

# FROM LEEDS AND BRADFORD

## Betty Whittaker on the TCC membership

A typical Todmorden CC member? Well, we have a lot of senior citizens and a growing number of junior players as we've now got teams for Under-11s, Under-13s, Under-15s and Under-17s. That's in addition to 1<sup>st</sup> XI, 2<sup>nd</sup> XI and 3<sup>rd</sup> XI – which means seven in all.



I'd say that it's a closely knit club and very localised. Having said that, we have an elderly gentleman who comes from Leeds to Centre Vale on the train; I don't think he has any Todmorden connection – he just likes coming here. And another chap from Bradford – who does have a Tod link.

We also have a lot of female members. They used to pay slightly less than men to become members but now it's exactly the same – and I think that in the twenty-first century that's right. We've got to have equality.