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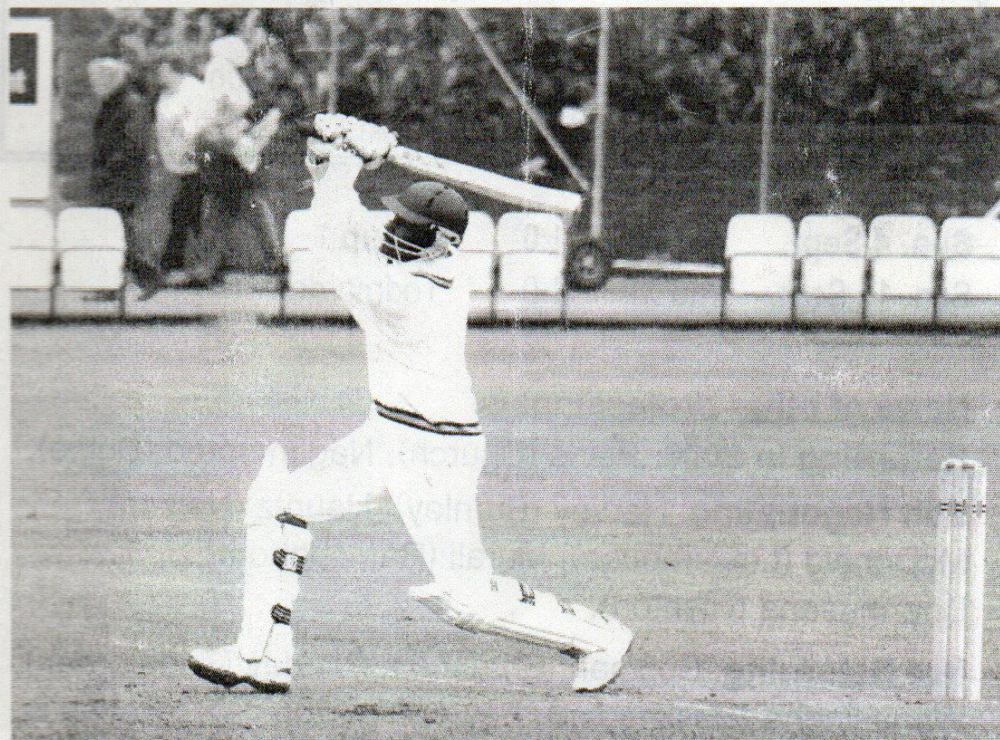
# Colne Cricket Club



**v. LOWERHOUSE**

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**Sunday 21st August 2005**



Colne's professional, re-signed for 2006:

**MAHENDRA NAGAMOOTOO**

## COLNE C.C. PROFESSIONAL FOR 2006

We are delighted to say that Mahendra Nagamootoo has signed a contract to play for Colne in 2006. We look forward to Mahendra and Dee-Ann's return.

### Next Matches at the Horsfield

Sat. 27 Aug.	1st XI	1.15	Rishton
Sun. 28 Aug.	2nd XI	1.15	Nelson

### FLOODLIT FESTIVAL OF CRICKET

Mon. 29 Aug.	u17s	1.0	Junior Knock-Out - all day
Tue. 30 Aug.	1st XI	5.0	Burnley v. Lowerhouse
Wed. 31 Aug.	1st XI	5.0	Colne v. Nelson
Fri. 2 Sept.	1st XI	5.30	FINAL

Sun. 4 Sept.	1st XI	1.0	Bacup
Sun. 11 Sept.	2nd XI	1.0	Todmorden

### News of other professionals

**Returning in 2006:** Peiris (Church), Nagamootoo (Colne).

**Still Negotiating:** Harvey (Burnley), Hauritz (Nelson), McDonald (Lowerhouse), Murali (Ramsbottom), Dharmasena (Rishton).

**Not Returning:** Bosman (E.Lancs.), Pandey (Todmorden), Wanasinghe (Haslingden), Payne (Rawtenstall). Payne is eligible to play for Rawtenstall as an amateur.

**No news:** Canning (Accrington), Griffith (Bacup), Petersen (Enfield).

# FLOODLIT CRICKET

**Monday 29th August - Friday 2nd September**

The format is the same as in previous years, Power Cricket, 2 innings of 20 overs per side. Big hitting and exciting batting guaranteed.

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## 2005 Fixtures

		Lge/ Cup			Scores		Points		
					Colne	Opp.	Colne	Opp.	
April	17	Todmorden	H	L	Win	79-2	75	12	0
	23	Accrington	H	L	Win	136-5	133	12	1
	24	Rishton	A	L	Win	270-5	199-6	10	0
May	1	East Lancs.	H	L	Loss	60	185-7	0	12
	7	Rawtenstall	A	L	Win	159-5	138-8	10	3
	8	Ramsbottom	H	L	Loss+	185-6	155-6	2	10
	14	Ashton	h	ILC	Loss	234	248		
	15	Haslingden	A	L	Win	180-9	140	12	2
	21	Church	A	L	Win+	137-9	147-6	10	5
	29	Burnley	H	L	Win	277-9	205-8	10	0
June	4	Rishton	A	WC	Loss	199	202-4		
	5	Lowerhouse	A	L	Loss	100	102-1	0	12
	12	Nelson	H	L	NR	dnb	134-8		
	19	Bacup	A	L	NR	157-6	dnb		
	26	Enfield	H	L	Win	208/8	205-7	10	4
July	2	Haslingden	H	L	Win	287/7	204	12	0
	10	Burnley	A	L	Win	242	197	12	3
	17	Church	H	L	Loss	95	207	2	12
	23	Nelson	H	L	Win	167/3	163	12	0
	24	Enfield	A	L	Loss	171	173/2	0	12
	31	East Lancs.	A	L	Win	262/8	244/8	10	4
Aug.	6	Rawtenstall	H	L	Loss	134	189/9	0	12
	14	Ramsbottom	A	L	Loss	126	131/9	5	12
	20	Accrington	A	L					
	21	Lowerhouse	H	L					
	27	Rishton	H	L					
	28	Nelson	A	L					
Sept	4	Bacup	H	L					
	10	Bacup	A	L					
	11	Todmorden	A	L					

L = League

WC = Worsley Cup

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## Colne

1. D.Swarbrick (c,wk) .....
2. J.Ellis .....
3. D.Spokes .....
4. P.Wilson .....
5. Q.Ali .....
6. S.Lemon .....
7. M.Walker .....
8. C.Willan .....
9. M.Constable .....
10. M.Clark .....
11. Nagamootoo .....

Extras ..... \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Lowerhouse

1. J.Beneduce (c) .....
2. J.Finch .....
3. C.Cottam .....
4. M.Hope .....
5. P.Tripathi .....
6. C.Benbow .....
7. V.Tripathi .....
8. J.Russell .....
9. C.Bleazard .....
10. F.Entwistle (wk) .....
11. McDonald .....

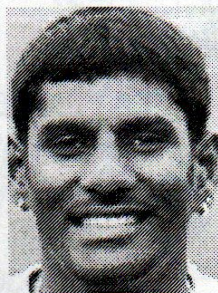
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Fall of Wickets:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Colne

Lowerhouse



**Mahendra Nagamootoo (Guyana & W. Indies)** will return in 2006 to continue the form which sees him leading the Lancashire League wickets table. With Murali returning to the India side, McDonald is now his nearest rival.

2005: 672 runs, ave. 44.8; 74 wickets, ave. 16.8



**Andrew McDonald (Victoria)** played twice as Haslingden's pro in 2004, before returning home injured. He has had a much happier time in 2005, being one of the league's top professionals and taking Lowerhouse to the top of the league.

2005: 639 runs, ave. 58.1; 63 wickets, ave. 10.8

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Last week's Quiz: the 5 events on the Horsfield took place as follows:

**1883 Colne FC v. Burnley FC** took place on 13th October. Colne only played at the Horsfield for 1 season, until the landlord objected; they then moved to a field at the bottom of Windy Bank. Burnley FC were in their second season. Burnley won 3-2.

**1902 The Bowling Green was opened**, on 17th May. There had previously been a tennis court on the current bowling green site, but it had been under-used. The club changed its name to "Colne Cricket & Bowling Club" in 1903.

**1918 Potatoes were grown on the cricket field.** During the Great War, league cricket was suspended, and Colne had great difficulty in raising funds to carry on. Sheep were grazed on the field; the club ran a tripe stall; and 800 square yards on the Byron Road side of the field were used for growing potatoes. In fact, the receipts over the two years from sale of potatoes were £28; gate receipts from the friendly matches in those two years totalled only £20.

**1933 Colne C.C. Bazaar.** The club had bought the Horsfield in 1925, but needed to raise £3,000 to repay the bank loan. There was a carnival on the Horsfield on Tuesday 27th June, with about 8,000 to 10,000 people attending in the evening. Among the attractions was gramophone music, amplified by microphone. The event was followed by a 4-day October bazaar in the Municipal Hall.

**1954 Trawden Sheepdog Trials** were held on the Horsfield. Colne C.C. earned £171 from the event, which represented half the profits. The trials were held again in 1955.

Note: there is no quiz question this week, as there will not be a match programme next Saturday - the editor is on holiday, lucky chap.

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## League Table as at 14th August (yesterday not included)

	P	W	L	NR	T	Bonuses			P
						Bowl	Lose	Pen	
Lowerhouse	19	14	4	1		28	3		174
Ramsbottom	19	14	5	0		22	12		174
Burnley	19	12	7	0		18	4		142
Colne	19	12	7	0		14	7		141
Nelson	19	10	8	0	1	16	15		138
Haslingden	19	9	8	2		22	16		134
Rawtenstall	19	10	8	1		14	13		130
East Lancs.	20	8	10	2		14	21	1	120
Todmorden	19	10	9	0		10	10		120
Rishton	20	9	10	1		14	12		119
Church	19	8	11	0		14	19		113
Bacup	19	6	9	3	1	12	5	2	91
Enfield	20	5	15	0		12	14		76
Accrington	20	2	18	0		8	30		58

Bowling bonuses: 2 points for any side bowling the opposition out. Losing bonuses: Up to five points, for the losing side only, based on second innings: if batting, one each for reaching within 50/40/30/20/10 of the target; if bowling, one each for taking 5/6/7/8/9 wickets.

### Today's other fixtures:

Burnley	v.	Nelson
Church	v.	Accrington
East Lancs.	v.	Rishton
Enfield	v.	Todmorden
Ramsbottom	v.	Haslingden
Rawtenstall	v.	Bacup