

“MCCC Newsletter 4” Season 2005

League Fixtures:

The third League fixture **is on** Sunday July 3rd v Entrecasteaux Cricket Club. If, as in 2003, we win the local league, there is the prospect of a national semi final and final in September in Paris. After our disappointing start we need to score some runs and take some wickets so we can aim for Paris again.

If you are available can you please contact our Captain Gilbert Clark **A.S.A.P** .That will make life much easier for Gilbert and will ensure that we have 11 players available to participate in this important upcoming game.

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Our home ground, which we share with Cabris, is: Cabris Cricket Ground,
chemin de sainte Anne,
St vallier de They ,

If you need further instructions, you can go to <http://www.cabriscricket.com> that has a detailed map on their website on how to get the ground. As it is our home game we are providing drinks and food **complimentary** all during the day.

Fixture Result June 5th

Monte Carlo 183 versus Cabris 7/185

Monte Carlo batted first and slumped very quickly to 3/11 , a partnership between Neil Savage(38) and Nick Thomas(21) pushed the score to 58 , before another flurry of wickets. At 7/68 , we were in trouble , partnerships between Neil Savage and Ed Porter (75*) ,Robbie Burns (21) and Oscar Wilde pushed the final total to 183 .Ed Porter’s innings was just brilliant with shots all over the ground entertaining everyone.

Cabris started well and continued to attack our total freely, however tight bowling from Shea Parnell 3/32 and Terry Allen 2/23 and some wonderful fielding put Monte Carlo in the box seat with Cabris at 6/132. However a very good partnership between the seventh wicket pair changed the complexion of the game quickly and allowed them to pass the total and win the game. Within five overs the game had been taken away from Monte Carlo from what at one stage appeared a winning position. That’s cricket! Fielding highlights included Gilbert Clark’s run out which was a magnificent piece of work. Unfortunately 183 wasn’t enough to win what was a very competitive game.

Website

If you are not aware we have a website now, thanks very much to our new Club Member Muneeb Malik. You can go to www.mccricket.com to find out various information,

relating to items such as fixtures, previous results and much more. 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!

Season Fees 2005

The Club needs the valued and continued support of its membership. For locals, subs remain at Euro 50.00 for the year. You can forward fees by sending a cheque made out to "Monte Carlo Cricket Club".

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

Cheques can be sent to:-

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