

Beacon Cricket Club Newsletter



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WELCOME TO BEACON CRICKET CLUB

It is with great sadness to announce that Charlie Tyack passed away on Tuesday 28th August (his birthday) at the age of 84. Charlie had been battling prostate cancer but suffered a stroke during the previous week and did not recover. A life member and one of the greatest stalwarts of Beacon Cricket Club with over six decades of committed involvement, he held most club positions including being a player, President, Chairman, Groundsman and dedicated committee member. A true gentleman respected throughout the county cricket fraternity. He will be greatly missed and our sincere condolences go to his wife Hilda and his family. A minute silence was impeccably observed at our home game against Roche and Charlie is featured in the team from the archive section. Charlie's funeral will be held at 12.00 noon on Friday 21st September at the Camborne Crematorium

Apart from our sad news, Beacon CC are experiencing a very successful season both on and off the field with good cricket being played and some very close finishes. A one run defeat at Rosudgeon, a tied game at Troon, a win against Launceston from an almost impossible position, a five run win against Helston and a one wicket win against Roche. All good entertainment for the spectators and character building for the players involved.

Our second team had a great start to the season until the last few games when player availability took them out of the promotion race. We are always looking for more players to join Beacon Cricket Club and I would encourage everyone to spread the word as new and old players will be made most welcome.

You may have noticed the waste ground beside the old garage has been cleared in preparation for the garage renovation at the end of the season. It will be a busy time at the club over the winter period with improvements and repairs planned both at the clubhouse and on the ground. Help will be needed to complete the programme before the start of next season.

We invited Simon Johnson, the South West Regional Grounds Advisor who we know well, to give us advice on the square/outfield improvements that we plan to complete. After the deluge of rain at the beginning of the season to be then confronted with one of the driest spells for many years, it has left the square and the outfield below the standard we expect. The amount of investment and labour required will be high but I am sure we will reap the benefits next season. Anyone that can help toward sponsoring the cost or just helping at the time will be greatly appreciated.

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.

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

I would like to thank all of our match ball sponsors throughout the season including our final three sponsors; David Moyle Butchers, Chris O'Brien Plumbing and former player David Piper. Many thanks.

Yours in cricket – The BCC Committee

Dates for your Diary

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

24/11/18 (Saturday)
Dinner & Dance

2018 All Star Report

Following our very successful 2017 All Star programme our Lead Activator (Darren Proctor) was asked by the Cornwall Cricket Development Officer to present our 2017 programme to all other Lead Activators at the West Cornwall All Stars Launch meeting, demonstrating what the club did, as a good example of what a small village club can achieve.



Promotion of the 2018 All Star Programme

During the lead up to the 2018 programme, Beacon Cricket Club advertised in local schools and on social media as well as contacting existing participants and all club members, promoting the programme. Our Lead Activator also took time off work and went into Trevithick School to run 4 after school cricket sessions, promoting both the club's All Stars and Youth programmes.

The promotion was a success resulting in the number of children on our programme doubling in size from 14 to 28, including retaining 11 of the 14 from 2017. We also managed to recruit and train one new Activator (Simon Tripconey) from our parents to add to our existing 3 Activators, all of which are also qualified ECB coaches.

In addition to the 8 planned All Star sessions the club again offered additional sessions by extending the programme throughout the summer at no additional cost! Not only does this offer parents improved value for money but also provided the children with a much-enhanced experience, enabling greater improvement and progression.

Delivery of the 2018 All Star Programme

Due to the amazing weather over the summer, not a single session had to be cancelled! This meant that not only did the club deliver the 8 scheduled All Star sessions but we also ran a free taster session prior to the start of the programme and a further 5 additional sessions, increasing the total participation hours from 188 to 280.



Over the year the improvement the children have shown has been immense, with some children progressing to a level where they were good enough to represent our Under 9's team in the festival held at the club in July, where 8 teams from 7 local clubs participated.

All Star Olympics

Our All Star Olympic session was a huge success with the children pairing up with their parents to utilise the skills they'd picked up on the programme to partake in 5 fun activities which everyone enjoyed, especially the parents! Points were awarded for each event resulting in bronze, silver and gold medalists.

The events included:

- Bat dribble race
- Longest throw competition
- Biggest hit competition
- Coconut shy
- Assault course

This will now become a yearly event!



Presentation Evening

The club hosted an All Star Presentation Evening on Friday 31st August, where the club put on a free buffet for the children, who were awarded their 2018 All Stars Certificates.



Summary

Speaking to the parents (and children) throughout the summer, all the children have thoroughly enjoyed the sessions and are looking forward to either signing up again next year, or for the older children, progressing into our youth section with our Under 9's team. Overall our 2018 programme has exceeded the club's expectations and we can't wait to run All Stars Cricket again in 2019!

Yours in cricket,



Simon Tripcone, Darren Proctor, Matt Floyd & David Williams
Beacon Cricket Club All Star Activators

FROM THE ARCHIVES

Charlie Tyack second from the left in the back row.



Back Row: J. Gerry, C. Tyack, K. Gill, N. Hocking, M. Williams, I. Watson
Front Row: L. Martin, C. Martin, M. Lobb (Capt), E.C. Thomas, T. Rescorle, R. Alker (Scorer)

PLAYER PROFILES

Dan Thurgood

Date of birth: 21/01/1989

Nickname: Fergie/Sailor.

Occupation: Royal Navy.

Previous clubs: None.

Batting style: RH sweeper (kept in locker).

Bowling style: Left Arm.

Favorite ground: Beacon

Worst ground: Ludgvan.

Best teas: Roche, especially if we've bowled first.

Favorite food: Pasty.

Favorite drink: Cider or G&T.

Cricketing hero: Andrew Flintoff.

Career highlight: Winning Division 2 West/Receiving my Royal Navy Senior XI cap.

Career worst moment: Relegation from County One.

Funniest cricketing moment: There have been numerous funny moments, but I'd have to say myself throwing up at square leg umpire has to be up there. Drinking on a Friday night can never end well.....

Describe yourself in 3 words only: Keen, passionate, determined.

What do you like about BCC: No matter what the result on the pitch, a club with a great atmosphere. Fantastic bunch of people that make playing cricket enjoyable and always enjoy a beer afterwards.

Beacon 1st XI league records:

1st XI debut: 2005

Highest score: 48* v Crofty (2006)

50's/100's: 0/0

Best figures: 5 for 22 v Wadebridge (2014)

5 Wicket hauls: 2

Catches: 30

Run outs: 2



BEACON CC 1 st XI LEAGUE STATISTICS											
BATTING					BOWLING						
Matches	Innings	Not Out's	Runs	Average	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Eco Rate	Strike Rate
98	55	12	374	8.70	659	97	2814	111	25.35	4.27	35.61

Dominic Batchelor

Date of birth: 8/7/1992

Nickname: Batchy, Chubb Rub.

Occupation: Warehouse Supervisor.

Previous clubs: Camborne & Gulval.

Batting style: Right hand.

Bowling style: Right arm as quick as I can.

Favorite ground: Gulval, great view & I score runs there. Catches: 23

Worst ground: Crofty, can't beat a bobble off the football pitch. Run outs: 3

Best teas: Jordon's Mum's. That cake!

Favorite food: Chinese.

Favorite drink: Lager/Gin.

Cricketing hero: Freddie Flintoff.

Career highlight: Winning Division 2 West last year.

Career worst moment: Being relegated from County 1.

Funniest cricketing moment: Joop on some severe sunburn from Jack Thomas.

Describe yourself in 3 words only: The annoying one.

What do you like about BCC: Everyone involved with the club! How it should be done!

Beacon 1st XI league records:

1st XI debut: 2011

Highest score: 47 v Falmouth 2nds (2017)

50's/100's: 0/0

Best figures: 7 for 22 v Hayle (2013)

5 Wicket hauls: 5



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Matches	Innings	Not Out's	Runs	Average	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Eco Rate	Strike Rate
78	54	13	553	13.49	571	79	2488	132	18.85	4.36	25.95

SPONSORSHIP

Would you like to sponsor a Match Ball? If you do please contact any club member. The cost is £20 and to help show our appreciation your name or company will be added to our website, included in our newsletter and displayed on our Matchday Ball sponsor board held in the clubhouse. Match Ball sponsors this season so far are:

BCC v Mt. Ambrose	Darren Proctor
BCC v Gorran	Dave Proctor
BCC v Troon	Kevin Thomas
BCC v Werrington 2 ^{nds}	Sylvia Proctor
BCC v Redruth 2 nd	Max Glanville
BCC v Lanhydrock	Clive Thomas
BCC v St. Erme	Dan Thurgood
BCC v Rosudgeon	Beacon Fish & Chips
BCC v Launceston	Match rained off
BCC v Helston	David Moyle Butchers
BCC v Roche	Chris O'Brien Plumbing
BCC v Newquay	David Piper



Would you like to sponsor a match ball?



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.

Alternatively, you can become a Vice President & Social Member for £10 per annum. This will allow you full club membership including the use of the bar.

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
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)	Mt. Amb. 2 nd (A)	

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.

