

## Leicestershire Foxes v Essex



Matches 1<sup>st</sup> Played in 1969

Total 49 Leicestershire Won 19 Lost 21 Tied 2 Abandoned/ No result 7

Highest total by Leicestershire			
260 – 8 (40 Overs)	P.Simmons 71, D.Maddy 49	Grace Road	1996
Highest total by Essex			
350 – 5 (50 Overs)	R.Bopara 201* J.Foster 61	Grace Road	2008
Lowest Total by Leicestershire			
76 all out (50 Overs)	P.Nixon 21 (Extras 29)	Lords	1998
Lowest Total by Essex			
91 all out (40 overs)	T.Mason 4-12	Grace Road	1998
Highest individual score for Leicestershire			
99 (60 Overs)	B.F.Davison	Southend	1977
Highest individual score for Essex			
201* (50 over)	R.Bopara	Grace Road	2008
Best Bowling in innings for Leicestershire			
5-15 (40 Overs)	G.D.McKenzie	Grace Road	1972
Best bowling innings for Essex			
5-22 (55 Overs)	B.Edmeades	Ilford	1973
Highest Partnerships for Leicestershire			
1 <sup>st</sup> Wkt - 138	N.Briers & D.Gower	Chelmsford	1980
2 <sup>nd</sup> Wkt – 136	J.Steele & C.Balderstone	Grace Road	1973
3 <sup>rd</sup> Wkt – 151	J.Whitaker & T.Boon	Chelmsford	1987
4 <sup>th</sup> Wkt – 104	M.Boyce & P.Nixon	Grace Road	2008
5 <sup>th</sup> Wkt – 48	B.Davison & P.Clift	Southend	1977
6 <sup>th</sup> Wkt – 81*	D.Gower & N.McVicker	Grace Road	1975
7 <sup>th</sup> Wkt – 72*	C.Lewis & W.Benjamin	Chelmsford	1989
8 <sup>th</sup> Wkt – 49*	J.Steele & N.McVicker	Westcliffe	1976
9 <sup>th</sup> Wkts – 38*	V.Wells & G.Parsons	Grace Road	1992
10 <sup>th</sup> Wkt – 15*	G.McKenzie & J.Cotton	Grace Road	1969

Leicestershire have had an association with Kibworth Cricket Club for some years, the 2<sup>nd</sup> xl first playing at the ground in 2010. This will be the first time the Foxes 1<sup>st</sup> xl have played on the ground in a competitive match.

Leicestershire have not faced Essex in a list A match since 2014 when Foxes ran out winners in the RL 1 day cup match at Chelmsford by 34 runs. Games between the 2 sides have seen 2 one day finals in 1985 the B&H final & again in 1998, with Leics winning the 85 match & losing the 1998 game

There have also been 2 tied matches.

No Leicestershire player has scored a hundred in List A cricket against Essex. The highest being Brian Davison's 99 at Southend on Sea in 1977.

The Australian test bowler Graham McKenzie has the best bowling figures of 5-15 off 8 overs in a Sunday League game at Grace Rd in 1972, in which he also took a Hat Trick