

## KEYWORTH CRICKET CLUB - 1939 SEASON

**President:** Chairman: I P Tomlinson Auditor: H Hodgett  
**Gen Sec:** F Gill Match/Fixture Sec: G P Witcomb Treasurer: B Bloore  
**1<sup>st</sup> XI Captain:** Hedley Tomlinson Vice Capt: L Hebb  
**2<sup>nd</sup> XI Captain:** I P Tomlinson Vice Capt: B Lambert  
**Welfare, Social & Selection Committee:** L Gunn (Chair), H Disney, L Bloore, H Henson, D Lane,  
plus 2 Captains.  
**Ground Move Sub Committee:** S Attewell, B Bloore, Rev A B Brooker, F Gill.  
**Bunny Lane Ground Clear Up Committee:** F Gill, H Henson, D Kemp.  
**Umpires:** B Pike & B Bloore Scorer: Mrs M Brooker & G Blatherwick. Groundsman: B Pike

### Review of the Season:

In the season that coincided with the outbreak of the 2<sup>nd</sup> World War, it would appear that both teams batted through their full innings, irrespective of the match result and it is assumed that all the matches were friendlies.

During this season the Club moved their Home Ground from “the Cricket Field” in Bunny Lane to the “Rectory Field” in Elm Avenue, on Church covenanted land with a stipulated restriction of no play on Sundays. The Bunny Lane Ground having been vacated and the pavilion sold for the sum of £6 to Mrs E Darvill. A Motor Mower was purchased from Ruddington CC for £12 in May.

The Annual Supper & Concert took place on 23 March 1939 in the Women’s Institute Hall.

One of the leading players was former Derby County footballer, Tom Hinchcliffe, husband of Mary (whom he married earlier in the year) - she was to become a long serving preparing of teas for the club through to the turn of the millennium.

2<sup>nd</sup> XI photographed before a match with KING HALL on 29 May 1939 at the Rectory Field, left to right (back row)...  
Daniel Lambert (Umpire),  
P Shaw, Ivor Tomlinson,  
W Jimmy Otter & Dan Wright.  
(middle row)...  
Stuart Tomlinson & Bert Lambert.  
(front row)...  
John Wortley, A Harding,  
H G (Peter) Gray, George Green  
& D Lane



## SEASON 1939 continued...

In attendance at the Annual General meeting of Wednesday 24 January 1940 in the Legion Hall were...

Syd Attewell  
Bernard Bloore  
Sidney Bolton  
Rev A B Brooker  
C Disney  
Frank Gill  
William Gill  
H G (Peter) Gray  
Len Gunn  
R B Heaney  
L Tommy Hebb  
Harry Henson  
Heber Hodgett  
Bert Lambert  
Harry Tomlinson  
Ivor P Tomlinson  
J J Tomlinson  
Stuart Tomlinson

Cash in Hand £16.5s.5d. Income Tax difficulties unresolved with Bingham RDC.

Subscriptions 10/6d Seniors, 7/6d Under 21 year olds, 2/6d Under 16 year olds, 6/- Weekday players. Match tax 3d.

All players on leave from serving with the forces allowed one game free per leave.

1<sup>st</sup> XI played in the Bingham Hospitals Cup.

**HIGHEST SCORE: 206-7 KEYWORTH v RUDDINGTON (03.06.39)**

**LOWEST SCORE: 25 KEYWORTH v OLD WEST BRIDGFORDIANS (00.06.39)**

## MATCH RESULTS...

13.05.39	VIYELLA	H	Won by 62 runs
20.05.39	KEGWORTH	A	Won by 64 runs
27.05.39	DALE RANGERS	H	Won by 31runs
29.05.39	KING HALL	H	Won by 1 wkt
03.06.39	RUDDINGTON	A	Won by 135 runs
10.06.39	LAKE ST	H	Won by 72 runs
14.06.39	KEYWORTH FARMERS	H	Won by 36 runs
17.06.39	GEDLING VILLAGE	A	Won by 52 runs
00.06.39	HARRINGTON	H	Won by 14 runs
00.06.39	OLD WEST BRIDGFORDIANS	H	Lost by 57 runs
24.06.39	CLARENCE SPORTS	H	Won by 84 runs
26.06.39	MIDLAND MAGNETO	H	Won by 64 runs
29.07.39	NOTTINGHAM Co-op Society	H	Won by 53 runs
05.08.39	NOTTS COUNTY OFFICERS	A	Match Abandoned - Rain
12.08.39	GEDLING VILLAGE	H	Won by 65 runs
19.08.39	ALLEN SOLLY	A	Scores incomplete - ? Won
26.08.39	WEST BRIDGFORD METHODISTS	H	Won by 12 runs

**SEASON 1939 continued...**

**BATTING Averages (qualification : 5 Completed Innings)**

	Matches	Innings	Not Out	HS	Total Runs	Ave
T HINCHCLIFFE	10	10	3	52*	205	29.29
R B HEANEY	9	9	0	73	254	28.22
C UNDERWOOD	14	13	3	51*	245	24.50
Rev A B BROOKER	13	10	1	51	164	18.22
H R HENSON	12	8	1	38*	113	16.14
L GUNN	12	10	1	38	145	16.11
H E ATTEWELL	10	6	0	22	72	12.00
H TOMLINSON	12	6	0	33	69	11.50
L HEBB	12	11	2	28*	100	11.11
L BLOORE	14	11	2	19*	88	9.77

**Also Batted**

H G GRAY	5	5	2	55*	89	29.66
D PIKE	5	3	0	28	53	17.66
S ATTEWELL	9	7	3	22*	57	14.25
S BOLTON	5	5	2	29*	37	12.33
G GREEN	2	2	1	10	10	10.00
M ATTEWELL	3	3	0	14	20	6.66
P SHAW	1	1	0	6	6	6.00
J ROWLAND	7	6	1	12	27	5.40
D WRIGHT	2	2	0	6	7	3.50
A HARDING	2	2	0	6	6	3.00
F GILL	4	4	0	6	11	2.75
G STEVENSON	3	3	0	7	8	2.66
B GUNN	1	1	0	2	2	2.00
J GUNN	2	2	0	4	4	2.00
S TOMLINSON	1	1	0	2	2	2.00
D KEMP	5	3	0	3	3	1.00
D LANE	1	1	0	1	1	1.00
H MILLS	1	1	0	1	1	1.00
G P WITCOMBE	4	2	1	1	1	0.50
BLACKSHAW	1	1	1	12*	12	
B GILL	1	1	1	0*	0	
R MILLS	1	1	1	4*	4	
H SUMMERS	1	1	1	0*	0	

**Best Batting Performances of the Season**

Runs	Player	Opposition	Venue	Date
73	R B HEANEY	V Allen Solly	A	19.08.39
66	R B HEANEY	V Ruddington	A	03.06.39
55*	H G GRAY	V Notts County Officers	A	05.08.39
52*	T HINCHCLIFFE	V Keyworth Farmers	H	14.06.39
51*	C UNDERWOOD	V Lake St	H	10.06.39
51	Rev A B BROOKER	V Allen Solly	A	19.08.39
50*	T HINCHCLIFFE	V Midland Magneto	H	26.06.39

**Best Batting Partnerships of the Season;** No records.

**Leading "6" Hitters of the season**

T HINCHCLIFFE	9
C UNDERWOOD	9
H G GRAY	3
R B HEANEY	3
H R HENSON	3

**SEASON 1939 continued...**

**BOWLING Averages (qualification 5 wickets or 20 overs)**

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wkts	Ave
T HINCHCLIFFE	46.3	11	104	21	4.95
H R HENSON	80	27	132	23	5.72
S ATTEWELL	38	5	127	21	6.05
L BLOORE	86.5	22	193	25	7.72
D PIKE	35	7	89	11	8.09
L HEBB	23	3	51	5	10.20

**Also bowled**

BLACKSHAW	2.4	1	1	2	0.50
D LANE	3.3	1	4	4	1.00
H G GRAY	6	5	1	1	1.00
G P WITCOMBE	1	0	4	1	4.00
G GREEN	7	1	11	2	5.50
S TOMLINSON	6	1	7	1	7.00
D KEMP	12	3	32	3	10.66
D WRIGHT	9	0	27	2	13.50
C UNDERWOOD	11	0	19	1	19.00
M ATTEWELL	1	0	11	0	
G STEVENSON	1	0	2	0	
H SUMMERS	4	1	7	0	

**Best Bowling Performances of the Season**

Figures	Player		Opposition	Venue	Date
5-14	T HINCHCLIFFE	V	Harrington	H	00.06.39
5-30	H R HENSON	V	Gedling Village	H	12.08.39
4-4	D LANE	V	King Hall	H	29.05.39
4-6	T HINCHCLIFFE	V	Viyella	H	13.05.39
4-22	S ATTEWELL	V	Dale Rangers	H	27.05.39
4-29	H HENSON	V	Ruddington	A	03.06.39

**CATCHING & STUMPING:**

	Catches	Stumping
R B HEENEY	8	3
L BLOOR	7	
S ATTEWELL	4	
H R HENSON	4	
C UNDERWOOD	4	2
H E ATTEWELL	3	
L GUNN	3	
T HINCHCLIFFE	3	
S BOLTON	2	
Rev A B BROOKER	2	1
G GREEN	2	
L HEBB	2	
D KEMP	1	
S TOMLINSON	1	
G P WITCOMBE	1	
D WRIGHT	1	