

Lock Down BLOG 1



LOUGHBOROUGH MCCU EDITION

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With the country in Lockdown and an uncertain future for the season, we at Outsideoff.com are planning on bringing to you a weekly blog to keep in touch with all Foxes fans and update you on news & activity if any is taking place. This edition scheduled to coincide with what would have been the first scheduled match of the season against the students of Loughborough MCCU. Its fair to say that despite the shut down things have not been quiet at the FCG with the departure of Karen Rothery and the appointment of Sean Jarvis as the new CEO

During the winter months we worked on producing a book documenting the 2019 season in pictures. The intention was that we could circulate a copy to Foxes fans during the first couple of months of the season and take orders from anyone who might wish to purchase a copy.

The book is an A3 square hardback volume which follows the action of the 2019 season in pictures. If you are interested in reserving a copy at the introductory price of £13.50 visit

https://www.outsideoff.com/store/p5/The_Fox

Welcome Sean Jarvis



Following the surprise departure of Karen Rothery from the FCG the board have acted very quickly to announce a new CEO. Whilst thanking Karen for her work over the last 12 months we welcome Sean and wish him well in the challenges ahead.

There is a degree of continuity in the appointment as Sean has served on the board for the last 12 months. He will start his new role in June joining from Huddersfield Town FC with a wealth of experience in professional sport. You only have to look at the social media comments following the announcement of his departure to see he is held in very high esteem.

We wish him well



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During this period of inactivity we will be sharing photos of last season's game against the planned opposition. You can relive the fine start that Hassan Azad had to his Foxes career and the record score posted against the students on our 2020 season pages from the scheduled day 1 of the game

Leicestershire

v Loughborough MCCU



Matches 1st Played in 2009

Total 7 Leicestershire Won 1 Lost 0 Drawn 5 No Result/Abandoned 1

Highest total by Leicestershire			
524 – 5 Dec	A.Javid 143 Ret H.Azad 139 Ret N.Dexter 82	Grace Rd	2019
Highest total by Loughboro MCCU			
283	M.Turns 80	Grace Rd	2011
Lowest Total by Leicestershire			
194	E.Eckersley 49	Grace Road	2017
Lowest Total by Loughboro MCCU			
151	N.Welch 44	Grace Road	2019
Highest individual score for Leicestershire			
237	J.Taylor	Grace Road	2011
Highest individual score for Loughboro MCCU			
101*	R.Taylor	Grace Road	2011
Best Bowling in innings for Leicestershire			
4-44	G.Griffiths	Grace Road	2018
Best bowling innings for Loughboro MCCU			
6-60	A.Soilleux	Grace Road	2012
Best bowling in Match for Leicestershire			
6-60	G.Griffiths	Grace Road	2018
Best bowling in Match for Loughboro MCCU			
6-79	A.Soilleux	Grace Road	2012
Highest Partnerships for Leicestershire			
1 st Wkt - 35	P.Horton & H.Dearden	Grace Road	2017
2 nd Wkt – 309	A.Javid & H.Azad	Grace Road	2019
3 rd Wkt – 43	H.Dearden & M.Cosgrove	Grace Road	2017
4 th Wkt – 125	H.Dearden & N.Dexter	Grace Road	2019
5 th Wkt – 330	J.Taylor & S.Thakor	Grace Road	2011
6 th Wkt – 54	J.Taylor & J.Naik	Grace Road	2011
7 th Wkt – 21	E.Eckersley & Z.Chappell	Grace Road	2017
8 th Wkt – 16	E.Eckersley & R.Sayer	Grace Road	2017
9 th Wkts – 21	R.Sayer & G.Griffiths	Grace Road	2017
10 th Wkt – 0	G.Griffiths & C.Shrek	Grace Road	2017

The Foxes recorded their first win against the students in 7 starts last year with a record Innings & 220 run victory. Records fell when Ateeq Javid and Hassan Azad combined for a 2nd wicket partnership of 309 only broken when both men retired

Nick Welch the Zimbabwean born batter top scored in the Loughborough 2nd innings with 44 and some interest was shown in him during the summer as he played a number of 2nd XI games for the Foxes in 2019