

HOW THE STORY UNFOLDS

<u>ON-FIELD</u> & <u>OFF-FIELD</u> EVENTS AT <u>HARTSHEAD MOOR C.C.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENTS IN</u> <u>HARTSHEAD MOOR,</u> <u>CLECKHEATON</u> & <u>THE WORLD</u>
Birth of Hartshead Moor C.C..	1876	Bell invents telephone.
	1877	Edison invents phonograph.
	1878	Berlin Congress.
	1879	Edison invents light bulb.
	1880	Mosquito found to carry malaria.
	1881	Tripos open to women.

	1882	Married Women's Property Act.
	1883	Opening of Friends' Meeting House in Hartshead Moor. French painter Manet dies.
	1884	Greenwich made meridian.
	1885	Lion Stores open in Cleckheaton. First electric tramcar in Blackpool.
Join Heavy Woollen Cup.	1886	<i>The Mayor of Casterbridge.</i>
	1887	Cleckheaton Conservative Club built. Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee.
	1888	First box camera.
	1889	Opening of Public Baths. Eiffel Tower built.
	1890	Opening of Wesleyan chapel in Hartshead Moor. London's first Underground.
	1891	Pope Leo XIII condemns socialism.

	1892	Cleckheaton Town Hall opened, Drill Hall built, North Bierley Joint Hospital opened. Electric oven invented.
	1893	Invention of the Aspirin.
First alterations to ground. Win Spen Valley & District League.	1894	Dreyfus Affair begins in France.
Win Spen Valley & District League.	1895	Invention of the X-Ray.
	1896	First modern Olympic Games.
	1897	Victoria's Diamond Jubilee.
	1898	New wing and mortuary added to North Bierley Joint Hospital for Infectious Diseases; West Riding Union Bank opened. Birth of Bertolt Brecht.
	1899	Sugden & Sons move to Water Lane Mills, Cleckheaton. Hague Peace Conference.
	1900	Zeppelin invents the airship.
	1901	Birth of Marlene Dietrich.

	1902	Curie discovers radioactivity.
	1903	New cemetery opened on Whitechapel Road, Cleckheaton. Henry Ford sets up company.
	1904	Britain and France sign Entente.
	1905	Revolution breaks out in Russia.
	1906	First radio programme.
	1907	First Daily Comic Strip.
	1908	Albion Street Post Office opened. Cubism founded in Paris.
	1909	Synthetic plastic invented.
Win Spen Valley League.	1910	Whitcliffe Mount School opened. Halley's comet reappears.
	1911	Cleckheaton Picture Palace opened by local businessman Walter Goodall. Amundsen

		reaches South Pole.
Win Spen Valley League.	1912	Fairground site transformed into small park in Cleckheaton. Titanic sinks.
Win Spen Valley League.	1913	Opening of King Edward VII Memorial Park, Cleckheaton. Suffragette demos.
Win Spen Valley League. 2 nd XI also win division giving Club 'The Double'.	1914	Start of First World War.
	1915	Einstein's <i>Theory of Relativity</i> .
	1916	Battle of Verdun. Easter Rising.
	1917	Russian Revolution.
	1918	World-wide flu epidemic.
	1919	Treaty of Versailles.
	1920	First roadside petrol station.
	1921	First birth control clinic.
	1922	Mussolini's March on Rome.
	1923	Savoy Cinema opens. First Wembley FA Cup final.

	1924	<i>Hitler's Mein Kampf.</i>
Ground bought for £350. Decision made to increase fundraising efforts.	1925	<i>Charleston dance.</i>
Jubilee Bazaar held to free ground from remaining £150 debt.	1926	<i>General Strike.</i>
First Life Members - Byrom Clegg and Arthur Barritt; talk of 'new accommodation'.	1927	<i>Lindbergh's solo flight.</i>
25 August - new pavilion opened by Sir Alfred Mowat; piano bought for Glee Club at cost of £26 2s 9d.	1928	<i>Lady Chatterley's Lover.</i>
G.W. Syrett becomes treasurer; H Wilkinson retires; benefit match for scorer James H. Spencer, makes £21; 23 November - bazaar held in Westgate Congregational Sunday School - net profit for pavilion £200 (£281 gross).	1929	<i>Wall Street Crash.</i>
	1930	<i>Planet Pluto discovered.</i>
Become members of the Heavy	1931	<i>Empire State Building built.</i>

Woollen League; central heating system introduced at ground; purchase of motor mower.		
	1932	BUF founded.
	1933	Hitler becomes Chancellor.
	1934	Mao Tse-tung's 'Long March'.
Moor and Lightcliffe C.C. agree to stage match in aid of Ellison Clinic.	1935	First pedestrian crossings.
	1936	Edward VIII abdicates.
Concrete wicket laid in the Croft; Moor host Heavy Woollen Cup final (Liversedge v Heckmondwike); Herbert Walker and others make plans for new scoreboard.	1937	Butlin opens his holiday camp.
Reach first-ever Heavy Woollen Cup final v Heckmondwike (but lose by 3 wickets); 2 nd XI win championship; scoring pavilion opened on day of Annual Gala; Bazaar held in Temperance Hall, Cleckheaton -	1938	Paid holidays start.

raises £260; plan accepted for kitchen improvements		
Club stages benefit match for Yorkshire and England wicketkeeper Arthur Wood; match raises £56 11s 8d - YCCC v Spen Valley.	1939	Second World War.
Join Bradford section of Yorkshire Council to play King Cross, Salts, Addingham and Siddal; Moor stage match in aid of Spenborough Forget-me-not Fund; J.H. Spencer reaches 21 st year as scorer. Beat Len Hutton-inspired Salts to win Bradford section of Yorkshire Council.	1940	National Government formed.
Moor are runners-up for Championship of Bradford Section, and thus become one of the top-four clubs in the Yorkshire Council; 2 nd XI win Clay Trophy and then take on 1 st XI.	1941	Germany invade USSR.

	1942	British victorious at El Alamein.
	1943	Warsaw Ghetto uprising.
Re-join Central Yorkshire League. Win promotion to Division 1 of Central Yorkshire League.	1944	D-Day. Paris liberated.
	1945	Auschwitz liberated.
2 nd XI win Division 'B' Championship.	1946	Iron Curtain descends.
2 nd XI win Championship.	1947	Truman Doctrine unveiled.
	1948	State of Israel founded.
Assets of the Club amount to £1,131; concrete wicket laid at cost of £24.	1949	NATO established.
First 'professional' player-coach appointed; Moor stage Benefit Match for Len Hutton, which raises £30 6s 6d.	1950	Petrol rationing ends in Britain.
Club celebrate 75 th Anniversary; Alfred Mowat's 30 th year as president – dinner dance at Prospect	1951	Festival of Britain opens.

Hall. Finish in top four of Yorkshire Council for only second time ever; reach their first Council final v Hanging Heaton but lose with only nine men the following Monday evening; win 2 nd Division Championship.		
Reach Heavy Woollen Cup final for second time.	1952	Elizabeth II crowned.
Slip-catching machine introduced; concrete wicket laid; pay box and entrance constructed; also 're-seating' of ground takes place.	1953	Everest conquered.
	1954	Thomas's <i>Under Milk Wood</i> .
Fred Wharton becomes player-coach; becomes the first Moor player to take 100+ wickets in a season (107 @ 9.00)	1955	Commercial TV starts in Britain.
More 're-seating' takes place and car park also installed; £44 is raised	1956	Elvis releases <i>All Shook Up</i> .

for Willie Watson in Benefit Match.		
	1957	Queen's first Xmas broadcast.
The greatest year in Moor's history? Win Heavy Woollen Cup for first time.	1958	Munich air disaster.
	1959	Postcodes introduced in Britain.
Raise more than £100 by staging Heavy Woollen Cup final.	1960	Picture Palace closes after fire. Sputnik 'dogs' go into space.
	1961	First oral contraceptive.
Leave Heavy Woollen Cup.	1962	Beatles release <i>Love Me Do</i> .
First season in Bradford League; work on new bar and toilet extension begins.	1963	Kennedy assassinated.
New bar opens.	1964	<i>Sun</i> founded.
	1965	First US raids against Vietnam.
	1966	Closure of Wesleyan chapel in Hartshead Moor. New General Post Office replaces Albion Street Post Office. England win World Cup.

Ronnie Thompson wins League Fielding Trophy. Promotion from 2 nd Division.	1967	First heart transplant.
Dismiss Farsley for 19 in Priestley Cup.	1968	BST introduced.
Stephen Birkett wins Fielding Trophy. Rodney Smith makes debut for Yorkshire.	1969	First men land on moon.
Building of M62 means original pavilion has to be sacrificed.	1970	Heath becomes PM.
	1971	Decimalisation of coinage.
Terry Evans builds two new sightscreens to replace old ones (which had survived since 1930s). Win Bradford League Division 2 title.	1972	Britain begins direct rule in NI.
	1973	M62 Service Station opened at Hartshead Moor. Britain enters EEC.
Billy Brown wins Bradford League Bowling Award; win Bradford	1974	IRA bomb blast at Service Station - 17 dead. Cleckheaton

League Division 2 title. Terry Evans constructs garage for motor roller and other items.		Public Baths close. Nixon resigns over Watergate.
	1975	First North Sea oil.
	1976	Drought Act during hot summer.
	1977	Queen's Silver Jubilee.
	1978	World's first 'test tube' baby.
	1979	Cleckheaton Public Baths demolished. Thatcher becomes PM.
	1980	Lennon assassinated.
	1981	Charles and Di wed.
	1982	Argentina invades Falklands.
	1983	Start of breakfast TV.
	1984	IRA bomb at Tory conference.
	1985	Al Fayed buys Harrods.
	1986	GLC abolished.
Article on history of Club appears in <i>Cricket World & Club Cricketer</i> .	1987	Hartshead Moor farmer Mr Collins wins Burke Trophy at the Royal Show. Zeebrugge

		tragedy.
	1988	Lockerbie disaster.
	1989	Berlin Wall torn down.
	1990	Poll Tax riots. Thatcher resigns.
	1991	Robert Maxwell drowns at sea.
	1992	Coal industry privatised.
	1993	Maastricht Treaty.
	1994	Channel Tunnel open.
	1995	Leeson brings down Barings.
	1996	BSE beef scare in UK.
	1997	Diana killed in car crash.
	1998	Good Friday peace agreement.
	1999	World population hits 6 billion.
	2000	Hatfield train disaster.
	2001	9/11 terrorist attack.
	2002	UK snubs Euro.
	2003	England win Rugby World Cup.
	2004	EU enlarged to 25 states.
CRICKET HERITAGE EXHIBITION	2005	7/7 terror attacks on London.