

Abergavenny Cricket Club History

Season 1989

President-J.B.Shackleton
Chairman-A.K.Mead
Hon Sec- C.Cotterill
Treasurer-B.Mohammed
Captain 1st X1-Phil Watkins
2nd X1 Captain-A.Charrington

First League game defeat

April 29th-Abergavenny lost the opening TCL game to Lydney who scored 186-9 Abergavenny in reply were 125 all out with only R.Wallace (70) really impressing

Ton for Phil Watkins

May 6th Against Colwall Abergavenny totalled 243-3 thanks to a brilliant display from Phil Watkins who scored (114*) supported by M.Winstanley (56) and R.Wallace (26) Colwall 231 all out R.Beaumont 5-55 P.Watkins 4-43. Phil Watkins underlying his undoubted all round ability with a century and four wickets.

A great win against Cheltenham who scored 187-4 M.Bloor 2-58 Abergavenny 188-5 G.Thomas (48) S.Moorcroft (39) M.Winstanley (27) Abergavenny began the game fielding with only 8 players.

May 7th Abergavenny 2nd X1 165-5 R.Brown (15) S.Eccles (25) S.Brown (51*) Tony Charrington (33*) Glangrwyney 80 all out T.Charrington 1-14, Neil Skelton 6-19

Tie with Frocester

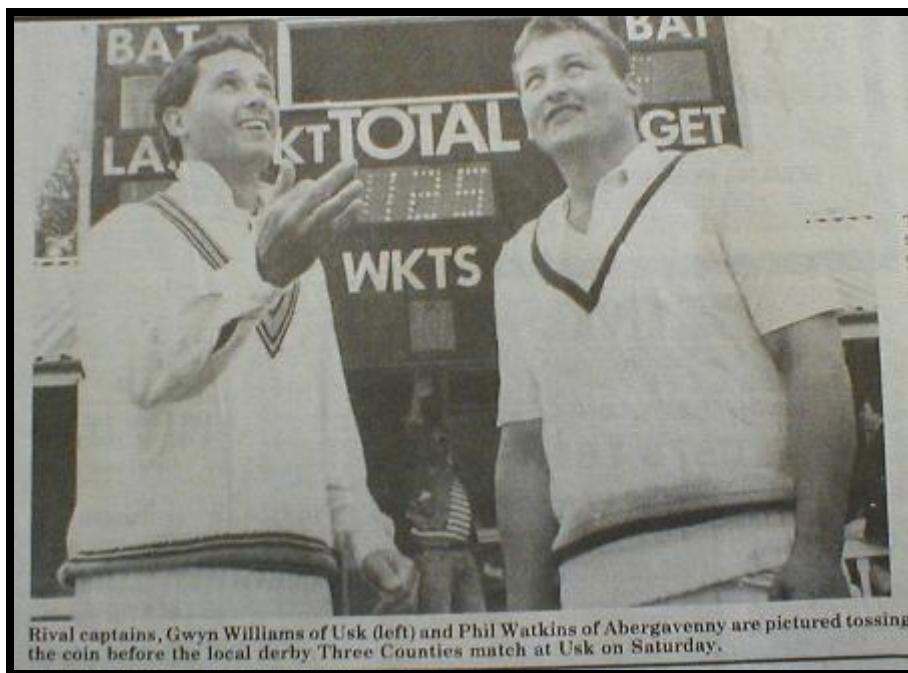
May 13th at home yet another tie followed Frocester 193-3 and Abergavenny 193-8 runs coming from R.Wallace (43) M.Powell (32) and P.Jones (40)

Maiden 'Ton' for Simon Moorcroft

A maiden century was scored by Simon Moorcroft against Caerleon Abergavenny 256-8 S.Moorcroft (137) Viji (51) Caerleon 182-6

May 20th Ross were beaten quite easily Ross 85-9 K.Holmes 5-27 Abergavenny 86-5 P.Watkins (21) M.Bloor (15*)K.Holmes (16*)

May 27th-Panteg at home



Rival captains, Gwyn Williams of Usk (left) and Phil Watkins of Abergavenny are pictured tossing the coin before the local derby Three Counties match at Usk on Saturday.

Phil Watkins
tosses the coin
with John Lewis-
Left

But June 3rd -Usk
having been kept
to 125-9
R.Beaumont 2-
22, K.Holmes 2-
26, A.Cook 4-28.
Reduced
Abergavenny to
86 all out
R.Wallace (31)
M.Bloor (15)

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Abergavenny defeat League leaders

June 4th Abergavenny 163-7 K.Holmes (58) P.Watkins (20) Tewkesbury 105 all out Bluett 3-51, R.Beaumont 3-32, K.Holmes 4-21 A great win as Tewkesbury were top of the table at the start of this fixture.

June 10th Winget continued to be difficult to beat, Abergavenny 209-6 R.Wallace (77)

G.Thomas 44* M.Winstanley (27) M.Bloor (25*) Winget 210-2

June 17th Cirencester away

June 18th Chepstow 235-7 Alan Cook 2-63, R.Bluett 1-40, R.Beaumont 1-54. Abergavenny 1st X1 155-9 Ryland Wallace (43) S.Eccles (55) Gary Thomas (24) R.Beaumont (13*)

June 24th Hatherley Away

League record 10th wicket partnership

July 1st Hereford 147-7 A.Cook 4-61 Abergavenny 113-10 Viji (32) D.Hamer (23) Abergavenny put on 49 for the last wicket This was a record for the TCL for the 10th wicket.

July 8th Lydney at Home

July 15th Abergavenny 192-7 all front five batsmen made double figures Colwall 111-7

K.Holmes 3-25, A.Cook 3-39.

July 16th Abergavenny 148 all out R.Beaumont (48) Frocester 149-8 A.Cook 6-57

July 22nd Ross 179-9 A.Cook 5-69 R.Beaumont 2-36 Abergavenny 183-9 M.Bloor (37*)

M.Morris (42)

July 29th Panteg away

'Ton' for Viji

R.Viji scored his maiden century for the 2nd X1 against Chepstow 2nds

August 5th Abergavenny 221 R.Beaumont (41) P.Watkins (41) M.Morris (36) Usk 222-7 A.Cook 4-81

August 6th Tewkesbury 227-4 Abergavenny 109-8 R.Blewitt 42

Abergavenny 2nd X1 250-8, Tewkesbury 2nd X1 235 all out

August 12th Winger Away

August 19th Abergavenny 165-9 M.Winstanley 93) M.Bloor (38) Cirencester 165-8 A.Cook 2-69, R.Beaumont 2-30, M.James 2-14

August 20th Chepstow 158-7 A.Cook 5-56 K.Miller 4-72 Abergavenny 138 all out R.Wallace

(36) K.Miller (18) August 26th Hatherley at Home. Sept 2nd Hereford Away

League Record for 8th wicket, Hamer & Bloor

Sept 9th- Abergavenny 163-7 M.Bloor (69*) D.Hamer (31*) These two put on 102 for the 8th wicket which again was a league record. However Stinchcombe prevailed at 164-5 A.Cook 4-55



Powys Young Cricketers

Including Mark Wallace, Owen Dawkins, Lee James and The Coles brothers Mark and Andrew, however the star of the team was 'a girl' second left front row.

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Beach Villas League

DIVISION ONE

Winget	22	19	3	16.91
Tewkesbury	23	17	8	14.61
Lydney	22	15	7	14.23
Hereford	24	17	7	14.13
Ponting	21	12	9	13.86
Proccester	22	12	10	11.95
Chapatow	22	11	11	10.50
Abergavenny	23	11	12	10.39
Colwall	23	10	13	10.26
Urk	22	9	13	10.23
Cirencester	22	10	12	10.14
Hatherley	24	9	15	9.50
Ross-on-Wye	22	5	17	8.73
Stinchcombe	24	6	18	7.88

DIVISION TWO

Winget	23	20	3	17.26
Proccester	24	20	4	16.58
Urk	24	19	5	15.46
Hatherley	23	15	8	14.00
Colwall	23	14	9	13.96
Cirencester	22	13	9	13.59
Lydney	22	12	10	11.59
Tewkesbury	23	11	13	11.50
Ponting	21	9	12	11.29
Hereford	22	10	12	10.95
Abergavenny	23	8	17	7.91
Chapatow	21	5	16	7.67
Stinchcombe	23	2	21	4.74
Ross-on-Wye	23	3	21	4.13

(As at September 3)

TCL Table



Under 15 Welsh Cap-J.Phillips

1st X1 Player of the Year- Alan Cook, Young Player of the Year- Matthew Morris, Most Improved Player- Courtney Marsh, Clubman of the Year- Ken Williams. Brian Shackleton was voted onto the Glamorgan Executive Committee for the first time as one of the East Area representatives.

Both Matthew Morris 246 at 27.3 highest score (74) and Mike Bloor 471 runs at 26.2 highest score (69*) made the League Handbook for batting and Alan Cook (55 wickets at 18.30)and Kyle Holmes (26 wickets at 16.30) for bowling.

In the 2nd X1 R.Viji with 456 runs at 41.45 Highest Score (101) Warren Butterworth 276 runs at 34.5 Highest Score (78*) and Phil Jones with 193 runs at 27.57 Highest score (77) In the 2nd X1 bowling Terry Hilbert (22 wickets at 17.09) and Tony Charrington (42 wickets at 18.11) figured



E.G.Nash 1909-1989

On January 28th 1989 the Club lost E.G.'Ted' Nash who passed away aged 80 years. Ted had been synonymous with Abergavenny Cricket Club for many years, Most recently he had been President of the Club and one of the most popular officials the club has ever had. He took on the Presidency in 1971. He was first proposed as a playing member in 1925, so in total had a 64 year association with the Club.

He retired from playing in 1951, but watched with interest the development of his two sons Colin and Malcolm until they made their respective moves to London and Glamorgan. His endeavours for the Club and his Ambassadorial Role have been invaluable and he will be greatly missed by everyone.



Later in the year On 22nd August 1989 the Club was shocked to hear the news that a great friend and valued member Ken Davies BEM had passed away.

Ken Davies BEM

Ken was a hero in many ways, as a dedicated firefighter he served the community without fear for his own well being. He also served Abergavenny Cricket Club as a hardworking Committee member, carrying out most of the maintenance single handed. He was a fanatical cricketer and captain of the Fire Service Midweek League team, which was the most popular of all the teams in the competition due to the spirit in which they played the game both on and off the field.

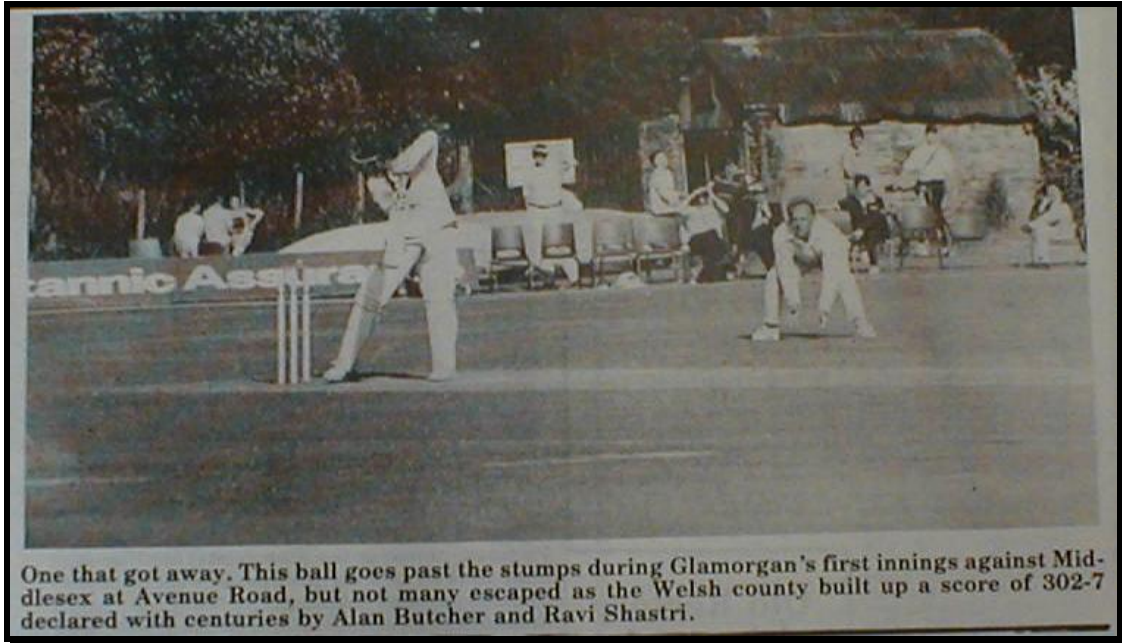
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Jun 10 Glamorgan v Middlesex County Championship Middlesex fail by 6 runs. Glamorgan 302-7 and 311-6 Middx 263-4 and 345-8

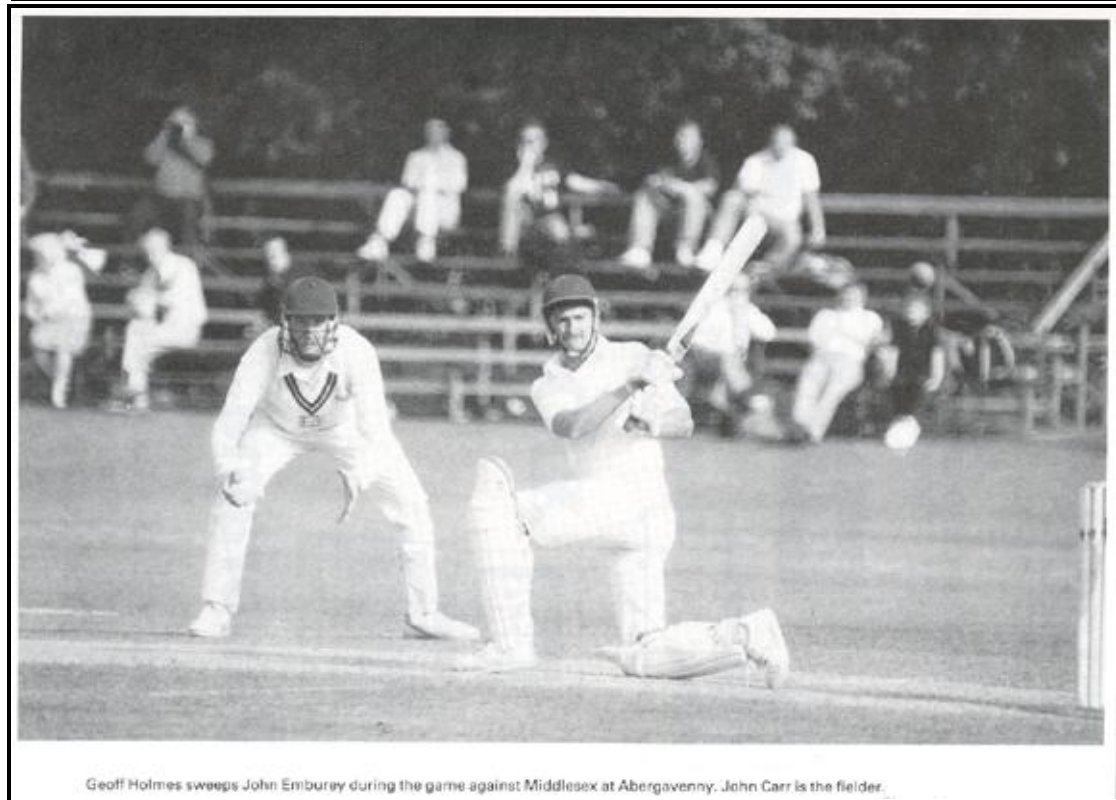
BRITANNIC ASSURANCE CHAMPIONSHIP									
GLAMORGAN v MIDDLESEX									
Date: 10/12/13 June 1989					Toss won by: Glamorgan				
At: Abergavenny					Result: Match Drawn				
Umpires: K.E. Palmer, R.A. White					Scorers: B.T. Denning, H.P.H. Sharp				
<p>In spite of dashing centuries in each innings from Shastri and Butcher's second hundred of the season Glamorgan were happy to escape with a draw after a magnificent 100 off just 78 balls by Paul Downton saw Middlesex needing 14 runs off the last over for victory. Once again this delightful but small Abergavenny ground made the task of setting a target particularly difficult. Michael Carr included some illustrious victims in his consistent performance, but generally the bowlers struggled for results on an excellent wicket. A thoroughly entertaining game played in excellent spirit.</p>									
GLAMORGAN									
1st INNINGS					2nd INNINGS				
1. A.R. Butcher	c & b Emburey	101			c Downton b Hughes	51			
2. H. Morris*	lbw b Cowans	7			c Carr b Fraser	0			
3. M.J. Carr	b Fraser	2			b Cowans	1			
4. M.P. Maynard	lbw b Cowans	5			c Emburey b Tufnell	43			
5. R.J. Shastri	c Downton b Fraser	127			(7) not out	101			
6. G.C. Holmes	not out	28			(5) c Downton b Fraser	33			
7. I. Smith	c Downton b Tufnell	0			(6) c Fraser b Emburey	47			
8. C.P. Metson†	b Tufnell	14			not out	22			
9. S.R. Barwick	not out	0							
10. S.L. Watkin									
11. S. Bastien									
	Extras	18			Extras	13			
	TOTAL	302-7 dec.			TOTAL	311-6 dec.			
<p>Fall of wickets: 1st innings—1-15, 2-22, 3-30, 4-246, 5-275, 6-276, 7-296, 8-, 9-.</p> <p>2nd innings—1-1, 2-6, 3-78, 4-132, 5-140, 6-223, 7-, 8-, 9-.</p>									
Bowling:									
	O	M	R	W	O	M	R	W	
Cowans	12	5	29	2	6	1	17	1	
Fraser	25	3	76	2	18	4	64	2	
Hughes	10	0	31	0	8	1	25	1	
Emburey	29.3	9	84	1	20	6	70	1	
Tufnell	30	4	77	2	22	4	79	1	
Ramprakash					3	0	29	0	
Roseberry					2.5	0	22	0	
MIDDLESEX									
1st INNINGS					2nd INNINGS				
1. J.D. Carr	c Maynard b Bastien	23			c Maynard b Bastien	23			
2. D.L. Haynes	b Carr	85			c & b Watkin	4			
3. M.A. Roseberry	c Morris b Carr	51			c Watkin b Barwick	61			
4. R.O. Butcher	st Metson b Carr	14			c Smith b Watkin	9			
5. M.R. Ramprakash	not out	32			lbw b Bastien	62			
6. P.R. Downton†	not out	34			c & b Barwick	100			
7. N.G. Cowans					b Barwick	10			
8. J.E. Emburey*					lbw b Barwick	5			
9. A.R.C. Fraser					not out	43			
10. S.P. Hughes					not out	5			
11. P.C.R. Tufnell									
	Extras	24			Extras	23			
	TOTAL	263-4 dec.			TOTAL	345-8			
<p>Fall of wickets: 1st innings—1-41, 2-154, 3-181, 4-190, 5-, 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-.</p> <p>2nd innings—1-22, 2-47, 3-62, 4-150, 5-211, 6-246, 7-262, 8-337, 9-.</p>									
Bowling:									
	O	M	R	W	O	M	R	W	
Watkin	16	2	42	0	18	1	92	2	
Barwick	26	7	68	0	28	3	144	4	
Bastien	13	2	41	1	16	1	70	2	
Smith	8	0	44	0					
Shastri	7	2	23	0					
Carr	8	1	30	3	6	0	23	0	
* Captain † Wicket-keeper									

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Action from The County Championship game at Avenue Road



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World Events 1989

Ninety-six Liverpool fans die in a crush during the Football Association (FA) Cup semifinal against Nottingham Forest at Hillsborough, Sheffield, England. Salvador Dalí, Spanish surrealist painter who also designed furniture, jewellery, and stage and film sets, dies in Figueras, Spain (84). Laurence Olivier, English stage and film actor, director, and producer, dies near London, England (82). The proceedings of the House of Commons are broadcast live on television in Britain for the first time, beginning with the debate on the Queen's Speech. Sales of compact discs overtake vinyl LPs for the first time in Britain.