

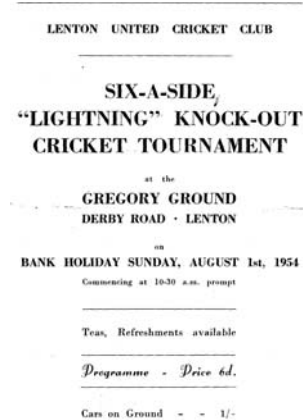
KEYWORTH CRICKET CLUB - 1954 SEASON

President: ? **Vice President:** A Ford **Chairman:** J H Reeve snr.
Gen Sec: G P Witcomb. **Assnt Sec:** W Attewell. **Treasurer:** ? **Auditor:**
1st XI Captain: H R Henson **Vice Capt:** ?
2nd XI Captain: ? **Vice Capt:** ? **Junior Secretary:** B Johnson
Groundsman: J Longworth

Review of the Season:

The Annual General Meeting took place on 29 March 1954.
WILLIAM GUNN CUP Batting Award winner: Harry Henson
WEBSTER CUP Bowling Award winner: Alec Bennett

On August Bank Holiday Sunday, Keyworth CC won the first ever Lenton United CC "Six-a-side" tournament, held at the Gregory Cricket Ground, Lenton. The team scored more than 600 runs in the five innings that they played. The majority of runs were scored by Tom Hinchliffe and Charlie Underwood – a record they were to retain for many years afterwards.



Winning team, left to right, back row... William Bloore (reserve), David Disney (reserve), Ron Armstrong, Charlie Underwood, Harry Henson & Peter Witcomb (Secretary).
Front row... Arthur Ford (Vice President), Bryan Ford, Tom Hinchliffe (captain), Alec Bennett & Jack Reeve (Chairman & Umpire)

1954 SEASON continued...

How the "Six a side" Tournament was won...

1. 10.30 a.m.	1. Lenton United 'A'	(45)	}	LENTON 'A'	(61)	}	LENTON 'A'	(56)
	2. Aspley Old Boys	(44)					(42)	
2. 11.05 a.m.	3. Melbourne	(15)	}	MELBOURNE		}	LENTON 'A'	(54)
	4. Grasshoppers	(13)						
3. 11.40 a.m.	5. City Treasurers	(51)	}	CITY TREAS.	(37)	}	THE MERLES	(38)
	6. Lenton United 'B'	(32)						
4. 12.05 p.m.	7. Bestwood Park	(16)	}	THE MERLES	(67)	}	KEYWORTH	(51)
	8. The Merles	(67)						
5. 1.00 p.m.	9. Hendon Rise	(22)	}	LENTON ABBEY	(65)	}	KEYWORTH	(41)
	10. Lenton Abbey	(23)						
6. 1.35 p.m.	11. Players Engineers	(45)-(11)	}	MITRE	(35)	}	KEYWORTH	(39)
	12. The Remondists MITRE	(45)-(15)						
7. 2.10 p.m.	13. Raleigh	(16)	}	RALEIGH	(63)	}	KEYWORTH	(24)
	14. "Rabbits"	(15)						
8. 2.45 p.m.	15. Old Mundellians	(29)	}	KEYWORTH	(66)	}		
	16. Keyworth	(66)						

* How we won the slippiest cup known

1st XI FRIENDLY MATCH RESULTS (includes Sunday & Bank Holiday)...

15.05.54	HEAMOR AMATEURS	H	Lost by ?
06.06.54	FOREST AMATEURS	H	Won by 12 runs
20.06.54	FORMAN ATHLETIC	H	Won by 22 runs
22.08.54	MAPPERLEY HOSPITAL	H	Lost by 31 runs
23.08.54	CINDERHILL COLLIERY	A	Won by 10 wkts

1954 SEASON continued...

1st XI BATTING Averages (no qualification)

	Matches	Innings	Not Out	HS	Total Runs	Ave
B JOHNSON	6	6	1	89	200	40.00
R R ARMSTRONG	13	13	2	67	199	18.09
C UNDERWOOD	12	12	0	43	190	15.83
W ATTEWELL	2	1	0	2	2	
A BENNETT	3	2	1	10*	12	
L BLOORE	2	1	0	3	3	
W BLOORE	4	3	0	28	55	
J BRETTL	2	1	1	1*	1	
D DISNEY	2	1	0	11	11	
L FLETCHER	2	1	1	0*	0	
B FORD	4	3	0	14	27	
GRANTHAM	2	1	0	6	6	
G GREEN	1	0	0	0	0	
H R HENSON	4	3	0	39	43	
T HINCHLIFFE	1	0	0	0	0	
B JOHNSON	3	2	0	22	22	
W LACEY	3	2	0	3	6	
J LONGWORTH	3	2	0	0	0	
P NORTH	4	3	0	20	32	
J REEVE	2	1	0	0	0	
G P WITCOMB	1	0	0	0	0	

Best off the Bat...

Runs	Player	Opposition	Venue	Date
89	B JOHNSON	V		
67	R R ARMSTRONG	V		

1st XI BOWLING Averages (no qualification)

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wkts	Ave
G GREEN	8	3	17	6	2.83
A BENNETT	9	2	25	6	4.17
J REEVE	4	1	14	2	7.00
B FORD	11	2	31	4	7.75
H R HENSON	129	40	331	34	9.74
R R ARMSTRONG	181	33	447	36	12.42

Best with the Ball...

Figures	Player	Opposition	Venue	Date
6-17	G GREEN	V CINDERHILL COLLIERY	A	23.08.54

1st XI CATCHING & STUMPING:

	Catches	Stumpings
B JOHNSON	3	
W LACEY	2	
R R ARMSTRONG	1	
W ATTEWELL	1	
H R HENSON	1	
P NORTH	1	