

## Monte Carlo Club Cricket Club April Newsletter Season 2005

Welcome everyone.

The season begins at Entrecasteaux on Sunday May 1st. If you would like to play please contact Captain Gilbert as soon as possible.

For those that have not had the pleasure of playing at Entrecasteaux before let me tell you it is a superb place for cricketer and spectator alike. It has a chateau, a fast flowing river and charm in abundance. Check out the pictures posted on our very own brand new web site taken when we visited Entrecasteaux in our glorious 2003 season and you will see what I mean. ([http://www.mccricket.com/pg\\_photos.html](http://www.mccricket.com/pg_photos.html)).

Talking of the web site a huge thanks to new member Muneeb Malik for putting the site together. I think you will agree it is superb. Get involved with the forum and or keep up to date with how the team is doing. Enjoy it. It is a wonderful facility and it is hoped that shortly you will be able to view our very own MCCC merchandise on it. Thank you Muneeb!

Just a reminder - the league fixtures for the coming season are as follows .As you can see the amount of games has been reduced from 6 down to 4 which should make it easier for everyone to commit themselves for the season.

Sun May 1	League Round 2	<b>Entrecasteaux v Monte Carlo</b>
Sun June 5	League Round 3	<b>Monte Carlo v Cabris</b>
Sun July 3	League Round 5	<b>Monte Carlo v Entrecasteaux</b>
Sun July 17	League Round 6	<b>Cabris v Monte Carlo</b>

In addition there will also be a number of friendly games to be played during the season and further details will be issued as soon as dates are confirmed.

The club is a member of the South East region and regional fixtures will take place home and away against the South West. In addition the region will also be hosting (the!) MCC for two fixtures later in the summer.

So if you fancy this contact Gilbert and get involved!

If, as in 2003, we win the local league, there is the prospect of a national semi final and final in September in Paris. Memories of the 2003 trip are fast fading. It would be great to repeat this. So stiffen the sinews and come and score some runs and take some wickets for your club and lets aim for Paris again.

Even if you are not available for the curtain raiser but would like to play later on in the season do register your interest with Captain Gilbert Clark. He can be contacted at the following **06 63 47 11 86** or at the following email address [gilbertc@kangarowines.com](mailto:gilbertc@kangarowines.com) .

### **Upcoming Social Function:**

The club will be holding its second function for the year which will be in the form of a Players Tea/drinks to be held on **Friday 29th April**.

Venue: Club Nautique (above rowing club on port in Monaco). MCCC's Headquarters. It will kick off at 7.00 PM and will be a good chance for players and non players to get to know each other and enjoy a drink.

### **Fees 2005**

The Club needs the valued and continued support of its membership. For locals subs it will remain at Euro 50.00 for the year. If you are unable to get to the AGM and pay then, would you kindly send a cheque made out to "Monte Carlo Cricket Club" for 50 Euro.

UK based members should please make out a cheque for £15.00 payable to Ed Porter.

Cheques should be sent to:-

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Le Roqueville,  
20 Boulevard Princesse Charlotte,  
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Very many thanks