

HOLMBRIDGE CC

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## HAROLD BARBER

Harold Barber was president of Holmbridge C.C. throughout the period between the two world wars (1919-1939).

The Club had a longstanding connection with the family - the ground was rented from Barber's Mill until the business closed in 1975 and the ground purchased.

# **EDWARD BUTTERWORTH**

A Vice-President from 1930, Edward Butterworth of Yew Tree Mills became President of the Club after the Second World War and continued in that office until 1962. He then became a Vice-President again in 1963.



## **ARTHUR ROBERTS & J. TAYLOR**

Holmbridge C.C. has been fortunate to have two long-serving treasurers. Arthur Roberts was in office from just after World War 1 until 1929. And from 1973 to 1992, J. Taylor was in charge of financial affairs.

# THE GAPPERS



**Bob Gapper**

A local licensee for 36 years, Bob Gapper served as Club President for over a decade in the 1980s and 1990s. He also gave, financially and in kind, through his business. The Club presented him with an inscribed tankard when he retired as landlord of the Bridge Tavern in 1992.



**Mrs Kathleen Gapper**

Mrs Kathleen Gapper acted as President of the Club from 1977 to 1984.

# RONNIE MOORHOUSE & HAROLD TURNER



The Club acknowledged the services of Ronnie Moorhouse by introducing a trophy in his name. This piece of silverware was donated to the Huddersfield Central Cricket League in 1975 and is awarded to the Man of the Match in the Allsop Cup final. Ronnie was secretary in 1935 and 1936 and again between 1946 and 1962. He was then treasurer from 1967 to 1971.

Harold Turner became treasurer in 1937 and only relinquished the post in 1957. Both men were complimented for their long service to the Club in 1960.

# **R. HOWARTH**



**R. Howarth led the 1<sup>st</sup> XI during a successful period in the 1950s. In 1954 he led the Allsop Cup-winning side and was also at the helm two years later when the Huddersfield Central League championship was won.**

# PHIL BRAMMALL



**Fiery fast bowler of the modern era.**

# **RICHARD BROOKE**



Richard Brooke was Man of the Match in the 1994 Allsop Cup final. He took of 7 for 64 from 18 overs.

# **SIMON HOLMES**



**Simon Holmes led the 1<sup>st</sup> XI to victory in the 1994 Allsop Cup final.**