

Beacon Cricket Club Newsletter



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WELCOME TO BEACON CRICKET CLUB

The season has drawn to a close and we have achieved very successful positions in both leagues that we play in. The first team finished 3rd in County Division One having played 22, won 13, lost 4, with 1 tied (against close rivals Troon) and 4 games either abandoned or cancelled due poor weather. The 2nds came 5th in Division 4 West having played 22, won 11, lost 8 with 3 cancelled. We would like to recruit more players to join us next season to what we consider to be a fantastic club both on and off the field. If there is anyone you know who would like to play or is thinking about taking up the game then please let them and us know.

The committee would like to thank all those volunteers who helped throughout the season especially the tea ladies, Clive Thomas and Paul Holmes for scoring and Colin Thomas for the numerous hours put in on the ground again this year.

We raised £200 by the sale of tickets for the cricket bat raffle that was kindly donated by the Cornish Cricket Company. The draw was made by former player John Hutchings and the winner was Helen Tripconey. Our thanks to all who bought tickets.

We are soon to be allocated a 'Tesco Bags of Help' community fund raising box at the Camborne Tesco store where blue tokens collected when you purchase items can be put into the Beacon CC box to raise funds for a youth store. There will be three different boxes with each club trying to get most tokens to win either £1,000, £2,000 or £4,000. So please start collecting now so that we have a good start when it is our turn.

Many congratulations to Chris and Kelen Terrill on the birth of their baby boy. Another Beacon player for the future we hope and Chris is also featured on our player profile section.

Our Dinner & Dance tickets are selling fast so get your tickets soon. After last seasons successful event it will again be held at Tricky's on Saturday 24th November.

The AGM is fast approaching and we remind all players, officials and supporters to attend the meeting held at the clubhouse on **Friday 5th October starting at 19.30**. There are some exciting changes being planned and your input is vital plus the bar will be open.

Yours in cricket – The BCC Committee

Dates for your Diary

05 /10/18 (7.30pm Friday)
Annual General Meeting (Bar Open).

24/11/18 (Saturday)
Dinner & Dance

More social events to be announced soon.

GROUND IMPROVEMENTS



One of our many projects this year has been the clearance of the waste ground beside the old garage. Years of debris and grass cuttings were removed from the site along with old poles and tyres amongst many other items uncovered. The additional space is being levelled, seeded and will be utilised for either parking or the storage of our covers.

A fantastic effort by the players over a September weekend resulted in the square being scarified, re-seeded, fertilized and loam applied in preparation for next season. Parts of the outfield were also scarified and re-seeded. Our thanks go to those players that helped and also to Colin & Clive Thomas and the evergreen John Hutchings.

We have also cleared the waste ground from behind the clubhouse which is also being levelled and seeded for additional parking. There are several projects to be completed before next season including replacing the roof, floor & doors to the old garage, repairing hedges, etc. It will be a busy winter for the club and any help will be greatly appreciated.

The Beacon park on the other side of our top hedge is being regenerated by Camborne Town Council who are investing a lot of money to make this park more suitable for community use. It will hopefully be completed by the Spring and will be a fantastic asset for the village. The picture (yet to be finalised) gives you an idea what to expect.



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PLAYER PROFILES

Chris Terrill (2nd XI record not available)

Age: 38

Nickname: Cinders, Cat.

Occupation: Admin.

Previous clubs: One club man.

Batting style: Don't play a big shot, oh bugger!

Bowling style: RA slow away swing.

Favorite ground: Perranarworthal, always swings.

Worst ground: Falmouth 2nds, horrible & soulless.

Best teas: St.Gluvius, good spread, comfy seating and

Sky sports. Shame to go out again for the 2nd half.

Favorite food: Fry-Up.

Favorite drink: Old J Spiced Rum, splash of lemonade, ice & twist of lime.

Cricketing hero: Graham Thorpe.

Career highlight: Winning Division 4 in 2012.

Career worst moment: Team mate Mark King giving me out on 96 for the 3rds, pitched a mile outside leg!

Funniest cricketing moment: Fielding bottom side at Beacon, Damian Carr had spotted an attractive young woman walking in the gate. Pointing her out Damian asked "Hey Chris, how old do you think she is?" The square leg umpire, who was stood between us, quickly spoke up "she's 14 and my daughter". I didn't see the next delivery for crying with laughter.

Describe yourself in 3 words only: Swings one way.

What do you like about BCC: Great family club with a fantastic atmosphere.

Beacon 1st XI league records:

1st XI debut: 1997

Highest score: 27 v Helston (2002)

50's/100's: 0/0

Best figures: N/A

5 Wicket hauls: N/A

Catches: 4

Run outs: 1



BEACON CC 1st XI LEAGUE STATISTICS

BATTING					BOWLING						
Matches	Innings	Not Out's	Runs	Average	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Eco Rate	Strike Rate
37	29	5	118	4.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Gareth Mankee

Age: 24

Nickname: G, Manx.

Occupation: Cormac roadworker.

Previous clubs: Crofty Holman.

Batting style: RH nick.

Bowling style: Slow RA.

Favorite ground: Truro (what a 6fer).

Worst ground: Ludgvan, long walk & crap pitch.

Best teas: Roche.

Favorite food: Pasty.

Favorite drink: The same as all good athletes, Lager Top.

Cricketing hero: KP and my Dad Fox.

Career highlight: Winning Division Two West.

Career worst moment: Anytime bowling at Gorran.

Funniest cricketing moment: Dan Thurgood catch at Hayle when he kicked his hand.

Describe yourself in 3 words only: Funny, competitive, likeable.

What do you like about BCC: Great bunch of mates playing cricket and drinking together.

Beacon 1st XI league records:

1st XI debut: 2015

Highest score: 65 v Launceston (2018)

50's/100's: 2/0

Best figures: 6 for 25 v Truro 2nds (2017)

5 Wicket hauls: 1

Catches: 32

Run outs: 3



BEACON CC 1st XI LEAGUE STATISTICS

BATTING					BOWLING						
Matches	Innings	Not Out's	Runs	Average	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Eco Rate	Strike Rate
69	44	3	571	13.93	485	69	2044	87	23.49	4.21	33.47

SPONSORSHIP

We would like to thank all our sponsors and advertisers including our match ball sponsors for their support this year. It is very much appreciated and without your support the club would find it difficult to survive. Thank you and we hope that you can support us again for the 2019 season.

If anyone would like to become a Vice President & Social Member for just £10 per annum. please contact any player or committee member. This will allow you full club membership including the use of the bar.



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Recent £100 Winning Numbers

January 2018:	13 Alan Floyd
February 2018:	85 Kelen Terrill
March 2018:	13 Alan Floyd
April 2018:	52 No winner*
May 2018:	81 No winner*
June 2018:	64 No winner*
July 2018:	59 No winner*
August 2018:	21 Dan Thurgood
September 2018:	42 Karl Benton

* Ticket number not purchased.

A full list of all available numbers and past winners can be found on our website.

FIXTURES & RESULTS

League	1 st XI (Division 1)	2 nd XI (Division 4W)	Vinter Cup
28/04/18	Newquay (A) W	Mt. Ambrose (H) W	22/05/18 Redruth 1 st XI v Beacon 1 st XI L
05/05/18	Roche (A) W	Veryan (H) L	Andrew Cup
07/05/18		Paul 2 nd (A) L	03/05/18 Porthleven 1 st XI v Beacon 2 nd XI L
12/05/18	Gorran (H) Abandoned	St.Ives 2 nd (A) W	Youth
19/05/18	St.Erme (A) W	Redruth 3 rd (H) W	Under 9's Mini Festivals (10:00am to 12:30pm)
26/05/18	Troon (H) Abandoned	Stithians 2 nd (A) L	20/05/18 @ Redruth CC Postponed
28/05/18	Rosudgeon (A) L	Leedstown (H) W	10/06/18 @ Camborne CC Postponed
02/06/18	Werrington 2 nd (H) W	Wendron (A) L	15/07/18 @ Beacon CC Completed
09/06/18	Launceston (A) W	St.Gluvius 2 nd (H) St.G. Conceded	02/09/18 @ Mt Ambrose CC Cancelled
16/06/18	Helston (A) L	Constantine (H) W	Under 12's Hardball (6:00pm)
23/06/18	Redruth 2 nd (H) W	St.Just 3 rd (A) W	17/05/18 Redruth (H) L
24/06/18	Lanhydrock (H) L		21/05/18 Camborne (H) L
30/06/18	Lanhydrock (A) W	Paul 2 nd (H) W	31/05/18 Stithians (A) Postponed
07/07/18	Gorran (A) L	St.Ives 2 nd (H) St.Ives Conceded	07/06/18 Camborne (A) L
14/07/18	St.Erme (H) W	Redruth 3 rd (A) L	22/06/18 Redruth (A) Postponed
21/07/18	Troon (A) Tied	Stithians 2 nd (H) W	28/06/18 Stithians (H) Postponed
28/07/08	Rosudgeon (H) C	Leedstown (A) C	Under 12's Softball (6:00pm)
04/08/18	Werrington 2 nd (A) W	Wendron (H) L	27/07/18 Troon (A) W
11/08/18	Launceston (H) C	St.Gluvius (A) C	09/08/18 Troon (H) C
18/08/18	Helston (H) W	Constantine (A) L	
25/08/18	Redruth 2 nd (A) W	St.Just 3 rd (H) BCC Conceded	
01/09/18	Roche (H) W	Veryan (A) C	
08/09/18	Newquay (H) W	Mt. Amb. 2 nd (A) W	

Please visit our website at www.beaconcc.weebly.com or contact any of our club members for more information about the club or if you would like to become a member or sponsor. We welcome you to visit our bar during or after the game and hope you have an enjoyable season.

