

## **Sowerby Division League (1895-1901)**

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The 13 teams included Mytholmroyd, Booth, Copley, S.B.C.I., Old Town, Salem (now Hebden Bridge) and an earlier incarnation of Luddenden Foot (St Mary's). The now-defunct clubs were:

**Cross Lanes** (1895). Generally played in the Calder Valley and Hebden Bridge leagues.

**Luddenden Foot U.M.F.C.** (1895-1901). Ground at Top Shuttles.

**Sowerby Bridge West End** (1895-6 and 1898-1900). Also appeared in the Halifax Amateur League.

**Luddenden St Mary's** (1896-97).

**Warley Young Men** (1897-1900). Joined the Halifax Amateur League, where they had earlier featured, in 1901.

**Wadsworth Lanes** (1899-1900). Previously in the Hebden Bridge League.