

16/09/2017 Stanton Harcourt

Venue: Home Format: Limited Overs

Result: Abandoned

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| <u>Batsmen</u> | <u>How Out</u> | <u>Fielder</u> | <u>Bowler</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| 1 M. Naqvi | Bowled | | | 2 |
| 2 L. Blatchford | Not Out | | | 30 |
| 3 P. Wiblin | Caught | | | 3 |
| 4 S. Cooper | Caught | | | 19 |
| 5 J. Ponsford | Caught | | | 5 |
| 6 R. Margerison | Not Out | | | 4 |
| 7 K. Malcolm | | | | 0 |
| 8 K.H. Whiter | | | | 0 |
| 9 A. East | | | | 0 |
| 10 K. Ponsford | | | | 0 |
| 11 E. Hyde | | | | 0 |
| | | | Subtotal | 63 |
| | | | Byes | 2 |
| | | | Leg Byes | 1 |
| | | | Wides | 0 |
| | | | No Balls | 0 |
| | | | Grand Total | 66 |

for 4 wickets

| <u>Bowler</u> | <u>Overs</u> | <u>Mdns</u> | <u>Runs</u> | <u>Wkts</u> | <u>Av.</u> | <u>Econ.</u> | <u>S.R.</u> |
|-----------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1 K.H. Whiter | 6 | 1 | 37 | 1 | 37.00 | 6.17 | 36.00 |
| 2 J. Ponsford | 6 | 1 | 47 | 1 | 47.00 | 7.83 | 36.00 |
| 3 K. Ponsford | 7 | 0 | 24 | 3 | 8.00 | 3.43 | 14.00 |
| 4 A. East | 7 | 0 | 47 | 0 | 0.00 | 6.71 | 0.00 |
| 5 S. Cooper | 5 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 0.00 | 8.20 | 0.00 |
| 6 R. Margerison | 4 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0.00 | 7.50 | 0.00 |
| | Subtotal | | 226 | | | | |
| | | | Byes | 7 | | | |
| | | | Leg Byes | 1 | | | |
| | Grand Total | | 234 | | | | |

for 5 wickets

| <u>Fielder</u> | <u>Catches</u> |
|----------------|----------------|
| L. Blatchford | 1 |
| A. East | 1 |

Match Report

A heavy downpour after 18 overs saved Isis in the 18th over, when they were way off the pace chasing a big Stanton Harcourt score. Earlier, the visitors got off to a flyer and big-hitting Oliver Pascoe put the Isis attack to the sword. The Isis cause was not helped when Isis lost their captain in the 7th over. A slower ball from Whiter had Pascoe driving to the long-off boundary where Nick Wyatt was poised to take the catch that would see him move ahead in the 2017 race for that particular Isis trophy. He nearly swallowed the catch, just about taking the full force of the descending ball in the face and yielding a fair bit of claret as a result. In a long delay vice-captain Mo did all he could to assuage the flow of blood, before whisking the shaken Wyatt off to hospital for an assessment, leaving Isis two men short. The visitors kindly lent Isis a fielder, Steve Cooper got on the phone to introduce Roland Margerison to the Isis fold and yours truly took over the captaincy. Keith Ponsford and Alan East came on to stem the run-flow, the former bowling an excellent 7 over spell and picking up three wickets (sadly not Pascoe) and the latter also bowling a great spell, unlucky to not take a wicket and more unlucky to take a bit of tap for his trouble. Cooper and Margerison upped the pace without success and Pascoe retired with a century, before Mo returned from the hospital and Whiter and Ponsford junior returned for the death overs, picking up a wicket apiece. At that point the players retired to the pavilion and enjoyed a magnificent East-family tea that was heralded as the best of the season by the delighted visitors. Never before has such an Isis spread been seen, resplendent with generously filled sandwiches, homemade pizzas, homemade sausage rolls, chips and beautiful homemade cakes and shortbread. Absolutely fantastic. As the Isis innings was starting Nick Wyatt re-appeared to pick up his belongings looking like somebody who had just come second in a prize fight, but thankfully released without lasting injury. Luke Blatchford did well to reach an unbeaten 30 when the rain came down, while 4 wickets had fallen with Isis struggling to make headway against a good Stanton Harcourt attack. If Duckworth-Lewis had been brought in to play then the visitors would have been streets ahead, but nobody was interested in the maths and instead the teams tucked in to a couple of beers and the Eynsham wicket disappeared under water.