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April 2023 Edition

Welcome to this month's edition of The Bugle.

Summary -

12 days!!!

Just 12 days to go until we play our first game of 2023.

Since the last edition, its been business as usual at the cricket club, with Bingo, quizzes and work behind the scenes to get the club ready for the fast approaching cricket season.

If you haven't had a chance yet this year, pop down to have a drink and take a look at the interior changes to the club.

With the arrival of summer, our opening times will also change so keep an eye on our website for those.

The next 2 weekends will be critical to get the club ready for the season, there will be notices on Facebook and our website for planned work parties to allow us to be ready for league cricket come May 6th.

The Season approaches -

With the season around the corner, indoor nets all but finished and lighter evenings ahead.

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Our first friendly against Tiddington on the 15th is away and a 1pm start, those wanting to be involved should make it known to Harry Bartlett.

Our seniors are then on tour in Cardiff from the 28th – 1st May, which possibly wont be the best cricket preparation 1 week before the league starts but team bonding is also important!

As a club we are excited to see what this season will bring with our youth set up starting to flourish once again, our u13 & u15s sides have had lots of indoor nets and several youngsters got involved with Senior cricket last year either on Saturdays or Sundays. We look forward to seeing how they develop this season and will be eager for others to make their senior debut for the club this year.

Ones to Watch -

James Zobel, made his senior debut last year in both friendly and league cricket, a technically solid batsman that we will be hoping to see more of this year.

Ed Smart, already a 2s regular with ball in hand, the youngster will be contributing even more after another years growth, looked very useful in pre season nets.

Charlie Fardell, His first full season ahead after joining mid season. He will be looking to have a big impact whichever team he finds himself in, a good swing bowler with a good ball striking ability.

Junior Cricket -

This year we have on offer both All Stars and Dynamos ECB programmes along with Girls u11, u13, u15 sides & mixed U7s, u9s, u11s, u13s & u15s.

Check out our website to find the coach/manager for your child's age group and get in touch if you have any questions.

BVCC Junior teams

Century Club Draw

March

- 1st Nielson Hinks
- 2nd Mick Cooper
- 3rd Charlie Downes
- 4th Will Woodward

If you wish to join the monthly Century Club draw contact.

CENTURY CLUB

Century Club -

The century club is an key source of income for our club.

We are currently looking for people that would like join this and have a chance to win themselves money as well as contribute valuable funds to the cricket club.

£5 a month direct debit or £60 annual payments are preferred. Each monthly draw has 4 winners with the December draw also having a bonus Christmas draw with bigger prizes.

Please get in contact if you'd like to join.

<u>Bob Floyd</u> <u>22 November</u> 1953 – 28 March 2023

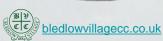
With great sadness BVCC pass on the news that a club legend "Floydy" has passed away on Tuesday 28th March 2023.

Bob had been at Bledlow for many years and had various roles over his time including being our Chairman and captaining our 1st XI.

He will be dearly missed by many of our current and former members whose lives he touched.



Bugle









Bob Floyd



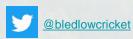
Bledlow Village 2nd XI

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