

HALIFAX ROAD HEROES

SHAHID TANVIR

In 1999 Shahid Tanvir broke the Central Yorkshire League record for most runs in a single innings. He scored 222 not out against Wakefield St. Michaels. This was nearly beaten by Buttershaw player Kashif Rashid, who was on 209* when his captain decided to declare.



J. COLGAN

In 1985 J. Colgan won the J.P. Burnhill Trophy for being the top batsman in the Second Division. He scored 517 runs at an average of 57.44.

THE HALL FAMILY



Groundsman Mark has been an invaluable contact for us as we have researched this Exhibition – so thanks Mark! He follows in the footsteps of his Dad and Grandad at Staincliffe C.C.

SADIK KAROLIA



On 28 June 2003, Sadik Karolia claimed ten wickets for 44 runs against Woodkirk. It was the first time this feat had been achieved in a first-team fixture since 1973, when Harry Atkinson did likewise for Hanging Heaton against Wakefield, and only the fifth time it had been done in the history of the Central Yorkshire League.

In addition to this, Karolia won the W.S. Goldsmith Trophy for Second Division bowling, having taken 43 wickets at an average of 12.91.

ARTHUR BREARLEY



President of the Central Yorkshire League and the Yorkshire Council in the 1960s; also captained Staincliffe in 1946 when the 1st XI won the Central Yorkshire League First Division championship.



W. S. (BILL) GOLDSMITH

Bill Goldsmith was a fine all-round cricketer who came to the Heavy Woollen District at the end of the Second World War. He played, captained, and coached at Staincliffe for nearly 20 years. Bill also served as President of the Heavy Woollen Junior Cricket League for many years, until his death in 1973. Also won the Division 1 Bowling award with 56 wkts at 8.02 in 1953.



RICHARD GOLDSMITH



Son of Bill Goldsmith and talented all-round sportsman who has become a legendary figure at Staincliffe Cricket Club. He has been a massive help to us as we have researched the history of the Club – so thanks Richard!



C. PEACOCK

Won the Vernon Grace Trophy for batting in 1975
– 758 runs at 63.10.



ARTHUR CROWTHER

Commenced his career with Staincliffe in 1897.
He then moved to Dewsbury, Batley, and
Queensbury before returning to Staincliffe in
1907 for three seasons.



I. LAY

In 2004 I. Lay wins Ron Wolfenden Trophy for
Division Four Batting, averaging 44.00 runs.



M. SRIDHAR

In 1989 M. Sridhar won the Vernon Grace
Trophy for 1st Division batting.

EDGAR OLDROYD

Played his first game in Staincliffe's team at the age of just 16. This was in 1904, but soon after he left for Dewsbury & Savile, where he developed into a County bowler. He was also a renowned batsmen.



J. CROSSLAND

In 1965 J. Crossland won the Vernon Grace Trophy for 1st Division batting.



JIMMY ROTHERY

Began his career at Staincliffe, later becoming a County player. He scored nearly 5,000 runs for the County between 1903 and 1910.

THE HARDWORKING TEA LADY

