

## NEW RIDING CC

The Later Years

# SO CLOSE!

2001 - DIVISION 1 RUNNERS-UP

## FINAL LEAGUE TABLES 2001 SEASON

	Pld	Win	Dr	Tie	Dr	N/R	Lost	Total
		5pts	4pts	3pts	1pt	1pt	0pt	
<b>DIVISION ONE</b>								
Q.R.M.	12	10	1	0	0	1	0	55
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New Riding 1	12	7	1	0	0	2	2	41
Wainstalls 1	12	6	0	0	0	0	6	30
Walsden	12	3	1	0	2	1	5	22
Greetland Village	12	3	1	0	2	0	6	21
Wesley	12	1	3	0	0	0	8	17
West End 1	12	3	0	0	1	1	7	17

# Muslims hit back to maintain fine record

QUEENS Road Muslims bid to go through their Division One programme unbeaten survived a major scare on the penultimate weekend of the season.

The champions, not for the first time this season, were in deep trouble batting first but hit back in style to beat hosts Wainstalls by 41 runs at Cross Roads.

Matthew Swann had dismissed the first four Queens Road batsmen by the time the total had reached 11 and the visitors were still in very poor shape at 34 for seven.

However, Saif Hussain (38 not out) figured in partnerships of 39 with Khalid Mahmood (22) and 35 with Rangzeb Rashid (five) as the 10-man visitors reached 108.

Third placed Wainstalls then plunged to six for six with Saif and Muddasar Hussain sharing the early successes.

Swan (22) and Robert McInall (21) added 48 in quick time for the seventh wicket but once Swan departed the end was nigh and Wainstalls were finished off for 67.

Orestland Village won the battle of the bottom two against West End at Fiddal, their last pair scor-

## Halifax Association

ing the remaining five runs needed for victory.

Mick Taylor and Paul Rapor took seven wickets between them to dismiss West End for 109 and 10-man Village were cruising at 70 for one in reply.

However, Bob Doyle departed for 39 and six-wicket Chris Kohny ensured a nail-biting finish.

New Riding will finish runners-up but they were grateful to Wesley for some shoddy fielding in their clash at Northwram Fields on Sunday.

A stand of 87 between Chris O'Connor (52) and Ian Meek (76) helped Riding recover from 39 for three to 182. Both were dropped before they scored and O'Connor another twice before succumbing to five-wicket swing bowler Neil Morrison.

Good bowling from Basharat Ali (five for 42) and Ian Roberts (four for 28) made Wesley work hard for their runs and a spirited perfo-

mance from skipper Carl Gledhill (23) was in vain for the visitors who finished on 127.

Stirk Bridge clinched the Division Two title with a four-wicket win away to second-placed Hedden Bridge.

A classy bowling display from Matt Jack gave Stirk Bridge the upper hand from the ward six and although Dan Bailey hit 70, Nigel Stokes cleared up the tail to match Jack's four-wicket haul.

Nick batted solidly if unspectacularly to reach their target of 116, aided by 24 extras.

Alan Woodworth's five wickets set up Paris Gates for an easy win over Wainstalls II at Spring Hall, a half-century stand from Dale Shepherd and Brian Southgate scrapping up a five-wicket win.

Paul Whittam's six for 28 helped Halifax Salem edge home against Hedden Bridge II after they had been held up by an 82-run eight-wicket partnership from Ken Cameron (40) and Chris Hain (25).

Paul Roberts' five for 46 helped New-Riding II beat their West End counterparts, who slumped from 70 for five to 96 all out.



New Riding's Ian Meek made 76 against Wesley

# 2<sup>ND</sup> XI SUPERSTARS

2001/2 – PAIR OF SUCCESSES

## THE MACKINTOSH CUP (Best Second Team)

1960	Wainstalls II
1961	Luddendenfoot II
1962	Luddendenfoot II
1963	Wainstalls II
1964	Luddendenfoot II
1965	Wesley II
1966	Hebden Bridge Salem II
1967	Wesley II / Hebden Bridge Salem II
1968	Luddendenfoot II
1969	Luddendenfoot II
1970	Luddendenfoot II
1971	Wesley II
1972	Bridgeholme II
1973	Bridgeholme II
1974	Wheatley Liberals*
1975	Hebden Bridge II
1976	R.A.F.A. II
1977	R.A.F.A. II
1978	Wainstalls II
1979	Wainstalls II
1980	Ovenden II
1981	Wainstalls II
1982	Ovenden II
1983	Southowram II
1984	Queens Road Muslims II
1985	Paris Gates II
1986	Wainstalls II
1987	Greetland Village II
1988	Paris Gates II
1989	Paris Gates II / Bridgeholme II
1990	Paris Gates II
1991	Whetley Motors II
1992	Whetley Motors II
1993	Bridgeholme II
1994	Bridgeholme II
1995	Paris Gates II
1996	Bridgeholme II
1997	Paris Gates II
1998	Bridgeholme II
1999	West End II
2000	Wainstalls II
2001	New Riding II
2002	New Riding II
2003	West End II

# BRIDESMAIDS AGAIN

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Top team Queen's Road Muslims

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New Riding 1	14	8	0	0	0	3	3	43
West End 1	14	6	1	0	1	2	4	37
Stirk Bridge	14	5	1	0	0	2	6	31
Greetland Village	14	4	1	0	2	3	4	29
Wainstalls 1	14	4	0	0	1	3	6	24
Wesley	14	4	0	0	1	1	8	22
Haifax Salem	14	2	0	0	0	1	11	11

# WIELDING THE WILLOW

## 2003 - RICHARDS TOPS DIVISION 1 BATTING AVERAGES

		Inns	Not out	Runs	Final Ave	High Score
C. Richards	New Riding I	16	5	476	43.27	76
B. Doyle	Greetland	16	4	500	41.66	118
M. Green	Stirk Bridge	13	2	393	35.73	135
B. Southgate	Stirk Bridge	14	4	348	34.80	59
N. Hussain	New Riding I	15	1	431	30.79	148
A. Schofield	Halifax Salem	12	2	240	24.00	55
A. Armitage	West End I	15	3	283	23.58	48
M. Khalid	West End I	15	5	235	23.50	49
A. Mahmood	Q.R.M.	12	2	215	21.50	77
S. Hawkesworth Snr	Greetland	14	4	212	21.20	66
C. Gornall	Stirk Bridge	14	1	272	20.92	52
K. Galvin	Halifax Salem	13	3	195	19.50	44
B. Rogers	Wainstalls	12	1	207	18.82	74
M. Swan	Wainstalls	14	3	199	18.09	44
H. Morgan	Hebden Bridge	16	1	241	16.07	43
A. Metcalfe	New Riding I	13	1	185	15.42	47
D. Gardiner	Halifa Salem	13	1	181	15.08	43
D. Womersley	Wainstalls	17	3	209	14.93	37
G. Stewart	Greetland	14	1	173	13.31	69
T. Jenkins	Halifax Salem	12	3	115	12.78	42

# BIG NIGHT OUT!

2004 – ANNUAL DINNER



## **NEW RIDING CRICKET CLUB**

15 September 2004

### **Annual Dinner – Saturday 23 October**

New Riding Cricket Club wish to invite you and a guest to this year's Annual Dinner, which will be held on Saturday 23 October at The Wool Merchant Hotel, Halifax. We feel that the Dinner will give you a valuable insight into our Club for your project.

The event will consist of a 3-course meal with wine, followed by the presentation of this season's awards and prizes. Black tie and dinner jacket is the preferred dress code for players, and guests if they wish.

Yours sincerely  
Sean Woodhead

## Starter

**Garlic Mushrooms**  
**Chicken & Mushroom Soup**  
**Prawn Cocktail & Melon**

## Main

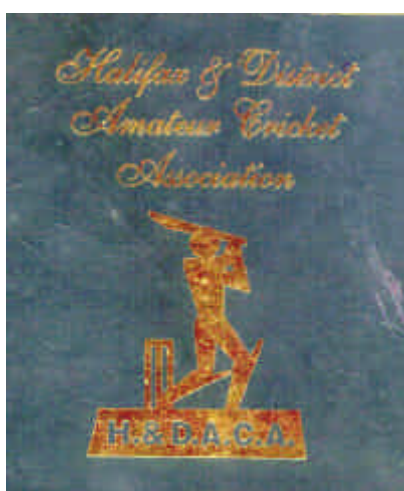
**Steak in Red Wine Sauce**  
**Rack of Lamb**  
**Grilled Salmon in Butter**  
**Vegetarian - Stuffed Peppers, Spinach & Ricotta**  
**Ravioli, Pizza**



# END OF AN ERA

## 2005 – HALIFAX ASSOCIATION DISBANDS

At the beginning of 2005 New Riding were dealt a huge blow. After much discussion at the AGM, the Halifax Association League was disbanded. The withdrawal of Halifax Salem was the catalyst. Other clubs too were encountering difficulties in raising sufficient players.



Another major problem was caused by the work being undertaken on the council-owned playing fields at Spring Hall. A new athletics track was being built, which meant that the cricket pitches would be unavailable for most of the 2005 season.

With no suitable alternative venue available, the four Association clubs that played at Spring Hall were homeless. The Association was no more.

# HOME FROM HOLME

2005 – MERGER WITH GREETLAND C.C.

In Summer 2005 New Riding decided to merge with Greetland C.C. and move into The Holme. A New Riding spokesman announced:

***After considering various options, New Riding has decided to merge with Greetland Cricket Club. The details are still to be finalised, but New Riding will form the basis of a team that will play in the Sunday League, and also provide players to strengthen Greetland's First and Second Teams.***



***With the folding of the Association and our lack of matches through the summer, we have unfortunately stopped using The Three Pigeons as a base. We have played a few friendlies at Greetland this summer, but have no further games this year.***

