

Eastwood CC

Members of the Calder Valley League 1892-1907 and 1910-12 - league winners in 1893, plus 1897, 1904 and 1907 (Hebden section). Also members of the Hebden Bridge & District League 1895-99, 1908-09 and 1913-32) - league winners five times. Also, their 2nd XI played in the Todmorden & District League. Ground was next to the present Bridgeholme field, now scrubland. Often viewed as Bridgeholme CC's long lost precursor.

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Eastwood's First Cricket Team



The reconstruction and drainage of the old Eastwood cricket field now taking place has revived many recollections of the past glories of the old club. We print above a photograph of the first Eastwood cricket team, which dates back over

50 years. The members of the team were: Left to right, standing: D. Crossley (secretary), L. Netherwood, G. Heys, T. Oldfield, A. Fielden, R. Sutcliffe. Seated: S. Sowden, J. Mitchell, T. H. Walton, F. Speak, T. Speak and J. Fielden.