

## LV= County Championship Div 2 Rnd 1 <br> <br> Yorkshire v Leicestershire

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County Championship record against Yorkshire
Played 168 Leicestershire Won 15 Lost 84 Drawn 66 Tied 1 Abandoned 2

| Highest total by Leicestershire |  |  |  |
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| 681-7 Dec | JJ Whitaker 218, V.J. Wells 200 | Bradford | 1966 |
| Highest total by Yorkshire |  |  |  |
| 660 a/o | J.T.Brown 131, G.Hirst 107 | Grace Road | 1896 |
| Lowest Total by Leicestershire |  |  |  |
| 34 | V.F.S.Crawford 9 | Headingly | 1906 |
| Lowest Total by Yorkshire |  |  |  |
| 47 | J.H.King 8-17 | Aylestone Rd | 1911 |
| Highest individual score for Leicestershire |  |  |  |
| 218 | J.J.Whitaker | Bradford | 1966 |
| Highest individual score for Yorkshire |  |  |  |
| 341 | G.Hirst | Aylestone Rd | 1905 |
| Best Bowling in innings for Leicestershire |  |  |  |
| 12-139 | A.D.Plougher | Grace Road | 1895 |
| Best bowling innings for Yorkshire |  |  |  |
| 8-25 | G.Hirst | Hull | 1907 |
| Best bowling in Match for Leicestershire |  |  |  |
| 15-136 | A.Woodcock | Grace Road | 1894 |
| Best bowling in Match for Yorkshire |  |  |  |
| 15-63 | G.H.Hirst | Hull | 1907 |
| Highest Partnerships for Leicestershire |  |  |  |
| $1^{\text {st }}$ Wkt - 219 | T.J.Boon \& N.E.Briers | Grace Road | 1991 |
| $2^{\text {nd }}$ Wkt-139 | J.van Geloven \& D.Kirby | Grace Road | 1961 |
| $3^{\text {rd }}$ Wkt-194 | J.J.Whitaker \& V.J.Wells | Harrogate | 1994 |
| $4^{\text {th }}$ Wkt-270 | C.S.Dempster \& G.S.Watson | Hull | 1937 |
| $5^{\text {th }}$ Wkt-167 | C.J.B.Wood \& S.Coe | Aylestone Rd | 1905 |
| $6^{\text {th }}$ Wkt-142 | C.J.B.Wood \& A.Mounteney | Bradford | 1911 |
| $7^{\text {th }}$ Wkt-126 | J.J.Whitaker \& P.A.Nixon | Bradford | 1996 |
| $8^{\text {th }}$ Wkt-152 | V.J.Wells \& P.A.J.DeFreitas | Grace Rd | 2001 |
| $9^{\text {th }}$ Wkts - 100 | C.S.Dempster \& H.A.Smith | Hull | 1939 |
| $10^{\text {th }}$ Wkt-70 | G.Geary \& A.Skelding | Aylestone Rd | 1927 |

We start the new season with a trip to Headingly to face relegated Yorkshire. Foxes don't have a great record at the ground having not won a Championship match at the ground since 1910!

Yorkshire are the only first class county that Leicestershire have played a 'tied' game against in June 1954 at Fartown Huddersfield. Chasing 137 to win in the $\mathbf{4}^{\text {th }}$ innings Terry Spencer was run out going for the winning run

Changes have been made to the Championship scoring for 2023.16 pts for a win + any $1^{\text {st }}$ innings bonus pts 5 pts for the draw + $1^{\text {st }}$ innings bonus points. 8 Pts for a Tie or scores level

Batting bonus pts are awarded at 250, 300, 350, 400 \& 450 is reached within 110 overs
Bowling bonus pts are awarded at 3,6 \& 9 wickets are taken within 110 overs

Foxes fans travelling to the game should note that Leeds Rhinos are at home on Sunday $9^{\text {th }}$ April 6.00pm KO

