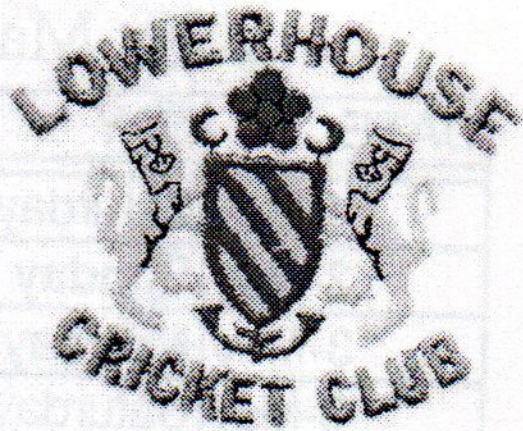


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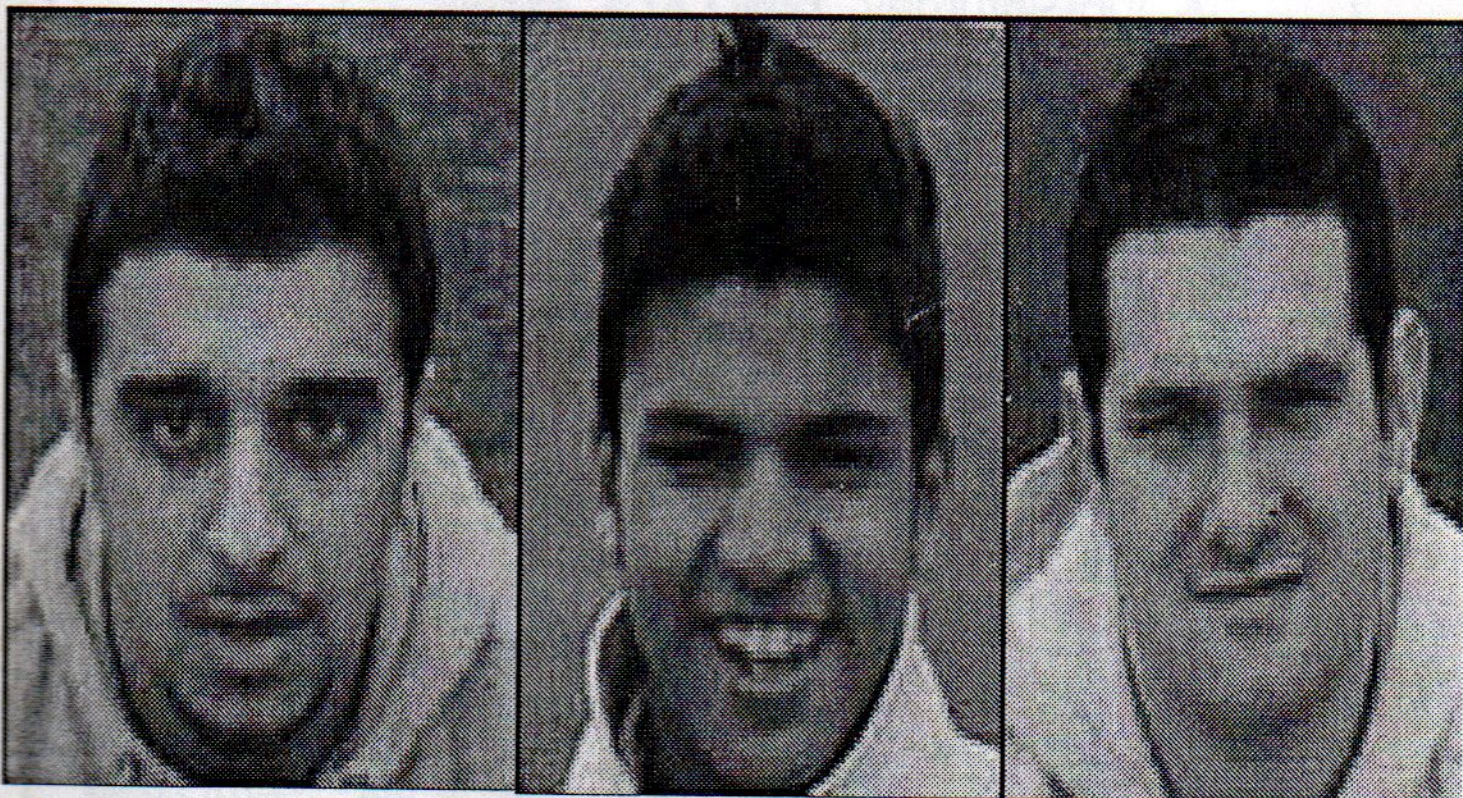


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Sunday 2nd May 2004

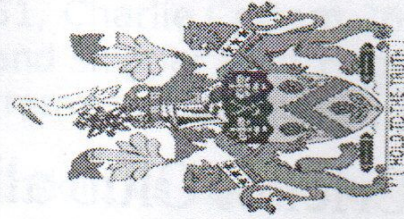
**Wishing A successful season to our 3 newcomers—Saeed Riaz, Vishal Tripathi & Chris Benbow. Also a warm welcome to today's visitors - Accrington**



Next Matches at West end

DATE	DAY	TEAM	MATCH
1-May	Saturday	2ND XI	Ramsbottom
2-May	Sunday	1ST XI	Accrington
3-May	Monday	3RD XI	Rishton
8-May	Saturday	2ND XI	Todmorden
9-May	Sunday	1ST XI	Burnley WC 1
15-May	Saturday	1ST XI	Walsden
16-May	Sunday	2ND XI	Nelson
22-May	Saturday	1ST XI	Res WC1 & 1st Fxd
22-May	Saturday	3RD XI	Ramsbottom
23-May	Sunday	1ST XI	Haslingden
29-May	Saturday	2ND XI	Rawtenstall
30-May	Sunday	1ST XI	Burnley
31-May	Monday	1ST XI	Inter 2
5-Jun	Saturday	1ST XI	Worsley Cup 2
5-Jun	Saturday	2ND XI	Worsley Cup 2
6-Jun	Sunday	2ND XI	Colne
12-Jun	Saturday	1ST XI	Res WC2
12-Jun	Saturday	2ND XI	Res WC2
12-Jun	Saturday	3RD XI	Nelson
13-Jun	Sunday	1ST XI	Bacup
19-Jun	Saturday	1ST XI	Inter QF
20-Jun	Sunday	2ND XI	Rishton
26-Jun	Saturday	2ND XI	Haslingden
27-Jun	Sunday	1ST XI	Worsley Cup Semi
27-Jun	Sunday	2ND XI	Worsley Cup Semi
27-Jun	Sunday	3RD XI	Church
3-Jul	Saturday	1ST XI	Res WC Semi
3-Jul	Saturday	2ND XI	Res WC Semi
3-Jul	Saturday	3RD XI	Colne

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# Last Weekends Matches

Lowerhouse vs Church CC 24/4/04

Over 500 runs were scored at Liverpool Road where **Lowerhouse** beat **Church** by 4 wickets. Church skipper Phil Sykes hit exactly 100 in an opening stand of 185 with professional Ruwin Peiris, who made 99 in the visitors score of 253-3. Jonathan Finch (48) and Vishal Tripathi (44) put on 77 for the 1st wicket with the 16 year-old Tripathi looking a class act.

Professional Peter Fulton looked unlucky to lose his wicket to Andrew Bentley for 53 but Chris Bleazard hit 51, Charlie Cottam 26 with Joe Beneduce (17 not out) and skipper Matt Hope (13) seeing the home side to a tremendous victory

Enfield Vs Lowerhouse 25/4/04

**Lowerhouse** professional Peter Fulton produced a match winning performance at Dill Hall Lane as **Enfield's** campaign continued with a second defeat. The New Zealander hit nine fours and a six in an innings of 93 as the visitors made 194-7. New signing Chris Benbow also made his presence felt by hitting 24 and then taking 5-45 as Enfield were dismissed for 119. Fulton picked up 4-29 with Neil Holmes fighting a lone battle with an unbeaten 32. Only Adam Bracewell with 19 offered anything like support.

Sub-pro' Pierre Joubert was dismissed second ball without scoring and an injury prevented him from bowling.

## FUNDRAISING

### BINGO!!

There will be a Bingo night at the clubhouse on Sunday 2nd May. The event is to be a purely light hearted affair and the entrance is FREE!! All are welcome, so come on down with your Dibbers, your Dobbers & your Dabbers and support your club.

### RACE NIGHT

Also in the coming weeks there is to be a Race night held at the clubhouse and details on this will be available soon.

### SPORTSMANS DINNER

Just a reminder to all who wish to attend, our sportsmans dinner will be held on the 27th August at the Burnley league club. Guest speaker will be Ex Claret Steve Kindon, Comedian Jed Stone and your MC for the evening will be Tony Woodworth

## 2nd XI MATCH REPORTS

### Lowerhouse 2nd XI Vs Church 2nd XI

Lowerhouse's Frank Entwistle won the toss and elected to field to start his reign as 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Skipper. Despite an accurate spell of bowling from Matt Marquis & Leo Howley, the hosts were well placed at 49-1 off the first 15 overs. The introduction of Chris Astin from the scoreboard end saw the visitors slump to 121-8 when Astin finished a fine 14 over spell with figures of 4-31. He was ably supported at the other end with spells of 1-12 from 5 overs and 2-10 off 6 overs from youngsters Scott Hope & Ben Heap. Zeeshan Malik polished off the final two wickets in 5 balls as home side were bowled out for 123.

In reply Ian Whitehead was in typical belligerent form. He smashed boundary after boundary hoisting 3 massive sixes in his innings of 61. Church had only themselves to blame as they dropped the opener 4 times. Tommy Brierley provided great support to the opening stand with 17. Ben Heap followed up his fine bowling display with typical confidence 25 as Lowerhouse surpassed the required total for the loss of 4 wickets to take a maximum 12 point return.

### Lowerhouse 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Vs Enfield 2<sup>nd</sup> XI

Enfield won the toss and elected to bat. 17 year old Leo Howley and evergreen Matt Marquis produced a marvellous opening spell of seam bowling with Matt claiming the opening two wickets. Scott Hope replaced Leo Howley from the park end and Chris Astin again turned the screw from the car park end. Neither produced the same fluency of the previous day but Chris again produced 14 accurate overs taking 1-34. 15 year old Ben Heap took centre stage producing one of the most accurate spells of bowling seen from the park end. His first spell of 6 overs returned remarkable figures of 3-4 including 4 maidens. After being forced out of the attack due to age restrictions on his bowling Ben returned to bowl the final three overs, his final return of 9 overs 7 maidens 5 wickets for 5 runs Enfield finished on 153/9.

In reply Lowerhouse were soon in trouble at 44-4. Phil Haggerty proved what he is so highly thought of at the club producing a wonderful 96 not out. He patiently accumulated his runs rotated the strike and despatched any loose delivery to the boundary. Tommy Brierley produced another tremendous supportive innings proving to be perfect partner for Phil as they put on over 75 for the 5<sup>th</sup> wicket. However, three quick wickets put the result in doubt but Phil again responded showing great maturity easing the home side over the finishing line with 3 wickets to spare.

Team Manager Stan Heaton roasted the poor application of the senior batsmen in the dressing room. Skipper Frank Entwistle said: "Despite taking 2 points for the weekend, more players need to make contributions there is considerable room for improvement."

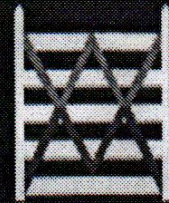
1st XI League Table as at 26th April 2004

	Pl	W	T	L	N.R.	B.P.	Pts Ded	Pts
Accrington	3	3	0	0	0	0		30
Bacup	2	2	0	0	0	4		24
Lowerhouse	2	2	0	0	0	2		22
Rishton	2	1	1	0	0	4	1	20
Colne	3	1	1	1	0	1	1	17
East Lancashire	2	1	0	1	0	6		16
Rawtenstall	2	1	0	1	0	3		13
Nelson	2	1	0	1	0	2		12
Todmorden	2	1	0	1	0	2		12
Haslingden	2	1	0	1	0	1		11
Ramsbottom	2	0	0	2	0	6		6
Burnley	2	0	0	2	0	4		4
Enfield	2	0	0	2	0	3		3
Church	2	0	0	2	0	2		2

Today's Other Fixtures

Sunday May 2nd

<b>Bacup</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>East Lancs</b>
<b>Church</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>Burnley</b>
<b>Colne</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>Rawtenstall</b>
<b>Enfield</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>Ramsbottom</b>
<b>Haslingden</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>Todmorden</b>
<b>Rishton</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>Nelson</b>

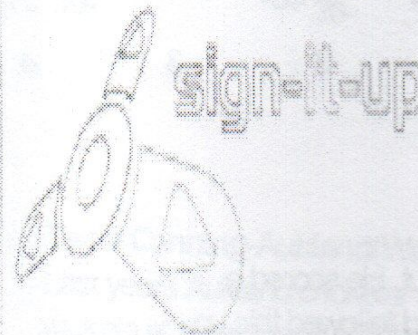


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# CRICKET LEAGUE

## Lowerhouse

Runs

1 M Hope Capt	_____
2 J Beneduce	_____
3 T Brierley	_____
4 C Bembo	_____
5 S Riaz	_____
6 C Blezard	_____
7 C Cottam Wkt	_____
8 P Mawdsley	_____
9 V Tripathi	_____
10 J Finch	_____
11 P Fulton	_____

Extras  
Total

Overs 10- 20- 30- 40-

Fall Of Wickets 1 2 3 4 5 6

Lowerhouse  
Accrington

### Peter Fulton-Canterbury(NZ)

Peter made a big impression on his debut. He scored a fluent 53 on Saturday against Church and followed this up the next day with a superb 93. He also demonstrated that he has the ability to take plenty of wickets during the coming weeks.

Umpires **Mr. B. Bishop and Mr. D. Barker**

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## Accrington

Runs

1 M. Wilson Capt	_____
2 D. Clarke	_____
3 R. Burrows	_____
4 Z. Afza	_____
5 A. Wilson	_____
6 J. Hayhurst	_____
7 M. Ahmed	_____
8 S. Crabtree	_____
9 G. Sneddon	_____
10 A. Barnes (wk)	_____
11 Tama Canning	_____

Extras  
Total

Overs 10- 20- 30- 40-

Fall Of Wickets 7 8 9 10

### Tama Canning-Aukland(Western Australia)

Last years Aukland cricketer of the year Tama finished with 46 wickets at an average of 22 and completed his maiden century against our pro's Canterbury. After some good performances, he made his one day international debut in Pakistan. Tama is a right handed batsmen and right arm fast medium bowler, returns to Accrington who have high hopes of him this season.


## 2nd XI 2003 Season Final Table

Haslingden	26	20	0	4	2	29	235	
Burnley	26	18	0	5	3	31	220	
Bacup	26	17	0	7	2	32	208	
Church	26	16	0	7	3	38	207	
Ramsbottom	26	15	0	8	3	43	202	
East Lancashire	26	16	0	8	2	32	1	197
Rawtenstall	26	14	0	9	3	44	193	
Nelson	26	13	0	11	2	42	178	
Lowerhouse	26	8	0	15	3	31	1	119
Colne	26	7	0	16	3	30	108	
Enfield	26	8	0	15	3	14	103	
Todmorden	26	7	0	17	2	24	1	99
Rishton	26	4	0	20	2	24	1	69
Accrington	26	1	0	22	3	15	34	

## 3rd XI 2003 Season Final Table

	Pl	W	T	L	N.R.	B.P.	Pts
Nelson	13	10	0	2	1	8	50
Bacup	13	10	0	3	0	7	47
Ramsbottom	13	9	0	3	1	9	47
Haslingden	13	8	0	4	1	11	45
Rawtenstall	13	9	0	3	1	5	43
Burnley	13	8	0	4	1	7	41
Accrington	13	6	0	6	1	6	32
Colne	13	6	0	6	1	4	30
Lowerhouse	13	4	0	7	2	4	24
Todmorden	13	4	0	9	0	5	21
East Lancashire	13	3	0	8	2	3	19
Enfield	13	3	0	9	1	3	17
Rishton	13	3	0	10	0	4	16
Church	13	2	0	11	0	4	12

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## This Time Last Year

A career best bowling performance from Jonathan Finch paved the way for another **Lowerhouse** victory against **Accrington** at Liverpool Road. The medium pacer took 6-52 as the visitors made 161-9. Matt Wilson hit 49 (five fours and two sixes) and Graeme Sneddon 47 (five fours and one six) in a 3rd wicket stand of 89 for Accrington. Stand-in paid man Iqbal Iman from Royton hit an unbeaten 70 as Lowerhouse lost just 1 wicket in knocking off the runs. Finch made 32, Qasim Ali 30, before retiring with cramp, and Chris Bleazard an unbeaten 25.

**Lowerhouse 10 points beat  
Accrington 0 points by 9 Wickets**



## Forthcoming Junior Fixtures

- April 30th Under 15's V Darwen - Away - Cup
- May 5th Under 15's 'B' V Enfield - Away
- May 7th - Under 11's 'A' V Rawtenstall - Away  
Under 11's 'B' V Bacup - Away  
Under 13's 'A' V Burnley - Away
- May 10th Under 15's 'A' V Nelson - Home
- May 13th Under 11's V Colne - Home - Cup
- May 14th Under 17's V Rawtenstall - Away
- May 17th Under 11's 'A' V Ramsbottom - Away  
Under 15's 'B' Bacup - Home
- May 19th Under 15's 'A' V Longridge - Away
- May 20th Under 11's 'B' V Longridge - Home
- May 21st Under 13's 'A' V Colne - Home
- May 24th Under 13's 'B' V Salesbury - Home  
Under 17's V Rishton - Home
- May 31st Under 15's 'A' V Rawtenstall - Home

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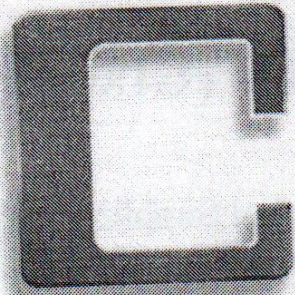


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## LOWERHOUSE JUNIORS

The under 15's cup tie finally went ahead on Monday @ Accrington. Lowerhouse batted first and after a steady start produced a first class batting performance with both Ross brown & Scott Hope putting on a fifty partnership in the 10th over. Ross finished with a fantastic 49 not out and Scott was eventually out for a credible 39. Amaad Hussain went in with 2 overs to go and played a couple of expansive shots and finished with 10 not out. Lowerhouse eventually finished on 98 for 1.

In taking the field Lowerhouse initially bowled and fielded very well and a steady fall of wickets saw Accrington fall increasingly behind the run rate required.

This gave everyone in the team the opportunity to participate and Lowerhouse used 7 different bowlers and the home sides innings eventually finished on 70 for 5.

Jack Butler Hartley, Keiron Tighe and Callum Brown were the pick of the bowlers.

Although this was a convincing win for our under 15's, there were obvious areas that can be improved upon. In the batting we must pick up on quick singles and be faster between the wickets, concentration must be for the allotted overs or indeed until we have beaten the opposition. To often players 'switch off' and we have to learn not to let teams off the hook.

In the next round the under 15's have been drawn away to a strong Darwen side on Friday 30th April. **"Best of luck lads"**.

Finally, our under 13's were away to Darwen on Wednesday, a game which they won. Details will appear in the next issue.



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