

## LIGHTCLIFFE CC

# HOME SWEET HOME

Lightcliffe Cricket Club was founded in 1875, providing it with a long and interesting history! The cricket ground is located just off Wakefield Road, which would make it easy to miss were it not for the unusual red-coloured buildings.



Not many other clubs can boast a distinguished-looking – and red and white – pavilion building.



Lightcliffe's ground is owned by a local farmer, and as such, players and spectators have to park on the main road rather than the ground perimeter.





In the near distance one can see over to the Bradford suburb of Wyke; one can also spot two viaducts, a folly and dozens of cows (hence the notice in an adjoining field: BEWARE BULLS).

The Club's crest features a green tree against a scarlet background; the caps worn by LCC players are a fairly dark shade of pink; and, quite a rarity, the scoreboard, umpires hut and pavilion are all painted red and white.



These three buildings are in fact the main features of the Wakefield Road venue. It's not just their colour, but their architectural quality. The pavilion is the jewel in the crown, and has a delightful frontage.

The teas look excellent!



Faithful supporters watch as the game unfolds.



Everyone plays their part at the Club!



The numbers game!



The ground is well appointed in other ways too. Wheeled sightscreens...



And changing rooms for the umpires!



Loyal Lightcliffe supporters are more than willing to pay the price to see local league cricket in beautiful surroundings.

