

April 2021 Edition

Welcome to this month's edition of The Bugle.

The Cricket Club -

April has been and is nearly gone, but in comparison to this time last year, we have had cricket at least!

Bledlow is starting to look its usual self again, adults have been enjoying training on Tuesday evenings, colts on Fridays, and we've hosted several pre season fixtures. We have even had the hustle and bustle of a film production causing disruption in the village.

Its been great to welcome families and friends back to the club along with the return of some sunshine, it has definitely helped the outside hospitality be more bearable despite the cold winds!

If you are a regular of the club please make sure you have a paid up membership with us. This allows us to keep our bar prices low and members happy!

Pre Season -

17th April – Long Marston (H) Won by 30 Runs MOM – J.Hawkes

18th April – IAS (H) Won by 3 Wickets MOM – V.Connolly

Two good wins, Well done to Hawkes who has bagged himself two 50s in his first two games and Vinnie that picked up his

Cricket -

We have worked hard around the ground to make sure we were ready to host cricket on the 17th of April, although I don't think the freezing temperatures we were still getting overnight helped much with the pitch prep!

The new fencing has been completed and the advertising boards put up, new poles put in on the logsborough side of the ground to give the netting more height has also been complete, hopefully this will keep a few more balls...

... in the ground. Thanks to all that gave their

time to help get these jobs completed! These improvements along

with the new net facility has helped keep our club heading in the right direction.

On the playing side we have had various old faces of the club reappear, most of them participating in the Sunday fixture v IAS. Its always great to see people return to maiden 5fer in senior cricket. Bledlow, also a couple of new names too that we hope will enjoy being part of Bledlow for a long time.

Colts -

Colts training sessions have started on Friday evenings and continue to be popular. We have had our first u11s fixture of the season which unfortunately ended in a loss to the Bledlow team against a good Aston Rowant side.

ECB ALLSTARS (5-8yo) & DYNAMOS (8-11yo)

these courses! **BVCC Allstars BVCC Dynamos**

Century Club Draw April £65 Tom Moore £35 Bill Bolton £20 Charlie Downes £15 Dave Saw If you wish to join the

monthly Century Club draw contact.

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The Regional Round 1 fixture took place at Aston Clinton CC, on Sunday 25th.

We were able to field a strong **Bledlow side with Bartlett** stepping into captain in Wills absence.

Im still unsure which way the toss went, but Bledlow batted first and posted 270-4 from our 40 overs. Bartlett and Hawkes both reaching half century milestones There is still time to register for along the way. 5 of our 6 bowlers picked up wickets and the result a 132 run victory. Whitchurch CC await in Round Two.

> James Hawkes 65* from 72 balls





