

THE CRICKET

History of Calderdale & Kirklees

HALL BOWER CC

<u>ON-FIELD & OFF-FIELD EVENTS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENTS IN HALL BOWER & THE WORLD</u>
Hall Bower Cricket Club founded.	1876	Bell invents telephone.
Hall Bower play first fixture at Castle Hill on 14 April 1877.	1877	Edison invents phonograph.
Obtain a new field opposite Hall Bower Chapel. Requires levelling and new turf laying.	1878	Berlin Congress.
Start new season at new location.	1879	Hall Bower Chapel is rebuilt. Edison invents electric bulb.
	1880	Mosquito-malaria link found.
Move to New Laithe Hill.	1881	Tripes open to women.
	1882	Married Women's Property Act.
	1883	French painter Manet dies.
Finally move to their present location due to previous landlord increasing the rent at New Laithe Hill.	1884	Greenwich made meridian.
	1885	First tramcar in Blackpool.
	1886	<i>The Mayor of Casterbridge.</i>
	1887	Victoria's Golden Jubilee.
	1888	First box camera.
	1889	Eiffel Tower built.

	1890	London's first Underground.
	1891	Pope condemns socialism.
	1892	Electric oven invented.
Founder members of Huddersfield Alliance League.	1893	Invention of the Aspirin.
	1894	Dreyfus Affair.
	1895	Invention of the X-Ray.
	1896	First modern Olympic Games.
	1897	Victoria's Diamond Jubilee.
	1898	Work on the Victoria Tower at the top of Castle hill begins. Birth of Bertolt Brecht.
	1899	Hague Peace Conference.
	1900	Zeppelin invents the airship.
	1901	Birth of Marlene Dietrich.
	1902	Curie discovers radioactivity.
	1903	Henry Ford sets up company.
	1904	Dual Entente.
	1905	Revolution in Russia.
	1906	First radio programme broadcast.
	1907	First Daily Comic Strip.
	1908	Cubism founded in Paris.
	1909	Synthetic plastic invented.
	1910	Halley's comet reappears.
	1911	Amundsen reaches Pole.
	1912	Titanic sinks.
	1913	Suffragette demonstrations.
Become one of six founders of Huddersfield Central League.	1914	Start of First World War.
	1915	Einstein's <i>Theory of Relativity</i> .
	1916	Battle of Verdun.
	1917	Russian Revolution.

	1918	World-wide flu epidemic.
Edwin Roebuck wins League Bowling Medal.	1919	Treaty of Versailles.
	1920	First roadside petrol station.
	1921	First birth control clinic.
	1922	Mussolini's March on Rome.
	1923	First Wembley FA Cup final.
	1924	Hitler's <i>Mein Kampf</i> .
	1925	Charleston dance.
	1926	General Strike.
Club celebrates 50 th Anniversary.	1927	Lindbergh's solo flight.
	1928	<i>Lady Chatterley's Lover</i> .
Arnold Hirst becomes secretary/treasurer - a position he holds until 1941	1929	Wall Street Crash.
	1930	Planet Pluto discovered.
	1931	Empire State Building built.
	1932	BUF founded.
	1933	Hitler becomes Chancellor.
Hall Bower win both 1 st XI and 2 nd XI Central League Championships.	1934	Mao Tse-tung's 'Long March'.
Hall Bower 1 st XI and 2 nd XI both win Central League Championships again. Lewis Swallow signed on as the Club's first professional player.	1935	First pedestrian crossings.
1 st XI win League Championship for third successive year.	1936	Edward VIII abdicates.

	1937	Butlin opens his holiday camp.
2 nd XI win Tinker Cup.	1938	Paid holidays start.
2 nd XI win Tinker Cup.	1939	Second World War.
Join Huddersfield and District League.	1940	29 August: two bombs dropped by German bombers land in Hall Bower. National Government formed.
	1941	Germany invade USSR.
Promotion to Section 'A' of Huddersfield and District League. T. Oldham wins Section 'B' Bowling Prize.	1942	British victorious at El Alamein.
1 st XI win Byrom Shield. 2 nd XI win Johnson Cup. Captain Clifford Horsfall wins 1 st XI League Fielding Prize.	1943	Warsaw Ghetto uprising.
	1944	D-Day. Paris liberated.
	1945	Auschwitz liberated.
Section 'B' Champions - winning Hinchcliffe Cup. J.T. Barron awarded 2 nd XI League Bowling Prize.	1946	Iron Curtain descends.
Win Walker Cup.	1947	Residents of Hall Bower have to cope with the Big Snow. Truman Doctrine unveiled.
	1948	State of Israel founded.
Laurie Poulter wins 2 nd XI League Bowling Prize.	1949	NATO established.
2 nd XI win Senior Cup.	1950	Petrol rationing ends in Britain.
	1951	Festival of Britain opens.
	1952	Elizabeth II crowned.
Alex Exley becomes Club's professional bowler. Laurie Poulter wins 1 st XI League Bowling Prize.	1953	Everest conquered.
Les Richardson wins Fielding Prize.	1954	Thomas's <i>Under Milk Wood</i> .
Alex Exley takes 10 wickets against Dalton in July. He repeats this performance by taking 10 against Kirkheaton in August. Club wins Hopkinson Trophy.	1955	Commercial TV starts.
2 nd XI win Schweppes Cup.	1956	Elvis releases <i>All Shook Up</i> .

2 nd XI win Senior Cup again.	1957	Queen's first Xmas broadcast.
	1958	Munich air disaster.
2 nd XI again win Senior Cup. Club also win Hopkinson Trophy for second time. Tommy Galvin awarded League Fielding Prize.	1959	Postcodes introduced.
	1960	Sputnik 'dogs' go into space.
Tommy Galvin again awarded League Fielding Prize.	1961	First oral contraceptive.
1 st XI skipper Tommy Galvin makes headline news by scoring 100 in just 60 minutes. He also wins League Fielding prize.	1962	Beatles release <i>Love Me Do</i> .
John Peaker wins Hemmingway Cup for wicketkeeping.	1963	Kennedy assassinated.
	1964	<i>Sun</i> founded.
Club win Hopkinson Trophy for third time. Wicketkeeper T. Heaton wins Cyril Thorne Cup.	1965	First US raids against Vietnam.
2 nd XI win Paddock Shield for first time.	1966	England win World Cup.
1 st XI win Byrom Shield.	1967	First heart transplant.
2 nd XI do Double, winning Championship and Paddock Shield.	1968	BST introduced.
Relegation to Section 'B'	1969	First men land on moon.
	1970	Heath becomes PM.
Win Hinchcliffe Cup again.	1971	Decimalisation of coinage.
Finally win Sykes Cup. John Peaker wins League Batting and Wicketkeeping Prizes. John Peaker also wins Tom Oldham Trophy for batting. Club also wins Goulder Trophy and Victor Muff Trophy is awarded to T. Woodhouse for best performance in Sykes Cup. Ladies Committee formed.	1972	Britain begins direct rule in NI.
	1973	Britain enters EEC.
	1974	Nixon resigns over Watergate.

Pavilion burns down.	1975	First North Sea oil.
Win inaugural Huddersfield League Indoor Knockout Competition.	1976	Drought Act.
Pavilion rebuilt.	1977	Street party held in village to celebrate Queen Elizabeth II's Silver Jubilee. Elvis dies.
Win Section 'B' Championship	1978	World's first 'test tube' baby.
	1979	Thatcher becomes PM.
	1980	Lennon assassinated.
	1981	SDP launch.
	1982	Argentina invades Falklands.
Asian Test stars sign but don't play.	1983	Start of breakfast TV.
Win Section 'B' Championship. S. Lawrence sets record for most catches by an outfielder in one season: 26. This record still stands.	1984	IRA bomb at Tory conference.
	1985	Al Fayed buys Harrods.
	1986	GLC abolished.
	1987	Zeebrugge tragedy.
	1988	Lockerbie disaster.
	1989	Berlin Wall torn down.
	1990	Poll Tax riots.
	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 RU World Cup.

	2004	EU enlarged to 25 states.
CRICKET HERITAGE EXHIBITION	2005	7/7 terror attacks on London.