

18/07/2023 Bartlemas

Venue: Home Format: 20/20

Result: Lost

by 19 runs

<u>Batsmen</u>	<u>How Out</u>	<u>Sixes</u>	<u>Total</u>
1 B. Harden	Not Out	0	51
2 R. Stephenson	Bowled	0	36
3 A. Beavan	LBW	1	21
4 D. Penhallurick	Bowled	0	1
5 J. Ponsford	Bowled	0	0
6 P. Jacobs	Not Out	0	0
7 J. Walter		0	0
8 K.H. Whiter		0	0
9 N.H.R. Wyatt		0	0
10 A. East		0	0
11 K. Ponsford		0	0
	Subtotal		109
	Byes		3
	Leg Byes		1
	Wides		4
	No Balls		0
	Grand Total		117

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 J. Walter	3	1	15	1	15.00	5.00	18.00
2 A. East	3	0	16	1	16.00	5.33	18.00
3 K.H. Whiter	4	0	23	1	23.00	5.75	24.00
4 K. Ponsford	3	0	19	1	19.00	6.33	18.00
5 N.H.R. Wyatt	4	0	22	3	7.33	5.50	8.00
6 J. Ponsford	3	0	38	1	38.00	12.67	18.00
	Subtotal		133				
	Byes		2				
	Leg Byes		1				
	Grand Total		136				

for 9 wickets

<u>Fielder</u>	<u>Catches</u>
R. Stephenson	2
A. East	1
B. Harden	1
J. Ponsford	1
N.H.R. Wyatt	1

<u>Fielder</u>	<u>Run Outs</u>
N.H.R. Wyatt	1

Match Report

If cricket games were decided on wickets taken, Isis would have proved 9-4 victors, however sadly this is not the case, and it's all about runs scored. With evenings beginning to draw in, both captains would have liked to bat first, but Bartlemas won the toss.

Isis opted for slower bowling early on, and were rewarded with wickets for Walter, East, Ponsford Sr and Whiter, but danger man Muzzi Rehman was the key wicket intact. Wyatt and Ponsford Jr were bought in for extra pace in the closing overs, though perhaps it was pace that Rehman liked as he struck a succession of late boundaries before he was run out, to help post a score of 137. Wyatt, after a loose first over, improved to collect a 3 for, and it was pleasing that Isis held 6 catches.

With an excellent wicket, 137 was a challenging but gettable target and Isis openers Harden and Stephenson played carefully and punished any bad balls, keeping up with the required rate for the first 8 overs. Once Stephenson fell, Beavan joined in and contributed 21, including a nice 6 to cow corner in an attempt to keep up with the required rate with the Bartlemas bowling not offering many punishable balls. However the rate was increasing, and it was difficult for new batsmen to hit what was now 10 runs per over in the fading light and the Isis innings closed on 117-4, 20 runs short of target. Congratulations to Brad Harden in his first midweek game of the season for an unbeaten 51.

Joe Walter

