

THE CRICKET

History of Calderdale & Kirklees

MARSDEN CC

<u>ON-FIELD & OFF-FIELD EVENTS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENTS IN MARSDEN & THE WORLD</u>
Club formed.	1865	Lewis Carol's <i>Alice in Wonderland</i> .
	1866	Strauss's <i>Blue Danube Waltz</i> .
Marsden Mechanics Institute C.C. playing matches. 3 May playing Woodland C.C..	1867	Second Reform Bill passed.
	1868	Building of second Standedge railway tunnel begins. Meiji Restoration in Japan.
	1869	Suez Canal opened.
	1870	Death of Charles Dickens.
	1871	Chicago Fire kills 300 people.
	1872	Flood in Marsden. Second Carlist War in Spain.
	1873	Verne's <i>Around the World...</i>
	1874	Japan invades Taiwan.
	1875	Civil Rights Act passed in America.
	1876	Bell invents telephone.
	1877	Edison invents phonograph.
New cricket ground opens with a match between '18 of Marsden' and '12 of Lascelles Hall'.	1878	Berlin Congress.
	1879	Edison invents electric light bulb.
	1880	Mosquito found to carry malaria.
	1881	Cambridge Tripos open to women.
	1882	5 March: Dora Marsden is born. Married Women's Property Act.

	1883	French painter Manet dies.
	1884	Greenwich made meridian of world.
	1885	First electric tramcar in Blackpool.
	1886	Hardy's <i>The Mayor of Casterbridge</i> .
	1887	Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee.
	1888	First box camera.
	1889	Marsden Band is formed. Eiffel Tower built.
	1890	Building of third Standedge railway tunnel begins. London's first electric Underground.
	1891	Pope Leo XIII condemns socialism.
	1892	Electric oven invented.
Became founder members of Huddersfield and District Alliance Cricket League.	1893	Samuel Laycock dies. He is buried in Blackpool Cemetery but there is a memorial to him in Marsden Park. Invention of the Aspirin.
	1894	Dreyfus Affair begins in France.
Join Huddersfield and District Cricket League.	1895	Invention of the X-Ray.
Win Lumb Cup, beating Dalton in final by 124 runs.	1896	First modern Olympic Games held.
	1897	Victoria's Diamond Jubilee.
	1898	Birth of Bertolt Brecht.
	1899	First Hague Peace Conference.
	1900	Zeppelin invents the airship.
	1901	According to the Census there are 968 inhabited houses in Marsden. Birth of Marlene Dietrich.
	1902	Marie Curie discovers radioactivity.
Mr Cooper Firth of Marsden elected as President of Huddersfield & District League.	1903	Henry Ford sets up motor company.
	1904	Britain and France sign Entente.
	1905	Revolution breaks out in Russia.
	1906	First radio programme broadcast.
	1907	First Daily Comic Strip.
	1908	Cubism founded in Paris.
	1909	Synthetic plastic invented - Bakelite.
Marsden involved in failed attempt to form breakaway Colne Valley	1910	Halley's comet reappears.

League. Following the failure of this venture, Marsden dropped out of Huddersfield and District League.		
	1911	Amundsen reaches South Pole.
	1912	Titanic sinks. Scott's last expedition.
	1913	Suffragette demonstrations.
	1914	Start of First World War.
	1915	Einstein's <i>Theory of Relativity</i> .
	1916	Battle of Verdun. Easter Rising.
	1917	Russian Revolution.
	1918	Electric Cinema opens. World-wide flu epidemic.
	1919	Treaty of Versailles.
	1920	First roadside petrol station in UK.
Move to current ground at Hemplow. 'as the result of the generosity of the late Mr. John Edward Crowther, a most influential Marsden mill owner, who presented to the inhabitants of Marsden a wonderful sports arena, consisting of cricket, bowls, tennis and golf!'	1921	First birth control clinic.
Rejoined Huddersfield & District League.	1922	Mussolini's March on Rome.
	1923	First Wembley FA Cup final.
	1924	Hitler's <i>Mein Kampf</i> . Death of Lenin.
	1925	Charleston dance becomes fashion.
	1926	February: Marsden Parish Church Amateur Operatic and Dramatic Society formed. General Strike. Adoption legalised.
	1927	Lindbergh's solo flight over Atlantic.
	1928	Lawrence's <i>Lady Chatterley's Lover</i> .
	1929	Wall Street Crash.
	1930	Planet Pluto discovered.
	1931	Marsden Band moves to current premises on Marsden Lane. Empire State Building built.
	1932	British Union of Fascists founded.
	1933	Hitler becomes German Chancellor.
	1934	Mao Tse-tung's 'Long March'.

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Fire destroys pavilion.	1936	Edward VIII abdicates.
	1937	Billy Butlin opens his holiday camp.
	1938	Paid holidays start. Biro invented.
	1939	Beginning of Second World War.
	1940	National Government formed.
In a match against Huddersfield on 19 July, Fred Haigh, Club professional, takes 10 for 41 including two separate hat-tricks.	1941	Germany invade USSR.
	1942	British victorious at El Alamein.
	1943	Warsaw Ghetto uprising.
	1944	Huddersfield Narrow Canal is abandoned. Day. Paris liberated.
	1945	Auschwitz liberated.
	1946	Iron Curtain descends on Europe.
	1947	Truman Doctrine unveiled.
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	1949	NATO established.
	1950	Petrol rationing ends in Britain.
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	1952	Elizabeth II crowned. Pill invented.
	1953	Everest conquered.
	1954	Dylan Thomas's <i>Under Milk Wood</i> .
	1955	Marsden Moor Estate transferred to National Trust. Commercial TV starts in Britain.
	1956	Elvis releases <i>All Shook Up</i> .
	1957	Queen's first Christmas broadcast.
	1958	Munich air disaster. Beatles formed.
	1959	Postcodes introduced in Britain.
Basil D'oliviera plays as sub pro in two games, scoring 104 and taking 6 for 26 at Linthwaite, and scoring 62 and taking 2 wickets against same opposition at Marsden.	1960	Sputnik 'dogs' go into space.
	1961	Marsden Band wins first prize in a competition at the Belle

		Vue Centre, Manchester. First oral contraceptive.
	1962	Beatles release <i>Love Me Do</i> .
Sylvester Oliver, the West Indian cricketer, played as professional. 1 st XI win Huddersfield League Section 'B' title.	1963	26 May: Simon Armitage born. Kennedy assassinated.
Sign Vibert Rodney, a West Indian from Guyana, as professional. He takes 63 wickets in season at an average of 16.	1964	<i>Sun</i> founded. First <i>Top of the Pops</i> .
Retain Vibert Rodney. He takes 39 wickets in the season at an average of 12.86.	1965	First US raids against Vietnam.
	1966	England win World Cup.
	1967	First heart transplant. Six Day War.
	1968	BST introduced. Riots in Paris.
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	1970	Heath becomes PM.
	1971	Decimalisation of coinage.
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	1973	Medieval stocks moved back to original home in Towngate. Britain enters EEC. VAT introduced.
	1974	Nixon resigns over Watergate.
	1975	Heavy snow causes roof of Electric Cinema to collapse. It is demolished shortly thereafter. First North Sea oil. Equal Pay Act.
	1976	Drought Act during hot summer.
	1977	Elvis dies.
	1978	World's first 'test tube' baby.
	1979	Thatcher becomes PM.
Reach Sykes Cup final.	1980	Lennon assassinated.
	1981	SDP launch. Charles and Di wed.
	1982	Argentina invades Falklands.
	1983	Start of breakfast TV. Seat belt law.
	1984	IRA bomb at Tory conference.
	1985	Al Fayed buys Harrods. Live Aid.
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	1987	Zeebrugge disaster.
	1988	Lockerbie disaster.
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	1990	Poll Tax riots. Thatcher resigns.
	1991	Robert Maxwell drowns at sea.
	1992	Coal industry privatised.
	1993	Maastricht Treaty.
	1994	Channel Tunnel open.
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	1996	BSE beef scare in UK.
	1997	Princess Diana killed in car crash.
	1998	Good Friday peace agreement.
	1999	World population hits 6 billion.
	2000	Hatfield train disaster. Dome opens.
	2001	Huddersfield Narrow Canal is restored to full navigation. /11 terrorist attack. Foot & Mouth.
	2002	UK snubs Euro. Queen Mother dies.
	2003	Landlord and landlady of Tunnel End Inn win Huddersfield & District Camra's Spring Pub of the Season Award. England win RU World Cup.
	2004	EU enlarged to 25 states.
CRICKET HERITAGE EXHIBITION	2005	7/7 terror attacks on London.