

THE WEEKLY REPORT

Is England's World Cup progress ruining cricket?

by Steve Rowley

t can't just be a coincidence can it? 34 cricket matches in Kent were conceded on Saturday as England played Sweden in the quarter finals of the World Cup at 3.00pm.

A massive 25 of those matches were recorded in the Kent Regional Cricket League and those who conceded were all given a minus five points fine.

Where matches were played to their conclusion, there was a wide sense of 'let's get this over with before the football starts' as teams were bowled out in unprecedented low numbers.

One team recorded a score of 55 all out in just 14 overs and this wasn't just apparent in the lower leagues either. In the Kent Premier League Beckenham were all out for 90, although this did take them 33 overs so could be that they just didn't have a good day at the crease.

The Kent County Village League Chairman, Trevor Wright, went on Radio Kent on Saturday morning, talking about



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the effect of the England football team's success on cricket. He stated that "the league had offered clubs a flexible start time from as early as 11.00am to combat the loss of fixtures today".

He also reminded clubs that they could shorten the game, by mutual agreement and/or split the innings either side of the football match, which a number of clubs took advantage of.

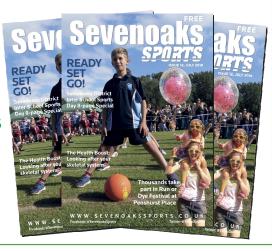
Roger Shaddock, the Kent County Village League Secretary said: "Cricket is fairly fragile at the moment, with falling player numbers, so something like this makes it doubly hard for clubs to get teams out."

"The youngsters in particular, who are not as committed to cricket, as was the case a couple of generations ago, because of the length of a game and the need for everything to be instant these days."

After the Ashes in 2005, cricket was given a new lifeline as millions of people had watched the matches live on terrestrial television. However, with matches now screened only on Sky, the number who have access to live cricket has dwindled.

Twenty20 in 2020 is currently being discussed by the ECB and the BBC will be allowed to show some live games, however this may come too late to halt the decline.

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Sevenoaks A Team are on top of Kent Junior League



Sevenoaks Swimming Club had notable success last week as they hosted the first round of the Kent Junior League at Sevenoaks Leisure Centre

sevenoaks Swimming club hosted round one of the Kent Junior League (KJL) 2018 at Sevenoaks Leisure Centre last week.

The KJL is the leading team competition for 13 years and under in the county. The Sevenoaks A team were last year's winners and B team were out to prove their place in the premier division this time out.

The fixture pitched both teams against Beckenham, Shepway, Saxon Crown and Black Lion. Unfortunately both teams were somewhat hampered by the late arrival of some swimmers who participated in the national IAPS gala at the London Aquatic Centre that same afternoon although it didn't dampen their efforts.

For some 9 and 10 year olds this gala was their first league fixture and they performed brilliantly within the noisy, competitive environment.

The A team were seeded in top position and quickly justified this rating with a string of first and second places battling with Beckenham, who led after 12 events, but the A team strength in depth told in the end.

They finished with a fine flourish, winning the squadron relay having already secured 25 1st places from the

48 races, helped by Elspeth Watson (220m IM and 100m Fly), Johnny Vowell (50m Breast), Devon Tannock (50m Back), Imogen Stoddart (100m Breast), Amelia Tovey (50m Free), Alyze Gentles (50m Back and 50m Fly), Oliver Dennis (50m Back), Jacob Crombie (50m Free and 50m Breast), Emily Brown (100m Breast), Izabella Okaro (100m Free), Joseph Box (100m free), along with 12 of the 17 relay races.

A special mention must go to Valentina Groves who stood in for an older swimmer who was delayed at the Aquatic Centre and swam a credit worthy 100m butterfly.

The final results were Sevenoaks A first on 263 points, Beckenham 255, Black Lion 165, Sevenoaks B 154, Saxon Crown 125, Shepway 95.

The A team were: Freya Ashdown, Iris Whitlock, Annabel Nung, Ruth Godfrey, Abigail Saunders, Amelia Tovey, Alyze Gentles, Valentina Groves, Millie Armstrong, Izabella Okaro, Eva Okaro, Emily Brown, Imogen Stoddart, Elspeth Watson, Devon Tannock, Jacob Crombie, Maxwell Haslam, Xavier Hards, Oliver Dennis, Jonathan Vowell, Thomas Johnston, Macaulay Johnston, Seamus Hamilton, Ben Watson, Joseph

Box, Jaedon Lynch, Noah Enticknap and Tom Creasey.

The B team produced a number of solid results with several spectacular races, including a couple of wins against the A team rivals: Caitlin O'Sullivan (under-10 50m free), Amelie Thompson (under-10 50m breast) and Samriddhi Das (under-13 100m Back). The swimmers pulled all the stops out to finish in the top three in an astonishing 22 races.

The B team were: Vivien Rooney, Amelie Thompson, Evie Collings, Caitlin O'Sullivan, Evie Armstrong, Fern Gray, Mia Bakunowicz, Olivia Dyckhoff, Isla Murphy, Martha Roberts, McMillan, Rosie Deacon, Samriddhi Das, Isabelle MacKenzie, Kara Dimond, Holly Gushlow, Matthew McLean, Argirov, Aidan Moore, Hugo Schwemm, Ptolemy Mangat, Joseph Strebel, George Rehbein, Zachary Loder, Zachary Howard, Albert Whitlock, William Jarrett, Ethan Martin, Thiago Gentles, Edward Holness and James Fry.

The coaches thanked all the poolside helpers, officials and the leadership group for supporting and enabling this event, in particular Janet Benn for organising the venue and helpers.

Round two will take place on September 8th.

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Holmesdale on fire as they record third straight win

Kent Cricket League Division One XI: Holmesdale (237-7) beat Folkestone (234 all out)

Holmesdale entered the week full of confidence and looking for three wins on the bounce. A top of the table clash saw Holmesdale play Folkestone as the second half of the season commenced.

Holmesdale lost the toss and were forced to field on a extremely hot day. They got off to a flyer with Folkestone on 24-4 with two wickets from Luke Blackaby, one from Ben Fawcitt and a sharp runout from Rupert Harbig.

Folkestone fought back putting on a large fifth wicket partnership, however some tight bowling from the spinners stemmed the flow and Blackaby came back on breaking the 162 partnership and then cleaned up the tale to end up with figures of 5-32. Folkestone eventually reaching 234 all out.

Holmesdale got off to a rocky start in their innings finding themselves 49-5, however Fawcitt, who had been promoted up the order produced a patient 83 not out, playing some exquisite shots and showing real maturity. Fawcitt was well supported by Harbig (36) and Nick Miller (39) not out to steer Holmesdale to what had seemed an unlikely victory. Holmesdale now top the table and face a struggling Dartford this Saturday.

Bat	ting						
	Name	How Out	Bowler	Runs	4s	6s	Balls
1	Dom May		ct & b Jarred Lysaught	4	1	0	3
2	Edward Bonner	ct Nathan Ingleston	b Nick Ward	22	4	0	44
3	Anthony Bissett	ct Terry McDowell	b Jarred Lysaught	15	3	0	15
4	Luke Blackaby*	ct Andy Bray	b Jarred Lysaught	0	0	0	7
5	Daniel Brabham†	lbw	b Sam Ireland	2	0	0	8
6	Ben Fawcitt	not out		83	8	1	111
7	David Roffey	st Terry McDowell	b Stuart Graham	10	1	0	43
8	Rupert Harbig	ct Nick Ward	b Nathan Ingleston	36	3	2	31
9	Nick Miller	not out		39	3	1	25
10	Callum Gallagher	did not bat					
11	Ben East	did not bat					
Ext	ras b (1), lb (11), w (14)			26			
Tot	al			237			
Wic	Kets			7			
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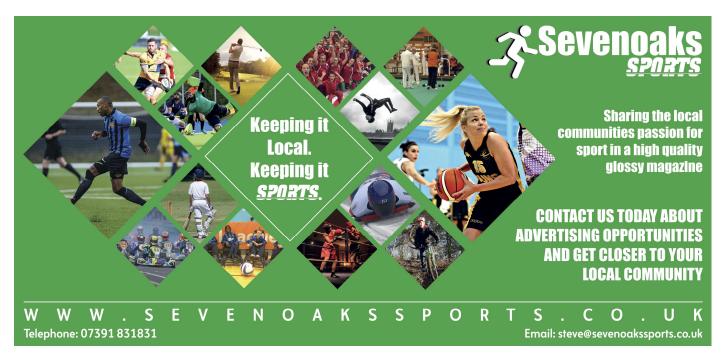
Kent Cricket League Premier 2nd XI: Tenterden 2nd (228 all out) lost to Holmesdale 2nd (229-9)

Holmesdale 2nd XI made it two wins from two on Saturday with a fairytale victory against Tenterden. Losing the toss and being asked to field first was never going to be easy but Holmesdale stuck at it in the field, bowling out Tenterden for 228 - a score which could have been much higher considering Tenterden were 150-1 after 30 overs. There were key performances from Richard Linfield (4-49), David Hudson (2-29) and Jamie Monkhouse (2-35).

Holmesdale's response got off to a limp start as they were reduced to 70-7. Enter Holmesdale's star man with the bat this season - Michael Brown (95). Ably assisted by number 9, Hudson (35), they rebuilt the Holmesdale innings, putting on 130 for the ninth wicket and taking the score up to 200. However, both were unluckily adjudged LBW in quick succession, meaning that the last 28 runs were left up to numbers 10 and 11, Monkhouse and Will Dickinson.

Five nervy overs later and there were jubilant scenes in the visitors changing room as Monkhouse (22*) dispatched the winning runs in what had become a heated affair.

The win takes the 2nd XI into 7th place of the Premier League and they now look forward to the challenge of the derby with Sevenoaks Vine this weekend.



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176	KENT CRICKET LEAGUE - PREMIER 1ST XI								1C Met/West										
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1	Blackheath	10	8	0	1	3	3	0	159	1	Blue Star	9	6	0	2	0	48	0	148
2	Tunbridge Wells	10	6	0	3	5	7	0	129	2	Old Colfeians 4th	9	5	0	2	0	25	0	130
3	Lordswood	10	5	0	4	8	14	0	118	3	Old Wilsonians 4th	9	5	0	3	0	44	0	129
4	Sevenoaks Vine	10	5	0	4	9	6	0	114	4	Holmesdale 3rd	9	5	0	4	0	46	0	121
5	Sandwich Town	10	5	0	4	10	7	0	113	5	Bexley 6th	9	3	1	4	0	51	0	118
6	Bickley Park	10	4	0	5	19	11	0	111	6	Catford and Cyphers 4th	h 9	3	0	5	0	58	0	113
7	Bexley	10	4	0	5	8	16	0	105	7	OD CUACO 4th	9	4	0	5	0	45	0	105
8	Beckenham	10	4	0	5	2	8	0	91	8	Orpington 4th	9	4	1	3	1	34	0	101
9	Tenterden	10	3	0	6	10	15	0	88	9	NatWest, Kent 2nd	8	0	0	7	0	27	0	37
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2	Canterbury	10	6	0	3	5	10	0	131	3	Speldhurst	10	6	0	3	4	12	0	146
3	HSBC, Kent	10	6	0	3	5	7	0	128	4	Penshurst Park	10	5	0	4	12	11	0	133
4	Folkestone	10	5	0	4	10	11	0	119	5	Linton Park	10	5	0	4	6	11	0	127
5	Hartley Country Club	10	5	0	4	8	8	0	114	6	Shipbourne	10	5	0	4	2	15	0	127
6	St Lawrence & H'Court			0	5	11	17	0	106	7	Sissinghurst	10	4	0	5	8	15	0	113
7	Bromley	10	4	0	5	6	13	0	99	8	Meopham	10	3	0	6	10	19	0	99
8	The Mote	10	4	0	5	4	8	0	92	9	Horsmonden	10	2	0	7	11	17	0	78
9	Linden Park	10	2	0	7	16	26	0	84	10	Withyham	10	1	0	8	7	26	0	63
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2	Hartley Country Club	10	8	0	1	4	2	0	158	3	Plaxtol	10	6	0	3	4	10	0	144
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RESULTS

Kent Cricket League Premier 1st XI: Bexley (165-4) beat Sandwich Town (164 all out); Bickley Park (226 all out) lost to Sevenoaks Vine (258-4); Blackheath (223-8) beat Tenterden (222 all out); Bromley Common (176 all out) lost to Tunbridge Wells

(360-8); Lordswood (92-1) beat Beckenham (90 all out).

Division One 1st XI: Hartley Country Club (224 all out)

beat Dartford (121 all out); Holmesdale (237-7) beat Folkestone (234 all out); HSBC, Kent (245-10) beat Linden Park (194-9); St

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Kemsing	10	6	0	2	5	9	0	164
Halstead	10	7	0	2	0	4	0	154
Luddesdowne	10	5	0	5	9	11	0	120
Meopham 2nd	10	4	0	5	12	12	0	114
Limpsfield Chart	10	2	0	7	16	21	0	87
Shipbourne	10	2	1	5	5	23	0	86
Horsmonden 2nd	10	2	0	8	8	19	0	67
Knockholt	10	1	0	7	9	21	0	60
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DIVISION FIVE

		Р	W	I	L	BaP	ROP	Pen	Pts
1	Betsham	9	6	0	2	7	7	0	144
2	Pembury	9	6	0	2	3	10	0	143
3	West Farleigh	9	5	0	3	7	10	0	127
4	Sissinghurst 2nd	9	4	0	3	8	9	0	127
5	Cudham Wyse 2nd	9	4	0	3	3	9	0	122
6	Fordcombe	9	3	0	5	2	21	0	93
7	Sennocke	8	3	0	3	4	7	0	81
8	St Lawrence	9	3	0	4	5	6	0	81
9	Linton Park 2nd	9	0	0	9	7	12	0	19

Lawrence & Highland Court (302-9) beat Canterbury (219-10); The Mote (155-4) beat Bromley (154-9).

Premier 2nd XI: Beckenham 2nd (125 all out) lost to Lordswood 2nd (126-2); Sandwich Town 2nd (197-10) lost to Bexley 2nd (253-9); Sevenoaks Vine 2nd (136 all out) lost to Hartley Country Club 2nd (137-3); Tenterden 2nd (228 all out) lost to Holmesdale 2nd (229-9); Tunbridge Wells 2nd (313-8) beat Whitstable 2nd (114 all out).

Kent Regional Cricket
League 2A Central:
Holcombe & Blue Bell Hill
2nd conceded to Lordswood
3rd; Sevenoaks Vine 3rd
conceded to Sherwood 2nd;
Staplehurst 2nd (189-5) lost
to Upchurch 3rd (192-3).

1C Met/West: Bexley 6th (81

all out) lost to Old Wilsonians 4th (119-4); Blue Star (156 all out) lost to Catford and Cyphers 4th (158-6); Holmesdale 3rd (132-3) beat OD CUACO 4th (131-7); Orpington 4th conceded away to Old Colfeians 4th.

Kent County Village League Division 1: Horsmonden (178-4) beat Withyham (176-2); Meopham (164 all out) lost to Linton Park (217-7); Penshurst Park (192-9) beat Sissinghurst (150-8); Shipbourne (90-8) lost to Four Elms (94-6); Speldhurst (155 all out) lost to Bidborough (247-8).

Division 2: Bearsted (87-0) beat Shoreham (84 all out); Cudham Wyse (215-9) lost to Plaxtol (216-7); Locksbottom (253-5) beat Eynsford (128 all out); Outwood (262-3) beat Ightham (142 all out).

Division 3: Underriver

DIVISION SIX

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1	Four Elms 2nd	9	6	0	2	8	5	0	143
2	Bidborough 3rd	8	5	0	1	4	5	0	139
3	Farningham 2nd	9	6	0	3	4	9	0	133
4	Locksbottom 2nd	9	5	0	4	3	14	0	117
5	Penshurst Park 2nd	9	3	0	4	10	9	0	109
6	Southborough 2nd	9	4	0	5	13	7	0	100
7	Chevening Amblers	9	3	0	5	9	18	0	97
8	Kilndown & L'hurst	9	4	0	5	4	11	0	95
9	Leigh 2nd	9	0	0	7	8	19	0	27

DIVISION SEVEN

		Р	W	Т	L	BaP	BoP	Pen	Pts
1	Bearsted 2nd	10	7	0	1	2	7	0	179
2	Bidborough 4th	10	7	0	2	3	9	0	172
3	Otford 2nd	10	6	1	2	4	15	0	157
4	Pembury 2nd	10	7	0	3	1	10	0	151
5	Outwood 2nd	9	6	1	2	6	10	0	144
6	Eynsford 2nd	10	5	0	3	7	7	0	144
7	West Farleigh	10	4	0	5	6	7	0	113
8	Withyham 2nd	10	4	0	5	6	16	0	112
9	Marden 2nd	9	3	0	4	9	12	0	111
10	Luddesdowne 2nd	10	3	0	5	9	9	0	98
11	Speldhurst 2nd	10	2	0	5	17	6	0	73
12	Cudham Wyse 3rd	10	1	0	7	7	24	0	71
13	Hadlow 2nd	10	1	0	7	11	17	0	58
14	Shoreham	10	1	0	6	11	16	0	57

conceded away to Bidborough; Flimwell conceded to Farningham; Hadlow (129-4) beat Weald (126-10); Limpsfield Chart (195-8) lost to Marden (204-8); Stonewall Park (136-6) beat Groombridge (101-8).

Division 4: Chiddingstone (291-6) beat Limpsfield Chart (290 all out); Halstead (165-5) beat Horsmonden 2nd (162-7); Knockholt conceded to Kemsing; Luddesdowne (142 all out) lost to Meopham 2nd (178-5); Shipbourne conceded away to Otford.

Division 5: Fordcombe (154-5) beat West Farleigh (153 all out); Linton Park 2nd (135 all out) lost to Betsham (136-5); Pembury (95-8) beat Cudham Wyse 2nd (94 all out); Sissinghurst 2nd (160-7) lost

to St Lawrence (186-3).

Division 6: Chevening Amblers (212 all out) lost to Locksbottom 2nd (241-5); Farningham 2nd (278-5) beat Kilndown & Lamberhurst (172-6); Four Elms 2nd (212-5) beat Southborough 2nd (211-6); Leigh 2nd conceded to Penshurst Park 2nd.

Division 7: Bidborough 4th (127-1) beat Hadlow 2nd (126 all out); Luddesdowne 2nd conceded away to Cudham Wyse 3rd; Eynsford 2nd (384-2) beat Speldhurst 2nd (173 all out); Shoreham 2nd conceded to Bearsted 2nd; West Farleigh 2nd (77-8) lost to Otford 2nd (78-1); Withyham 2nd (186-5) beat Pembury 2nd (76 all out).

FIXTURES -

Tuesday 10th July FOOTBALL

Pre-season friendly: Sevenoaks Town v Margate at 7.45pm.

Saturday 14th July **FOOTBALL**

Pre-season friendly: Sevenoaks Town v Dartford at 3.00pm.

CRICKET

Kent Cricket League Premier 1st

XI: Beckenham v Bickley Park; Sandwich Town v Lordswood; Sevenoaks Vine v Blackheath; Tenterden v Bromley Common; Tunbridge Wells v Bexley.

Division One 1st XI: Bromley v Hartley; Canterbury v The Mote; Dartford Holmesdale; Folkestone v HSBC; Linden Park v St Lawrence & HC.

Tunbridge Wells; Hartley v Beckenham; Holmesdale v Sevenoaks Vine; Lordswood v Sandwich Town; Whitstable v Tenterden

Regional Cricket Kent League 2A Central: Lordswood 3rd v Snodland Community Williamsonians 2nd V Staplehurst 2nd; Sherwood 2nd v Holcombe & Blue Bell Hill 2nd; Upchurch 3rd v Sevenoaks Vine 3rd.

1C/Met West: Catford and Cyphers 4th v Old Colfeians 4th; NatWest, Kent 2nd v Bexley 6th; Old Wilsonians 4th v Blue Star; Orpington 4th v Holmesdale 3rd.

Kent County Village League **Premier 2nd XI:** Bexley v **Division One:** Bidborough v

Meopham; Four Elms v Speldhurst; Linton Park v Horsmonden; Sissinghurst v Shipbourne; Withyham Penshurst Park.

2: Division Eynsford Southborough; Ightham Cudham Wyse; Leigh Bearsted; Plaxtol Locksbottom; Shoreham Outwood.

Division 3: Farningham v Hadlow; Groombridge Flimwell; Marden v Stonewall Park; Underriver v Limpsfield Chart; Weald v Bidborough 2nd.

Division 4: Horsmonden 2nd v Luddesdowne; Kemsing v Otford; Limpsfield Chart 2nd v Knockholt; Meopham 2nd v Chiddingstone; Shipbourne

2nd v Halstead.

Division 5: Betsham v Fordcombe; Cudham Wyse 2nd v Sissinghurst 2nd; St Lawrence v Sennocke; West Farleigh v Pembury.

Division 6: Bidborough 3rd v Four Elms 2nd; Locksbottom 2nd v Farningham 2nd; Park Penshurst 2nd Chevening Amblers; Southborough 2nd v Leigh

Division 7: Bearsted 2nd v Shoreham 2nd: Hadlow 2nd v Farleigh West 2nd: Luddesdowne 2nd Withyham 2nd; Otford 2nd v Marden 2nd; Outwood 2nd v Bidborough 4th; Pembury 2nd v Eynsford 2nd; Speldhurst 2nd v Cudham Wyse 3rd.

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