

# GALLEYWOOD v. WEST MERSEA At Slades Lane, Galleywood

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2007

PDQ Cars North Essex League Division 1

West Mersea won by 3 wickets

Umpires : D Robinson &

Toss won by Galleywood

## GALLEYWOOD

M Daniel	c Rutter b Rumble.....	11
D Bowles	c Mills b Storrar.....	52
S Pinkerton	c Mills b Conway.....	32
A Reeve	c Rutter b Storrar.....	5
M Oldfield	c Harness b Bruce.....	4
P Marlow *	c O'Regan b Storrar.....	0
I McDermott	c Storrar b Bruce.....	28
M Singh	b Bruce.....	1
B Morse	not out.....	2
L Taylor	b Bruce.....	2
T Moss	c Conway b Bruce.....	4
Extras	(lb 3, w 8, nb 1).....	12
	Total (39.5 overs).....	<b>151</b>

*Fall of Wickets* : 1-17 (1), 2-94 (3), 3-107 (2), 4-111 (4), 5-111 (6), 6-135 (5), 7-143 (7), 8-143 (8), 9-145 (10), 10-151 (11)

*Bowling* : AJ Young 10-2-20-0; DR Rumble 6-1-36-1; CI Storrar 10-3-24-3; LV Conway 7-0-34-1; LD Bruce 6.5-1-36-5

## WEST MERSEA

AW Rutter +	c & b Morse.....	23
S Mills	b Daniel.....	14
DP Harness *	b Morse.....	10
AJ Young	c unknown b Daniel.....	46
LV Conway	c Marlow b Morse.....	23
MJ Golding	not out.....	14
IR Young	c unknown b McDermott.....	2
J O'Regan	b Daniel.....	0
LD Bruce	not out.....	4
Extras	(b 16).....	16
	Total (for 7 wkts, 35.5 overs).....	<b>152</b>

*Did Not Bat* : CI Storrar, DR Rumble

*Fall of Wickets* : 1-31 (2), 2-44 (3), 3-65 (1), 4-93 (5), 5-132 (4), 6-143 (7), 7-148 (8)

*Bowling* : M Daniel 6-0-25-3; L Taylor 3-0-13-0; B Morse 10-2-37-3; T Moss 8-1-27-0; I McDermott 8.5-2-37-1

The spirit of the underdog shone through for Mersea on Sunday when they defeated unbeaten league leaders Galleywood on their own pitch. Ironically the victory sent Mersea's neighbours Abberton to the top of the league without them having to play a game.

Galleywood won the toss and elected to bat and moved comfortably to 94 for 1 in 25 overs, with Bowles 52 and Pinkerton 32 putting on a solid second wicket stand. However, the complexion of the game turned with the introduction of the spin of Luke Bruce who took 5 for 36, and the gangly pace of Chris Storrar 3 for 24, which was backed up by some good Mersea out cricket to see the Chelmsford based side capitulate to 151 all out. It could have been a lot worse but for a beligerent 28 from McDermot late on.

Mersea were controlled in reply with the top six batsmen all reaching double figures. Alex Young was the mainstay of the Mersea innings with 46, but was given good support by Adam Rutter (23) and Luke Conway (23 from 11 balls). Mat Golding (14\*) played a sensible cameo late on to steer the islanders to a three wicket success in the 36th over, and eased the 'relegation worries' the local press had raised. Marcus Daniel (3 for 25) and B Morse (3 for 37) were the most successful of the home bowlers

Mersea Man of the Match : LD Bruce