

# THE CRICKET

History of Calderdale & Kirklees

## WESTBOROUGH CC

<u>ON-FIELD &amp; OFF-FIELD EVENTS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENTS IN DEWSBURY &amp; THE WORLD</u>
Approximate date of formation of Dewsbury NALGO C.C..	1960	Sputnik 'dogs' go into space.
	1961	First oral contraceptive.
	1962	Beatles release <i>Love Me Do</i> .
	1963	Kennedy assassinated.
	1964	<i>Sun</i> founded. First <i>Top of the Pops</i> .
	1965	First US raids against Vietnam.
	1966	England win World Cup.
	1967	First heart transplant. Six Day War.
Dewsbury NALGO win Section 'C' of the Dewsbury & District League.	1968	BST introduced. Riots in Paris.
	1969	Dewsbury-based Yorkshire Woollen District Transport joins National Bus Company. Men land on moon.
	1970	Heath becomes PM.
Dewsbury NALGO competing in Section 'B' of the Dewsbury League.	1971	Decimalisation of coinage.
	1972	Britain begins direct rule in NI.
	1973	Britain enters EEC. VAT introduced.
Local government changes mean little council money for NALGO club.	1974	Birth of Kirklees. Nixon resigns over Watergate.
	1975	First North Sea oil. Equal Pay Act.
White Hart C.C. win Dewsbury & District League Section 'A' Championship.	1976	Drought Act during hot summer.

	<b>1977</b>	Queen's Silver Jubilee. Elvis dies.
	<b>1978</b>	World's first 'test tube' baby.
	<b>1979</b>	Thatcher becomes PM.
	<b>1980</b>	Lennon assassinated.
	<b>1981</b>	SDP launch. Charles and Di wed.
	<b>1982</b>	Argentina invades Falklands.
	<b>1983</b>	Start of breakfast TV. Seat belt law.
	<b>1984</b>	IRA bomb at Tory conference.
Approx: Dewsbury NALGO merge with White Hart to form The Hart C.C..	<b>1985</b>	Al Fayed buys Harrods. Live Aid.
	<b>1986</b>	GLC abolished. Chernobyl accident.
	<b>1987</b>	Zeebrugge tragedy.
	<b>1988</b>	Fire at Dewsbury's former rugby league ground. Lockerbie disaster.
	<b>1989</b>	Berlin Wall torn down.
	<b>1990</b>	Poll Tax riots. Thatcher resigns.
Fire at Healds Road.	<b>1991</b>	Robert Maxwell drowns at sea.
	<b>1992</b>	Betty Boothroyd becomes Commons Speaker. Coal industry privatised.
2 <sup>nd</sup> XI win Kitchen Cup.	<b>1993</b>	Dewsbury Rams' Tetley's Stadium built. Maastricht Treaty.
Join Wakefield Union; become Royal Oak C.C. after switch of pubs.	<b>1994</b>	Channel Tunnel open.
	<b>1995</b>	Leeson destroys Barings.
	<b>1996</b>	BSE beef scare in UK.
	<b>1997</b>	Princess Diana killed in car crash.
Westborough C.C. born.; join Huddersfield Central League. Win Section 'D'.	<b>1998</b>	Good Friday peace agreement.
Win Section 'C'.	<b>1999</b>	World population hits 6 billion.
	<b>2000</b>	Betty Boothroyd retires as House of Commons Speaker. Dewsbury Rams win Grand Slam. Dome opens.
2 <sup>nd</sup> XI win G. Mear Trophy for most points won in last 6 matches of season.	<b>2001</b>	9/11 terrorist attack. Foot & Mouth.
Clubhouse fire. Win Section B.	<b>2002</b>	UK snubs Euro. Queen Mother dies.

	<b>2003</b>	England win Rugby World Cup.
	<b>2004</b>	EU enlarged to 25 states.
Club switches from The Woolpack to The Swan. HERITAGE EXHIBITION.	<b>2005</b>	Dewsbury Market reaches total figure of 295 stalls. 7/7 terrorist attacks.