

BLAZE HORROR

Steve Brierley on the pavilion fire at Dewsbury Road

The fire which destroyed our old pavilion was a key moment in the club's history. A group of lads broke in – maybe in search of beer. They seemed to have a drink and then set fire to the place! But the club pulled together and we recovered quite quickly.



Wilf Bottomley (above) is one of our oldest supporters. He belongs to a big Badger Hill family – the Bottomleys. He's the father in the dynasty – and the cousin of Trevor, a really significant man in the history of our club.

Wilf comes to games when he can to support us. He used to be an umpire, and club president, and played his part at AGMs. I think he's also a member of Yorkshire CCC.