### **Season 1988**

President- E.G.Nash
Chairman- A.K.Mead
Hon Sec- C.Cotterill
Treasurer-B.Mohammed
Captain 1st X1-Ryland Wallace,
Captain 2nd X1- P.D.W.Sussex,
Captain 3rd X1- Mike Bruton

The First X1 after a great start finished in a disappointing 10<sup>th</sup> position in the Three Counties League (TCL)



Pictured above Mike Powell (Clubman)Phil Watkins (1st X1 Player of the Year) Richard Beaumont (Most Improved Player) Richard Brown (2nd X1 Player of the Year)

April 23rd Malpas 150-5 M.Bruton 2-33 & 1 wkt each for Cook Francis and Lewis. Abergavenny 133 all out P.Jones (73) A.Cook (16) P.Sussex (9)April 24th Abergavenny 132-7 R.Wallace (28) M.Morris (64) A.Gatrad (10) Cardiff Nomads 92-7 D.Hamer 4-18 N.Francis 2-9 D.Lewis 1-14

Not surprisingly the opening TCL match on April 30<sup>th</sup> versus Colwall was abandoned to rain with Abergavenny having scored 126 all out R.Wallace (22) P.Sussex (34) A.Cook (29) N.Francis (17\*) consequently things got underway for real on May 7<sup>th</sup> with a home fixture against Frocester. Frocester batted first and totalled 141-9 the man who did the damage with the ball was Alan Cook with 7-56 with P.Watkins and M.James taking a wicket apiece. Unfortunately for Frocester they lost opener Geoff Hudd with a nasty injury after top edging a ball onto his forehead. Abergavenny scraped home in failing light to win by 3 wickets with one over to spare. From a position of 94-5 off 37 overs Skipper Ryland Wallace with 28 not out saw the side home. Abergavenny 142-7 with runs from M.Winstanley (22)P.Watkins (26) and R.Wallace (28\*) M.Bloor (15) M.Powell (14) P.Jones (11)

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May 7<sup>th</sup> 1988 Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 164-7 C.Connolly (67) R.Beaumont (130 W.Butterworth (11) P.Sussex (27) Frocester 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 166-1 P.Sussex 21 Overs 7 maidens 1-44 Abergavenny 1<sup>st</sup> X1 193-6 M.Winstanley (60) M.Morris (26) P.Watkins (26) M.Bloor (35) C.Connolly (17) R.Beaumont (9) Llandaff 104-5. Match Drawn

May 14<sup>th</sup> Ross were then beaten by 7 wickets. Ross 103-9 A.Cook 6-37 K.Holmes 2-34, M.James 1-18. Abergavenny 104-3 thanks mainly to P.Watkins (51\*) M.Winstanley (13) and P.Jones (30) May 14<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 262-6 R.Brown (14) R.Beaumont (25) W.Butterworth (53) P.Sussex (79) M.Leader (58\*) A.Coles (11\*) Ross 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 232-8 A.Morris 3-76 D.Lewis 1-46 P.Sussex 4-22

May 21<sup>st</sup> Panteg looked well held when they were dismissed for 143-9, Kyle Holmes 4-45 and Alan Cook 3-43 with a wicket each for M.James & P.Havard especially as Abergavenny progressed to 86-2 with Phil Watkins scoring (50) and Ryland Wallace (26) M.Leader (16) G.Thomas (13), Abergavenny however capitulated to 135 all out.

May 21<sup>st</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 162 all out R.Beaumont (14) N.Francis (15) P.Sussex(58) T.Hulbert (14) D.Hamer (13) Panteg 2<sup>nd</sup> x1 163 -8 P.Sussex 2-46 A.Morris 3-41 N.Francis 2-17 D.Lewis 1-11. May 22<sup>nd</sup> a friendly v Radyr saw Abergavenny win by 8 wickets Wickets for Moorcroft(1) James (2) Beaumont, Lewis and Jones 1 wkt each. P.Jones (43) M.Winstanley (31\*)

May 26th Against Usk no result was possible. Abergavenny 15-o v Usk (Rain stopped play)

June 4<sup>th</sup> Tewkesbury were hammered. Tewkesbury 85 all out, wickets shared by K.Holmes 5-26 and A.Cook 5-16 Abergavenny 87-2 R.Wallace (39\*)P.Watkins (31) June 4<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 170-8 M.Powell (30) R.Brown (19) P.Sussex (15) N.Francis (36) R.Beaumont (46\*) Tewkesbury 132-9 P.Sussex 2-27, N.Francis 3-46 N.Martin 1-26, A.Charrington 1-26.

June 5<sup>th</sup> Winget were also beaten. Abergavenny 180 all out with R.Wallace just missing out on a league century with (96) M.Winstanley (37) K.Holmes (17) P.Jones (13) Winget 108 all out with K.Holmes 4-44,S.Moorcroft 3-35,A.Cook 3-19.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 Sunday fixture against the Winget 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 who were the undefeated league leaders, saw Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 making 7 changes within the 24 hours. Winget 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 170 all out Andrew Morris 6-74 R.Beaumont 3-47, to compound the selection problems skipper P.Sussex limped off with a pulled hamstring. Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 -73 all out R.Beaumont [24] and Mike Bruton [16] the only scores of note. Tony Salter 8-37

June 6<sup>th</sup> Defeat in the first round of the Macey at lowly Beaufort was also a disappointment. Beaufort 83 A.Cook 4-25 P.Watkins 2-18,M.James 1-11 P.Havard 1-20 Abergavenny 71 all out K.Holmes(110 P.Jones (17) M.James (13)



In 1988 the Club lost another stalwart when Cliff Cox passed away.

Cliff played for the club for many seasons and was renowned for his 'big hitting' He has since his retirement from playing acted as umpire for the Club, standing in many games throughout the late seventies and eighties.

Always on hand with a good story of years gone by and good company in the bar after matches. He was also a very keen grower of Dahlias and often provided players with a bunch to take home for their wives

June 11<sup>th</sup> Cirencester were next to test Abergavenny and a pair of youngsters Matthew Leader (15) and Nick Francis (12) complemented a great (74) by Phil Watkins and (44) from Kyle Holmes for Abergavenny to reach 180 – 8. Kyle Holmes taking 5-27 with great support from Alan Cook 3-25 and M.James 2-21 routed Cirencester who were all out for 94. June 11<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 146-8 M.Powell (48) C.Cotterill(10) R.Brown (13) P.Jones (24) T.Hulbert (20) Cirencester 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 150-0

At this point after 9 fixtures in the TCL Abergavenny had only lost one to Panteg.

June 18<sup>th</sup> Chepstow proved just too good. Chepstow 210 all out Adrian Dale (25) lbw to Moorcroft.K.Holmes 3-48, P.Watkins 2-34 Moorcroft & Cook 1 wicket each. Abergavenny 205-8 P.Watkins (52) R.Wallace (22) M.Leader (25) M.Winstanley (20) S.Moorcroft (27\*) K.Holmes (21)June 18<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 186-8 M.Powell (30) W.Butterworth (11) R.Brown (40) T.Hulbert (60) A.Gatrad (18) Chepstow 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 126-9 P.Havard 1-16, D.Hamer 4-52 N.Francis 3-17

June 19<sup>th</sup> A really high scoring defeat followed to Hatherley. Abergavenny 259-3 (a club record in the TCL) K.Holmes (116) P.Watkins (54\*)R.Wallace (35) P.Jones (39\*) Hatherley 261-6 S.Moorcroft 2-75 A.Cook 2-49 P.Watkins 2-52 June 19<sup>th</sup> Hatherley & Reddings 141-8 P.Havard 3-23, D.Hamer 3-45, N.Francis 2-30 P.Sussex with 5 catches. Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 142-4 R.Beaumont (25) R.Brown (17) J.Jones (15) W.Butterworth (49) P.Sussex (27\*)

Mark Winstanley made his maiden century against Emmer Green (Reading) Emmer Green 210-5 S.Lennox, N.Francis, Lweis, Winstanley and Beaumont 1 wicket each. Abergavenny 214-6 M.Bradley (23) Mark Winstanley (101) P.Jones (27) J.Jones (14) N.Francis (22)

June 25<sup>th</sup> Hereford proved too good with Abergavenny 201-7 Dale Elcock 4-60 R.Wallace (77) M.Winstanley (87) They put on 132 for the 2<sup>nd</sup> wicket. Hereford 202-3 A.Cook 3-53 Hereford 1<sup>st</sup> X1 included A.Socket, A.Chadd, R.Flack,R.Skyrme, Phil Hunt, I Foster & S.Verry as well as Dale Elcock a very fiery West Indian

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June 30<sup>th</sup> New South Wales University 279-7 N.Francis 1-44, S.Lennox 2-38,A.Cook 2-54 M.Leader 1-67.Abergavenny 197 all out M.Powell (40) P.Watkins (36) R.Wallace (16) M.Bloor (14) M.Bradley (19) P.Jones (18) M.Leader (10) S.Lennox (10\*) A.Cook (10)

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July 2<sup>nd</sup> A washout against Stinchcombe and Lydney followed. Stinchcombe were 80-7 Mike James having taken 5-21 and P.Watkins 2-10 when the rain came. July 2<sup>nd</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 116 all out R.Brown (10) W.Butterworth (40) A.Gatrad (27) R.Hulston (12) Stinchcombe 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 119-8 P.Sussex 5-48 A.Charrington 3-8

July 6<sup>th</sup> Alton 189 all out P.Jones 4-47 One wicket each for Lennox,G.Thomas, Winstanley,C.Connolly & M.Bradley Phil Jones 4-47.Abergavenny 190-7 M.Morris (25) M.Bradley (23) G.Thomas (56) C.Connolly (18) M.Winstanley (36\*)

July 9<sup>th</sup> Colwall were next opponents. Abergavenny 172-9 M.Bloor (43) K.Holmes (28) R.Wallace (18) P.Watkins (27) A.Gatrad (10) A.Cook (24\*)Colwall 155 all out K.Holmes 8-65, A.Cook 2-39 July 9<sup>th</sup> Colwall 2<sup>nd</sup> x1 105 all out P.Sussex 5-41 A.Charrington 4-26 A.Morris 1-36 Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 79 all out R.Brown (25) P.Sussex(10)

July 17<sup>th</sup> A good win against Ross. Abergavenny 202-8 K.Holmes (48) P.Sussex (19) A.Cook (54\*) P.Watkins (20) S.Moorcroft (28) Ross 119-5 K.Holmes 2-22 S.Moorcroft 2-38

July 31st A bitter disappointment followed against Usk. Usk 123 all out P.Watkins 5-45 P.Havard 1-17, A.Cook 2-36 N.Francis 1-12 Abergavenny disappointingly 75 all out P.Watkins (15) M.Leader (16) R.Wallace (26) July 30th Usk 2nd x1 132 all out P.Sussex 3-39 A.Morris 5-61 A.Charrington 2-22 Abergavenny 2nd X1 136-6 M.Powell 926) R.Brown (52) P.Sussex (22)

August 5<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 169-8 R.Wallace (61) P.Jones (12) M.Winstanley (10) M.Leader (34) P.Thomas (11) N.Francis (22) Mayflies 175-2 A.Gatrad 2-31

August 6<sup>th</sup> Tewkesbury beat Abergavenny in the next match. Abergavenny 162 all out P.Watkins (66) G.Thomas (34) M.Leader (12) M.Bloor (18) G.Thomas (34) Tewkesbury 163-8 P.Watkins with 4 wickets, Alan Cook and Paul Sussex with 2 wickets each. August 6<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 206-4 R.Brown (94\*) W.Butterworth (66) P).Jones (20) Tewkesbury 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 101-9 A.Morris 2-30, N.Martin 1-23, A.Charrington 3-24, P.Jones 3-16

August 7<sup>th</sup> Next up, Winget easily reached their target of 126 to win by 8 wickets. Abergavenny 125 all out G.Thomas (38) P.Sussex (48) P.Watkins (11)Winget 126-2 P.Watkins 2-34 August 7<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 145-7 M.Morris (28) R.Brown (19) C.Connolly (14) T.Hulbert (16) R.Beaumont (28\*) A.Gatrad (12) S.Eccles (13\*) Winget 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 146-0

August 20<sup>th</sup> Chepstow whitewashed Abergavenny. Abergavenny 121 all out M.Powell (26)R.Wallace (26)P.Sussex (26) R.Brown (11) Chepstow 123-0 August 19<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 99 all out P.Jones (51) R.Beaumont (22) Chepstow 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 101-6 D.Lewis 4-34 P.Jones 2-29

The low score against Hatherley was the low point of the season having bowled them out cheaply. Hatherley 154 all out P.Sussex 4-37 P.Jones 3-37 M.James 1-22 Abergavenny were 52 all out R.Hulston (16) A.Cook (14)

Five defeats in a row in August saw Abergavenny plummet from 3<sup>rd</sup> place challenging for the title to 9<sup>th</sup> place August 21<sup>st</sup> Hatherley 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 200-4 N.Francis 2-62 A.Morris 1-65 A Carter 1-25 Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 201-3 M.Brown (11) C.Connolly (86) S.Eccles (47) R.Brown (25\*) N.Francis (21\*)

Hereford 219-5 S.Moorcroft 2-50 Jones, Sussex & Watkins One wicket each Abergavenny 60 all out against Elcock and Foster P.Jones (14) M.James (13)





#### Centurions

K.Holmes (116) away at Hatherley Mark Winstanely (101) Home v Emmer Green Pictured left R.Wallace and Alan Cook Kyle Holmes was selected for the TCL Team to play in Wolverhampton, Mike Bloor was selected for Gwent versus Buckinghamshire and Matthew Leader was selected to play for Gwent against North Wales







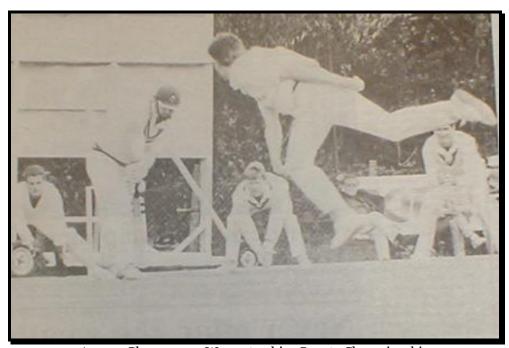








Pictured above, Top Row - G.Thomas, M.James, K.Holmes, M.Bloor, Bottom Row- M. Powell, B. Mohamed, P. Watkins and Paul Sussex



Aug 13 Glamorgan v Worcestershire County Championship

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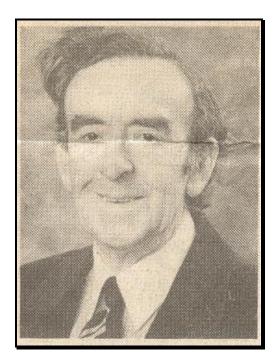
Glamorgan Skipper Hugh Morris plays defensively to a ball from Phil Newport, whilst wicketkeeper Rhodes and slips Curtis and Hick wait for a chance



The Ladies Committee which only started in 1977, become one of the main fund raisers in the Club. Their hard work raised £4,000. Pictured left is Chairman Tony Mead accepting the cheque from the Ladies Chair Mrs Dot Bloor

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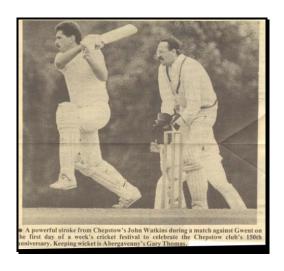
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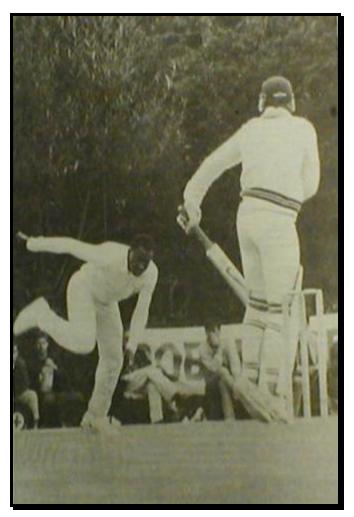


Pictured Left, Lewis White who sadly passed away on January 13<sup>th</sup> 1988 aged 74 years. 'Lew' had been with the club since 1946. He held almost every senior office within the club, Coach, Captain, Chairman of Ground and Club Chairman as well as being a most influential player. He hailed from Gorseinon. Until his health deteriorated he regularly umpired for the First X1. A real Trojan of the Club and very few people who talk about Abergavenny Cricket fail to mention his tremendous contribution.

Honoured as a Life Member

Chepstow C.C. celebrate their 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 1988 Below action from one of the matches put on to commemorate that achievement, pictured is Abergavennys' Gary Thomas in action behind the stumps.



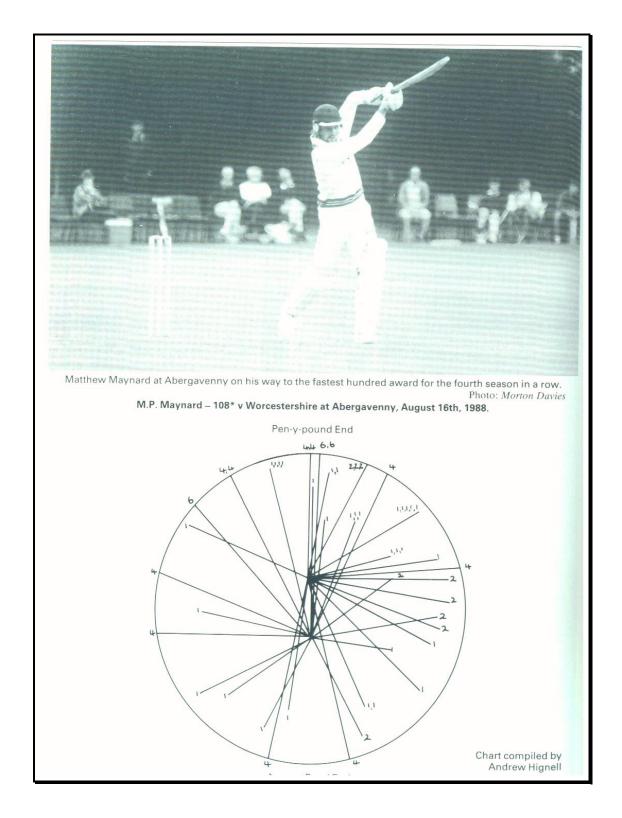


Pictured left Ricky Elcock in action, in the match won by Worcestershire by 5 wickets. Glamorgan 298-9 declared. (Greg Thomas, 100 not out) and 243-3 declared (M.Maynard 108 not out) Worcestershire 200-5 declared and 344-5 in 71 overs. (G.Hick 159, T.Curtis 86) Greg Thomas scored his maiden Championship hundred. The weather only permitted a total of 285 overs and there were three declarations to ensure a result. As well as the County Championship match Glamorgan v Worcester, Avenue Road hosted Glamorgan 2nd X1 on May 24<sup>th</sup> in the Bain Clarkson Trophy v Warwickshire Glamorgan-200 I.Smith (61) M.Roberts (57) then it rained and a 1 day 2nd X1 Championship match against

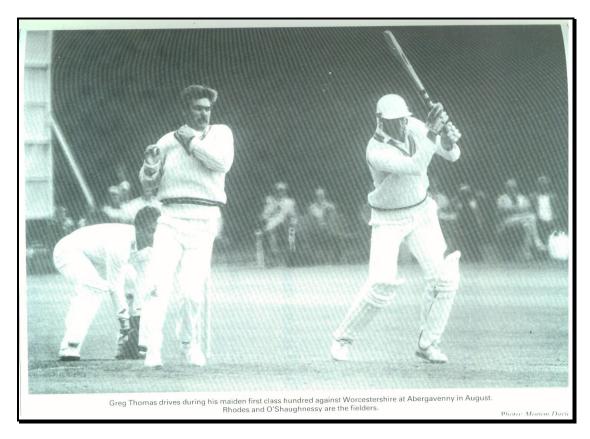
Nottingham (Abandoned)



The County Championship Scene



#### GLAMORGAN v WORCESTERSHIRE Date: 13/15/16 August 1988 Toss won by: Worcestershire Result: Worcestershire won by 5 wickets At: Abergavenny Umpires: A.G.T. Whitehead, D.G.L. Evans Scorers: B.T. Denning, J.W. Sewter Determined efforts by the late order batsmen brought respectability to Glamorgan, with Greg Thomas scoring a well deserved maiden first-class century. This after the Worcester attack, admirably spearheaded by Newport, had reduced them to 92 for 6. Then a tactical declaration by Neale on reaching a second batting point left Glamorgan to set a target. They responded well, Maynard in particular being very severe on some friendly bowling. His 108 included 3 sixes and 10 fours. Worcester suffered an early set-back in pursuit of the 341 for victory, Lord being brilliantly caught in the gulley by Butcher off a full blooded square drive. But with Hick and Curtis taking control, Worcester moved inexorably towards victory, Hick passing the 2000 run mark for the summer in quite imperious style. GLAMORGAN 2nd INNINGS 1st INNINGS c Newport b O'Shaughnessy . 41 A.R. Butcher lbw b Curtis ...... 59 P.A. Cottey H. Morris\* c Hick b Newport ..... b Weston ..... b Newport ...... 24 not out ...... 108 M.P. Maynard b Newport ..... c Hick b Pridgeon 14 c Rhodes b Pridgeon 1 b Illingworth 43 R.J. Shastri (5) not out ..... G.C. Holmes R.C. Ontong J.G. Thomas C.P. Metson† 9 S.L. Watkin c Neale b Illingworth ...... 23 10. S.R. Barwick Fall of wickets: 1st innings—1-12, 2-38, 3-61, 4-72, 5-77, 6-92, 7-169, 8-235, 9-290. 2nd innings—1-63, 2-66, 3-165, 4-, 5-, 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-. W W 3 108 32220 34.1 4 0 13 0 Elcock ..... Pridgeon ..... 19 Illingworth ..... 31 6 9 35 O'Shaughnessy ..... Hick ...... Neale ..... 4 0 13 0 62 0 14 10.2 Curtis ..... WORCESTERSHIRE 1st INNINGS 2nd INNINGS T.S. Curtis c & b Barwick ..... G.J. Lord c Maynard b Ontong ..... b Holmes ...... 46 b Holmes ..... b Watkin ..... M.J. Weston b Thomas ..... not out ..... S.J. Rhodes† P.J. Newport not out ..... not out ..... R.K. Illingworth 10. R.M. Ellcock A.P. Pridgeon Extras ..... TOTAL ...... 344-5 Fall of wickets: 1st innings—1-82, 2-82, 3-82, 4-170, 5-171, 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-2nd innings—1-4, 2-196, 3-196, 4-313, 5-324, 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-. Bowling: W Thomas ..... 62 69 Watkin ..... 18 Ó 90 6 28 15 Barwick ..... 22 0 4 Ontong ..... 0 43 0 2 Holmes .... 142 68



Greg Thomas pictured above on his way to his maiden First Class Century at Avenue Road.

#### Mike Fatkins observations of Avenue Road

"The following week we arrived in Abergavenny. There isn't a better sight than Abergavenny in good weather and we ended up being lucky even if Graeme Hick spoiled the script. Abergavenny too has one pet problem as far as the office is concerned and it is quite simply this-Balls. With Maynard and Shastri in your side you automatically take plenty with you, but playing against Hick and on a small ground, well, you can imagine. And we needed them all as Maynard hit about five into someone's fish pond, and Hick decided to lob them into someone's sunken garden in the town centre. It was like watching a game of pinball. The umpires decided the third day was too hot for white coats, so whenever either of the two 'blockers' sent £30 pounds worth over the wall, out would trot a member of the admin staff with a box full of replacements. A steward in Crickhowell might have solved the problem. He could round up the balls and return them, but by the time the idea had struck me it was too late, and you couldn't very well ask the two of them to hit sixes in the one place, or could you? They'd probably do it if they felt like it. Our office at the ground was a converted horse trials box, complete with buzzer in case of refusals, but the umpires were good and we didn't need to use it. Quote of the game, I reckon Hick is over-rated"

Graeme Hicks 159, the highest individual innings at the Avenue Road Ground, he also became the first batsman to pass 2,000 runs in the 1988 season. M.Maynard scored his 108 before lunch on the final day- the first time this feat had been achieved on a Welsh ground since 1969 when Majid Khan did it at Sophia Gardens.

# World Events

Steffi Graf becomes the third woman to win the 'Grand Slam' of all four major tournaments (the Australian Open, French Open, Wimbledon, and US Open). She also wins an Olympic gold medal, following the restoration of tennis to the Olympic Games in Seoul, South Korea. Ben Johnson wins the 100 metres in a world record time of 9.79 seconds; he is then stripped of the title three days later when drug tests reveal traces of an anabolic steroid, stanozol. The Licensing Act in Britain allows all-day opening (from 11 am to 11 pm) to pubs in England and Wales. Margaret Thatcher becomes the longest-serving British prime minister in the 20th century. The English company Tome Associates demonstrates the first desktop computer that responds to voice commands, developed from research by the British Library and London University.

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August 19<sup>th</sup> Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 99 all out P.Jones (51) R.Beaumont (22) Chepstow 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 101-6 D.Lewis 4-34 P.Jones 2-29

August 21<sup>st</sup> Hatherley 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 200-4 N.Francis 2-62 A.Morris 1-65 A Carter 1-25 Abergavenny 2<sup>nd</sup> X1 201-3 M.Brown (11) C.Connolly (86) S.Eccles (47) R.Brown (25\*) N.Francis (21\*)

August 25th Abergavenny 2nd X1 166-5 J.Rees (24) C.Cotterill (10) P.Jones (47) N.Francis (46\*) S.Lennox (19\*) Old Monktonians 167-5 S.Lennox 2-46, N.Francis 1-34, A.Charrington 1-23 Moore 1-17

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