



Round 2 The Kia Oval

Thurs 15th to
Sun 18th April



Leicestershire last visited the Oval in May 2015
When Lewis Hill made a career best 126

Surrey v Leicestershire

Matches 1st Played in 1895

Total 163 Leicestershire Won 18 Lost 75 Drawn 67 Abandoned 3

Highest total by Leicestershire			
636 – 4 Dec	J Maunders 171, B.Hodge 157, J.Sadler 145	Grace Rd	2003
Highest total by Surrey			
668 – 7 Dec	A.Brown 215, R.Clarke 165, M.Butcher 105	The Oval	2006
Lowest Total by Leicestershire			
35 all out	Twice in same match	Bournemouth	1897
Lowest Total by Surrey			
35 all out	G.Hillyard 5-18 A.Plougher 3-17	Grace Rd	1894
Highest individual score for Leicestershire			
207 *	J.W.A.Taylor	The Oval	2009
Highest individual score for Surrey			
355*	K.Pietersen	The Oval	2015
Best Bowling in innings for Leicestershire			
9-83	W.Shipman	The Oval	1894
Best bowling innings for Surrey			
9-47	M.Bicknell	Guildford	2000
Best bowling in Match for Leicestershire			
11-57	A.Plougher	Grace Rd	1894
Best bowling in Match for Surrey			
16-119	M.Bicknell	Guildford	2000
Highest Partnerships for Leicestershire			
1 st Wkt - 179	M.Hallam & W.Watson	The Oval	1959
2 nd Wkt – 281	J.Maunders & B.Hodge	Grace Rd	2003
3 rd Wkt – 314	H.Dippenaar & H.D.Ackerman	Grace Rd	2009
4 th Wkt – 183	J du Toit & P.Nixon	Grace Rd	2010
5 th Wkt – 252	B.F.Smith & A.Habib	The Oval	1988
6 th Wkt – 237*	R.Tolchard & B.Booth	Grace Rd	1971
7 th Wkt – 148	J.Birkenshaw & B.Dudleston	Guildford	1969
8 th Wkt – 150	G.Geary & T.E.Sidwell	The Oval	1926
9 th Wkts – 77	S.Coe & A.Shipman	Aylestone Rd	1923
10 th Wkt –105	A.Pierson & A.Mullally	The Oval	1996

The first recorded match against Surrey was at The Oval in 1894 1 year before the County Championship formally commenced. The match was beset by rain on the first 2 days & ended in a draw. A return match was played at Grace Rd in July 1894. Surrey bowled Leicestershire out for 95 in the first innings and requiring 70 to win batting 4th were bowled out by the Foxes for 35

Leics lowest total against Surrey is 35 which has happened twice. Both in the same match. Grace Rd June 1897, batting first Leicestershire were bowled out for 35, then after Surrey made 164, Foxes repeated the total in the 2nd innings to lose

In a remarkable match at Grace Rd August 2003, Surrey made 501 and bowled out Leics for 166. Asked to follow on Leicestershire then made 636 – 4 to force a draw

Foxes last met Surrey in June 2015 at Grace Rd. Our last visit to the Oval was May 2015