

In January 2006 a unique evening course commenced at the University of Huddersfield about the history of local cricket: Bat & Ball: Cricket & Society in Calderdale and Kirklees c.1800-2000. Module tutors were Peter Davies and Rob Light and 20 local cricket enthusiasts signed up for the 12-week course. The course consisted of lectures, interactive seminars and student presentations

Discover more about the history and heritage of cricket in West Yorkshire!

University of HUDDERSFIELD

BAT & BALL

Cricket and Society in Calderdale & Kirklees c. 1800-2000

Introducing a pioneering new evening course for local cricket enthusiasts. Starts Wednesday 11 January 2006 and runs for 12 weeks.

Topic areas will include:

- Early Forms of Cricket
- The First Clubs
- Formation of Leagues and Cups
- Professionalism
- Cricket and War
- Contemporary Developments

The course tutors will be

Dr Peter Davies – Senior Lecturer in History at the University of Huddersfield and Leader of the £50,000 Heritage Lottery Fund project, 'The Cricketing Heritage of Calderdale and Kirklees'.

Rob Light – Research Assistant on the above project; PhD student in cricket history at Leicester De Montfort University; author of two recent academic articles on cricket in the nineteenth-century West Riding.

If you would like further details about the course, or if you would like to reserve a place on it, please contact:

Dr Peter Davies (Course organiser): TEL: 01484 472405 or E-MAIL: p.j.davies@hud.ac.uk or FAX: 01484 472655

- No Previous qualifications required
- The course is open to local cricket enthusiasts of all ages and abilities
- This course may be free of charge for those with no previous experience of higher education

05/06 All enquiries welcome!









































