

GROWING ALL THE TIME

Roy Wainwright on Denby Dale as a village

Denby Dale is a special place. It's like a big village today but when I was a kid it was about a quarter of the size it is today. And we're lucky at the cricket club. We've got new buildings but we've had no vandalism or anything like that. We don't do too badly at all.



The Drakes League is probably a better standard of cricket but, personally, I think it defeats the object of playing local sport. We don't want to have to raise money to pay a professional. We want to keep the villagey feel to our cricket and club.

We've got a young lad now, Callum Geldart, who Yorkshire are interested in. We'd be very proud if he ever made it!