

Cricket class at clubhouse

HUDDERSFIELD University students will swap their classroom for the cricket pavilion when they have lessons tonight.

Twenty students on the cricket history evening course at the university will have a lecture and seminar at Golcar Cricket Club.

The event, at the Swallow Lane clubhouse, has been organised by tutor Dr Peter Davies.

He has already taught six sessions to the students in classrooms and decided they should enjoy the outdoors.

He said: "The course is about the history and heritage of local cricket, so we thought why not actually hold some of the sessions in cricket club pavilions?"

"It is the ideal way to enable students to appreciate the history of local clubs.

"We want to give the students a real taste of local cricket."

The course — Bat and Ball — covers local cricket history, including the formation of clubs and leagues, the emergence of professional players and the impact of the two World Wars.