STUMPS!

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CHAMPIONS!

Greetings to all our readers !

And welcome to the final cranial assault of the season, in the form of another issue of everybody's favourite designer lavatory paper, your lovely number 1 Stumps !

The more alert among you might have noticed a slight change of format from the normal (?) Stumps. Well, it had to be done really. In recognition of the tremendous achievements on the field this season, your editorial staff have made a feeble attempt to convince the world that Stumps is a major publishing force to be reckoned with (and not just a scurrilous slander-rag thrown together at a moment's notice). With this in mind, we have dragged our technology into the twentieth century and are proud to present the All-New, Full-Colour, Hi-Tec, Sharper-than-a-Knife, Computer-Controlled, Laser-Printed souvenir promotion issue of Stumps. Mind you, the content is still as crap as it ever was.

Now read on.....

only just missed out on promotion themselves.

Never mind, it would never do to have twenty-two egotistical, self-congratulatory cricketers in the place, eleven's bad enough !! Anyway, Mark will be back next season to try again, and will be assisted by Dave Short, I think (I really must pay more attention at AGM's !).

Sundays have not been quite such joyful occasions this year, but many thanks to Ian Willis, and best wishes to Kevin Piggford in his endeavours next season. His assistant will once again be that Sunday stalwart, Bernard Hagues.

The club has once again had a healthy social season, with events getting a very good turn-out. The Karaoke night proved that King Arthur had an easy job of it getting the sword out of the stone, compared with trying to get a microphone off Adrian once he's got hold of it !

Speaking of Adrian, don't forget the car rally on 20th October, when Adrian has assured me that he has arranged for it to snow and hail while he cackles away to himself in a nice warm kitchen.

Well, that would appear to be that, mission accomplished once again, which just leaves room to thank the ladies for all their tireless work backstage, and as Bernard pointed out at the AGM, " The men get the pleasure, but it's the ladies who do all the work " (hmm.) See you all next season !!

Undiscovered Talent dept.

Ever on the look-out for new stars in the making (remember Payl Nyles ?), Stumps has discovered yet another phenomenon, with the ability to see into the future. As shown by this document handed to me only this week, we are clearly in the presence of a great visionary, namely :-

GIPSY ROSE PILLING

(WORKING NAME: MR. BYES)

(Well, it filled up a bit more space, didn't it ?)

QUOTE

18.6.91.

" We are cruising to the championship

Mr. Byes.