham Bois won by 8wkts. and batted on.

The Chesham Bois team was:

A. Bruton, R. Hearne, M. Cooper, J. Stewart, D. Hearn, Gordon Finch, L. Hammond, M. Whitcher, I. Gomm, J. Stevens and P. Nash.

## Two more for Bois

21 May Chesham Bois C.C. v Northchurch C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

125

69

(L. Hammond 6 for 5)

Chesham Bois won by 56 runs

Against Northchurch after a bad start, in which their first three batsmen went for 16 runs, Bois pulled themselves together and ran up a total of 125 to win, of which R. King scored 32, A. Groves 35, C. Ware 17. Fantham took 6 wickets for 60.

Northchurch failed to reach their opponents' standard and could only mustre 69 of which Kempster scored 19 and Webb 14.

L. Hammond ran through with his fine bowling and finished with a total of 6-5.

### Bucks Examiner Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 1960

22 May Chesham Bois C.C. v Bellingdon C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

52

27

Chesham Bois won by 25 runs

In the Bellingdon game things were very different. Bois struggled for runs against a good attack but managed to score 52 (R. Smith 20, N. Bunce 11) to win.

When Bellingdon batted they fared even worse when they met the strong Bois attack of G. Finch Jnr. and R. Smith who between them took 6-20 by tea-time.

The remaining 4 wickets fell for a further 7 runs and Bellingdon were all out for 27.

No batsman reached double figures but the bowlers were on top throughout. Figures were G. Finch Sen. 3-1, G. Finch Jnr. 3-8, R. Smith 4-17.

### Bucks Examiner Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 1960

29 May Leverstock Green C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Leverstock Green

\*58 & \*\*41 for 6

28 & 69

\*(P. Nash 7 for 20)

\*\*(I. Gomm 5 for 12)

Leverstock Green won by 4 wkts.

The Chesham Bois team was:

A. Bruton, R. Hearn, P. East, J. Stewart, M. Cooper, R. Vince, D. Hearn, I. Gomm, P. Nash, M. Witcher and B. Chapman.

5 July Chesham Bois 'A' v Potten End C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

80

177

(Reg. King 42)

Potten End won by 5 wkts. and batted on

The Chesham Bois team was:

Reg. King, Roger King, P. East, R. Vince, M. Cooper, P. Nash, I. Gomm, D. Hearn, L. Barker, A. Bruton and B. Chapman.

30 July Chesham Bois C.C. v Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI played at Chesham Bois Common

111 for 8 dec.

112 for 9

(A. Groves 34 n.o.)

Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI won by 1 wkt.

## LATE WIN

TAKING first knock, Chesham Bois were soon in trouble with four men out with only 6 runs on the board. Thanks to Ian Gomm with an undefeated 50 batting throughout the innings with support from A. Groves (31 n.o.) and Gordon Finch 9, the Bois declared at 111-8. For Beaconsfield, Taylor bowled well taking 3-29 in 19 overs.

Beaconsfield made a similarly patchy start, losing 4-14. For the fifth wicket, Bartholemew (39) and Bishop (24) put on 53 and in a thrilling finish the last pair scored the winning hit on the last ball of the match.

For Chesham Bois, Finch junior, took 3-26, Speller 2-17 and Gomm 1-9.

**Bucks Examiner Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August 1960**

2 Oct. Chesham Bois C.C. v N. Bunce's XII played at Chesham Bois Common

50

(I. Gomm 8 for 27)

12 a side game

Match Rained Off

**PROFILE OF MR. TOM GOMM  
CLUB UMPIRE IN THE 1950'S & 1960'S**



### Tom pictured in 1961

Tom played very few games for Chesham Bois, mostly as a teenager, when the club was short of players, in the 1920's. His playing career was spent with Amersham Hill Athletic Club now Amersham Hill C.C., name changed in 1938, both football and cricket were played there until that time. During his playing career, in the 1930's, he was a successful medium fast round arm bowler and captained the 1<sup>st</sup> XI in 1936.

He started umpiring for Chesham Bois in 1955 and continued until his death in 1966. His great love for the game and playing experience proved invaluable to his son Ian and he was very fair in any criticism of Ian's efforts.

Tom did make one appearance for the club, in the late 1950's, when turning up to umpire found that the team was only with nine men. Fielding in the slips one entry read, caught T. Gomm bowled I. Gomm, this was to be the only time this was to appear though.

He was a great supporter of the club, helping to construct the club's first pavilion and laying on the mains water supply from the other side of North Road, still the main source of supply to this day. (2010).

He was a vice-president of the club and when umpiring always sat on his shooting stick when at square leg.

R. W.

1961   Played 51   Won 26   Drawn 3   Lost 22





CHESHAM BOIS C. C. 1961

Back row L-R

Peter Nash, Gordon Finch, Reg King, Peter East, Nigel Bunce, Martin Cooper, Michael Hoar, Thomas Gomm (Umpire).

Front Row

Len Hammond, Ian Gomm, David Hearn, Alan Bruton.

Sitting

Brian Bruton

## PRESENTATION OF CRICKET BAT AND GLOVES BY WILLIAM (BILL) WASHINGTON TO CHESHAM BOIS C.C. 1961



L-R

Bill Washington (Club Scorer), E. Bridgstock-Choat (Chairman), Ian Gomm (Secretary), Peter East (Treasurer), Ron Vince (Match Secretary).

The above presentation was made at the Club Annual General Meeting

140  
(Reg King 66)

Chesham Bois won by 52 runs

Reg. King, N. Bunce, L. Barker, George Finch, I. Gomm, Gordon Finch, L. Hammond, M. Cooper, M. Hoar, A. Groves and C. Ware.

24  
(l. Gomm 6 for 13)

6 May Chesham Bois C.C. v Boxmoor 2<sup>nd</sup> XI played at Chesham Bois Common

Chesham Bois won by 33 runs

Chesham Bois First XI beat Boxmoor Second XI by 33 runs at Chesham Bois on Saturday.

A wet, soggy wicket and fine bowling by Soames, of Boxmoor, had Chesham Bois in trouble in the early part of their innings. But stands by King and Hearn, Hearn and Wane and a last wicket stand by Hammond and Coleby brought the score to 69.

Good bowling by Hearn and Finch gave Chesham Bois victory.

CHESHAM BOIS FIRST XI: King, c Thompson, b Soames, 27; Gomm, b Soames, 0; Barker, c Thompson, b Soames, 4; Finch, b Soames, 4; Hoar, b Soames, 0; Chasemore, b Soames, 0; Hearn, c King, b Palmer, 10; Weedon, lbw Thompson, 2; Wane, b Soames, 3; Hammond, not out, 11; Coleby, b Palmer, 1. Extras 7. Total 69.

Bowling: Soames 7 for 20; Palmer 2 for 7.

**BOXMOOR SECOND XI:** Bruton, b Hearn, 6; Barnett, c and b Gomm, 0; Critchley, lbw Hearn, 0; Thornton, b Hearn, 0; Thompson, c Hearn, b King, 7; Styles, c Finch, b King, 5; Soames, b Finch, 5; King, b Finch, 9; Powell, lbw Finch, 2; Palmer, not out, 1. Extras 1. Total 36.

Bowling: Hearn 3 for 4; Finch 3 for 3.

Bucks Examiner Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 1961

47 for 6

Sun Sports won by 4 wks.

161

(P. East 49)

(Gordon Finch 45)

(Reg King 40)

Chesham Bois won by innings & 57 runs

Reg. King, R. Smith, George Finch, Gordon Finch, P. East, M. Hoar, A. Groves,  
L. Hammond, R. Vince, C. Ware and M. Cooper.

105 & 43 for 6

(l. Gomm 8 for 32)

Chesham Bois won by 4 wkts.

Reg. King, N. Bunce, F. Chasemore, George Finch, P. East, M. Cooper, A. Bruton, D. Hook, C. O'Neill, C. Ware and I. Gomm.

20 May Chesham Bois C.C. v The Hill C.C. (Harrow) played at Chesham Bois Common

43 & 123 for 4 dec. 116 & 22 for 6

Match Drawn

22 May Chesham Bois C.C. v Twickenham All Souls C.C. at Chesham Bois Common

(Sun.) 188

\*38 & \*\*90

\*(A. Groves 6 for 26) \*\*(Gordon Finch 5 for 12)

12 a side

Chesham Bois won by innings & 60 runs

27 May The Lee C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at The Lee

60

124 (Gordon Finch 51)

Chesham Bois won by 64 runs

28 May Chesham Bois C.C. v Halton Civilians C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

68 & 54 for 1

77 & \*43 \*(George Finch 6 for 21)

Chesham Bois won by 9 wkts.

The Chesham Bois team was:

R. Smith, Gordon Finch, K. Parsons, George Finch, P. East, M. Cooper, M. Hoar, D. Hearn, A. Bruton, L. Hammond and C. Ware.

31 May Winchmore Hill C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Winchmore Hill

(Weds.) 53 for 7

50

Winchmore Hill won by 3 wkts.

3 June Broadfields Park C.C. (Edgware) v Chesham Bois C. C. played at Edgware

143

121

(I. Gomm 8 for 37)

(Reg. King 63)

Broadfields Park won by 22 runs

4 June Chesham Bois C.C. v Potten End C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

104

19 & 165 for 8 (A. Groves 4 for 5 inc. a Hat-trick)

(Reg. King 40)

Chesham Bois won by 85 runs on first innings

The Chesham Bois team was:

Reg. King, Roger King, K. Parsons, J. Relf (Snr), George Finch, D. Hook, M. Cooper, A. Groves, A. Bruton, J. Relf (Jnr) and C. Ware.

7 June Chesham Bois C.C. v Royal Oak played at Chesham Bois Common

(Weds.) 37

74

Royal Oak won by 8 wkts and batted on

10 June Seer Green C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Seer Green Recreation Ground

101

159 for 7 dec.

Chesham Bois won by 58 runs



17 June Chesham Bois C.C. v Addressograph / Multigraph C.C.(Hemel) at Bois Common

121

67 & 105 for 6

Chesham Bois won by 54 runs on first innings

## *Partnership triumphs*

CHESHAM BOIS beat Addressograph and Multigraph by 54 runs on Saturday. The Bois dismissed their guests for 67—top-scorer was Dykes with 22. Bowling returns were Gordon Finch 4 for 20, Gomm 2 for 24, Smith 2 for 7 and Vince 2 for 11.

Bois started badly and were five wickets down for 19. Vince (35) and Gordon Finch (7) then shared in a stand of 50 which contributed greatly to the side's victory. The tail wagged, however, and Bois were all out for 121. Bruton hit 24 not out and Smith 13. Davis took 3 for 35 and Blythe 3 for 26.

Bucks Examiner Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1961

18 June Northchurch C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at North church

141

78

(D. Hearn 6 for 58)

Northchurch won by 63 runs

## **Northchurch victory**

Away at Northchurch on Sunday, Chesham Bois lost by 63 runs. Northchurch, at 93 for 2 (Fanthom 55, Willis 28), looked set for a big score but the Bois stuck to their task and dismissed the home side for 141. Hearn took 6 for 58.

Chesham Bois looked in real trouble at the start of their innings, losing three wickets for only 8 runs. They managed to total 78, thanks mainly to L. Hammond's 19, Keith Parsons' 17, Ian Gomm's 12 not out and Colin Ware's 11.

Bucks Examiner Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1961

The Chesham Bois team was:

D. Hearn, R. Hearn, K. Parsons, M. Cooper, C. Ware, L. Hammond, (?) Millar, I. Gomm,  
P. Nash, (?) Harris and E. Hammond.

20 June Chalfont Colony C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Chalfont (Tues.)

58

107 for 8 dec. (George Finch 48)

Chesham Bois won by 49 runs

24 June Chesham Bois C.C. v Leverstock Green C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

72 & 16 for 5

\*47 & \*\*39

\*(A. Grove 5 for 26) \*\*(I. Gomm 5 for 13)

Chesham Bois won by 5 wkts.

1 July Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Beaconsfield

39 for 2

37

Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI won by 8 wkts.

In a second innings match there was a win for Chesham Bois by 7 wkts.

Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI v Chesham Bois C.C.

74

79 for 3

3 July Twickenham All Souls C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Marble Hill Park

(Mon.)

65

73

(I. Gomm 6 for 12)

Chesham Bois won by 8 runs

N.B. this was an All Day Match & 12 a Side

## Bois defeat All Souls

Chesham Bois, in an exciting game, beat All Souls (Twickenham) by eight runs. The Bois totalled 73. (A. Bruton 19, George Finch 11, Colin Ware 10) against the bowling of Mackenzie (6 for 31) and Chippendale (5 for 31). Both sides fielded 12 men.

After losing 8 wickets for 26, All Souls, with Harrison hitting 21 and Andrews 17, looked like turning the game in their favour but they failed when opening bowler Gomm (6 for 12) returned.

### Bucks Examiner Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 1961

In the second match played of 20 overs per side:

Twickenham All Saints C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C.

66 for 7

108 for 0 wkts. (Gordon Finch 66 n.o.)

Chesham Bois won by 42 runs

In the second game, this being an all-day match, Bois openers Gordon Finch (66 n.o.) and Reg King (33 retired hurt) enabled Bois to declare without loss at 108.

In reply, All Souls made 66 for 7 wickets.

### Bucks Examiner Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 1961

The Chesham Bois team was:

Reg. King, Gordon Finch, M. Hoar, K. Parsons, C. ware, George Finch, I. Gomm, A.Bruton, M. Cooper, L. Hammond, P. Nash and B. Bruton.

4 July Chesham 3<sup>rd</sup> XI v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Chesham

(Tues.) 69 for 9

90 for 7

(Gordon Finch 5 for 24) (L. Hammond 31)

Chesham Bois won by 21 runs

N.B. This was a 22 over per side match

8 July Great Missenden C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Great Missenden

93

80

(P. Nash 5 for 25) (D. Hook 30)

Great Missenden won by 13 runs

9 July Chesham Bois C.C. v Warners End C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

107 for 7

106

(P. East 41 n.o./Gordon Finch 41)

Chesham Bois won by 3 wkts.

15 July Farnham Common C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Farnham Common

25

40

Chesham Bois won by 15 runs

16 July Chesham Bois C.C. v Rickmansworth British Legion C.C. at Bois Common

148 for 8

146 for 0 dec.

(George Finch 71 n.o.)

Chesham Bois won by 2 wkts.

The Chesham Bois team was:

Gordon Finch, B. Lawson, P. East, K. Parsons, George Finch, A. Bruton, C. Ware, M. Cooper, I. Gomm, P. Nash and B. Bruton.

19 July Chesham Bois C.C. v Winchmore Hill C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

(Weds.)                      61 for 5    53

Chesham Bois won by 5 wkts.

22 July Jordans C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Jordans Estate

107 for 6    106 (C. Ware 30)

Jordans won by 4 wkts.

23 July Potten End C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Potten End

118    89 (M. Hoar 50)

Potten End won by 29 runs

The Chesham Bois team was:

Gordon Finch, M. Cooper, L. Barker, L. Hammond, C. Ware, George Finch, A. Bruton,

D. Hearn, A. Groves, M. Hoar and P. Nash.

22<sup>nd</sup> July

Batting first in their game against Jordans on Saturday, Chesham Bois lost six wickets with only 60 runs on the board. But a fine innings of 30 by skipper Ware helped them to a total of 106.

Support also came from George Finch (15), Parsons (12), Bruton (12) and Vince (12). Dodd took 6 for 31 for Jordans.

Jordans started briskly and due mainly to Nicholson (29) and Salisbury (21) passed the Chesham Bois total with four wickets in hand.

Bowling for the home side, Gordon Finch took 3 for 24, Reg King 2 for 21.

23<sup>rd</sup> July

Despite a tenth-wicket partnership of 55, Chesham Bois lost their Sunday fixture against Potten End by 29 runs.

Batting first, Potten End were all out for 118 of which Bandy and Sills each made 34. Gordon Finch took 3 for 28 for Chesham Bois and Peter Nash 4 for 21.

The home side's batting collapsed in reply. Eight batsmen were back in the pavilion with only 28 runs scored.

Michael Hoar, batting at No. 10, came to their rescue with a hard hit 50 in only 25 minutes but even so Chesham Bois were all out for 89. Other scorers were Groves (14) and Barker (11).

Ringsell, bowling for Potten End, took 6 for 28, including three wickets in one over.

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29 July West Hyde & Maple Cross C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at West Hyde

106 for 8    103

(Gordon Finch 5 for 26)

West Hyde & Maple Cross won by 2 wkts.

30 July Leverstock Green C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. played at Leverstock Green

110    112 for 6 (M. Hoar 31 n.o.)

Chesham Bois won by 4 wkts.

5 Aug. Chesham Bois C.C. v Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI played at Chesham Bois Common

99    115

Beaconsfield 3<sup>rd</sup> XI won by 16 runs

6 Aug. Chesham Bois C.C. v Northchurch C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

144    117 for 9

(P. East 58)

## Match Drawn

The Chesham Bois team was:

Gordon Finch, P. East, A. Groves, I. Gomm, K. Parsons, M. Hoar, C. Ware, A. Bruton,  
L. Hammond, M. Cooper and P. Nash.

27 Aug. Buckland Common & St. Leonards C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. at Buckland Common

\*20 & \*\* ? 115 for 6 dec.

\*(P. Nash 5 for 4) \*\*(I. Gomm 5 for 17)

Chesham Bois won

3 Sept. Chesham Bois C.C. v Sun Sports C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

72 73 for 6

Sun Sports won by 4 wickets.

Low total  
for Bois

CHESHAM BOIS could total only 72 against the bowling of Sun Sports First XI bowlers. Davey (5 for 20) and Hogan (5 for 51) in their match at Chesham Bois on Sunday.

Roger King was top-scorer for the Bois with 20.

The Bois dismissed two batsmen shortly before tea for only 5 runs. But heavy rain during the tea interval made fielding conditions difficult when play was resumed and Bois did well to claim six wickets before Sun Sports passed their total to win.

## Bucks Examiner Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 1961

16 Sept. Chesham Bois C.C. v Jordans C.C. played at Chesham Bois Common

116 for 9 115 (Reg. King 5 for 12)

Chesham Bois won by 1 wicket.

17 Sept. Addressograph & Multigraph C.C. v Chesham Bois C.C. at Hemel Hempstead

133 for 4 dec. 99

Addressograph & Multigraph won by 34 runs

24 Sept. Chesham Bois C.C. v Bourne End C.C. (Herts.) at Chesham Bois Common

125 170 for 8 dec.

(P. East 37)

Bourne End won by 45 runs

CHESHAM BOIS lost their match against Bourne End by 45 runs on Sunday, thanks mainly to a grand 102 by Bourne End opening bat, Stanbridge and the fine support of Fletcher (39 n.o.). Bourne End's innings closed at 170 for 8. Gordon Finch took 3 for 20 for Bois and Ian Gomm 3 for 47.

Bois hit back and had lost only 4 wickets for 100. But the remaining wickets toppled for the addition of a mere 25 runs and the side was all out for 125.

Peter East was top scorer with 37 and support came from King (27) and Bunce (18).

## Bucks Examiner Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 1961

## AVERAGES UP TO 6<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 1961

NAME	BATTING					HIGHEST SCORE	BOWL					FIELDING	
	INNINGS	NOT OUT	RUNS	AVERAGE			OVERS	MAIDENS	RUNS	WICKETS	AVERAGE	CATCHES	STUMPINGS
REG KING	29	—	502	17.31	66		49.2	7	175	21	8.33	8	
N. BUNCE	10	—	77	8.55	15		28.3	7	121	12	10.08	2	
L. PARKER	8	—	57	8.14	16							2	
GEORGE FINCH	24	3	307	14.62	71*		112.1	28	292	37	7.92	7	1
I. GOMM	24	7	143	8.41	22		178	34	467	72	6.49	7	
GORDON FINCH	31	3	311	10.03	66*		157.1	43	455	48	9.48	12	
L. HAMMOND	25	9	158	9.87	31*		82.4	14	292	24	12.17	3	
M. COOPER	28	—	109	4.04	18		17	3	44	10	4.40	8	
M. HOAR	23	4	217	11.42	50		4	—	12	—	—	11	
A. GROVES	20	5	122	8.12	32*		127.4	25	329	46	7.15	2	
C. WARE	34	2	281	8.78	37		6	1	28	3	9.33	19	8
R. SMITH	7	—	91	13.00	26		42.3	14	110	16	6.87	4	
P. EAST	18	2	319	19.94	58		2	—	15	—	—	4	
D. HEARN	14	2	57	4.75	17		57.5	12	162	20	8.10	12	
A. BRUTON	25	3	146	6.64	24*		11	—	37	—	—	11	
F. CHASEMORE	3	—	—	0.33	—							—	
W. WOODON	2	—	36	18.00	34							—	
D. COLBY	2	—	—	0.50	—							—	
R. VINCE	11	1	102	10.20	36		42.1	7	120	17	7.06	2	
D. HOOK	4	—	56	18.67	30		2	—	13	—	—	2	
C. O'NEILL	3	—	9	3.00	9							3	
K. PARSONS	12	—	123	10.25	28		2.2	—	18	2	9.00	7	
G. JOHNER	1	—	0	—	—		7	—	21	4	5.25	—	
ROGER KING	1	—	0	—	—		4.5	1	28	3	9.33	—	
J. BELF (SNR)	3	—	14	4.67	14		2	1	21	1	21.00	1	
JOHN BELF	2	—	0	—	—							—	
E. KENT	1	—	10	10.00	10							—	
P. NASH	7	3	—	0.25	—		61	8	215	22	9.77	1	
R. HEARN	2	—	15	7.50	11							—	
MILLAR	1	—	—	5.00	5							—	
HARRIS	1	—	—	5.00	5							—	
E. HAMMOND	1	—	—	—	—							—	
B. BRUTON	4	1	—	—	—							—	
V. BRUTON	1	—	—	—	—							—	
LAWSON	1	—	8	8.00	8							—	
B. KNOWLES	1	—	—	—	—							—	

The averages above are not complete, as full details were not available. However the report found in the Bucks Examiner of Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 1961 tells us the top two batsmen and top two bowlers for the season.

Batsmen: 1) Peter East 22.1

2) Reg. King 17.5

Bowlers: 1) Ian Gomm 107 wkts. At 9.4

2) Alan Groves 44 wkts. At 9.6

Season Results: Played 51 Won 26 Drawn 3 Lost 22

## Chesham Bois —A.G.M.—

OUT of the 51 games played during the season, Chesham Bois Cricket Club won 26, lost 22 and drew three. Peter East headed the batting averages with 22.1, followed by Reg King with an average of 17.5.

Top of the bowling averages was Ian Gomm, who took 107 wickets with an average of 9.4 per wicket. Alan Groves came second with 44 wickets and an average of 9.6.

These were the averages presented at the recent annual meeting of Chesham Bois C.C. held at the Station Hotel, Amersham.

Peter East was elected Captain for the 1962 season, with Ian Gomm and Nigel Bunce as joint Vice-captains.

The Executive Committee was re-elected as follows: Chairman, E. Bridgstock Choat; Vice-chairman, C. A. Cole; Secretary, Ian Gomm; Treasurer, Peter East; Match Secretary, Ron Vince.

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