



BNECC Upper Cut

2024





From **THE** editor

Welcome to the 1st edition of BNECC Year book. 2024 was an important year for the club with the arrival of second XI and progressing throughout the year. This represents a huge opportunity for the club with the arrival of many new team members. I would like to thank all the contributors for their input, without which the magazine would not happen. I hope you enjoying reading year book and if it inspires you please write me an article for next year. Special thanks to the club sponsors and members.



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Secretary's Perspective

By Noel Nevis

It has been a while since I have penned down my reflections. It gave me enthusiasm and brought a smile to my face when I began with it: "What an amazing summer it had been".



In reflection again where else it could have been rather than on a cricket pitch with the sun shining brightly, watching cricket of exceptional talents and quality alongside sipping away a refreshing drink. Commemorating on the previous cricket seasons, we were only a small batch of cricket enthusiasts who held the values of the game closest to our hearts entrenched a team and decided to enter the ground with highly competitive sprits and a sense of togetherness.

I have mixed emotions, while talents are great it isn't very useful by itself and thought talents should be combined with opportunity and investment to succeed, and as part of it we have combined and paved the platform for lots of other talents who shared the same concept and equally loved the game of cricket. We grew as a team in abundance with talents and are still growing, and it is a big family of cricket now.

As the 2025 cricket season draws near, I would like to encourage our friends, family, neighbours, women, children & especially young talents to join us in promoting this fantastic game of ours. Let us all do our part to motivate the budding generation to sustain this incredible sport and, together, share the sense of belongingness and flourish as a massive family. Thank you!

Chairman's Report

By Manoj Varghese

Tough times both in and out of the game

When I assumed the position of Chairman for this special club, I never imagined we would encounter the difficulties we did this year, that every part of the Cricket Club would be put to the test in the same manner. Among all the choices we've made and steps we've had to take, ensuring the well-being and safety of our players and members has always been our top concern. In keeping with the theme of uncertainty, I wasn't entirely sure how I would feel about switching from the first XI to the second XI.



Nonetheless, I have enjoyed getting to know the Kellaway Avenue Ground and the North Somerset league this season. How many teams are able to claim such a fantastic first field. The talent, dedication, and passion of those who don't always get to play every week but add significant depth and continuity to the club's playing profile have greatly impressed me.

I hope everyone has a good winter and I hope to see you all again in 2025 season. Many congrats to each and every winner!

Captain's Report 1st XI

By Delmi Mathew



I want to express my gratitude to the team for their hard work and dedication, and to be a part of such an amazing group. It's evident that your efforts have had a big impact. I witness your excellent work every week, and it is always acknowledged. I truly appreciate how much of a difference your upbeat demeanor and unwavering commitment make.

This year, the players will have gained a great deal of knowledge about playing senior cricket every week against teams with varying skill levels and mentalities.

It was also fantastic to see hints of what the upcoming year might bring.

Captain's Report 2nd XI

By Prathap Ramachandran

I had no idea what I would get from the team when I started as captain of the 2nd XI. Some of the guys were playing in the English cricket league for the first time, but the team's diligence, professionalism,

and upbeat outlook have been crucial in helping us accomplish our goals. I am immensely appreciative of having such a remarkable team dedicated to excellence. "I owe you more than just a 'thank you' for going above and beyond to help me."



We discovered a lot about each team member's strengths and weaknesses this year. I am confident that we will win many prizes together in the upcoming season and support one another in strengthening our weaknesses.

Captain's Report SundayXI

By Sreeraj sasikumar



When I agreed to take on the Sunday team once again it was with the idea that it would become a team designed to help the transition of new players to league cricket.

But there was one obvious flaw in this concept. A new team member and I would not be able to compete in the league we were in. The senior players on this team would therefore be essential to the growth of the new players, giving them the freedom to simply enjoy the game without worrying too much about the outcome. I want to express my gratitude to every player for their contributions.

My last thank you is probably my biggest. As I'm sure you're all aware, I struggle to get 11 players on a Sunday with the unavailability, generally on the morning of the games. Our administrative team did a fantastic job in identifying 11 players to pay every Sunday.



BNECC Players Awards



Vineeth Raghavan is a old school right-handed opening bats man. He loves to play cuts-shots. He scored 2 century's and 4 fifty's in 2024 season.



Amaljith uthaman is left arm fast blower. He loves to ball too fast with inn-swing like Zaheer. His best performance was 8/30.



Chacko Varghese is our Mr. Dependable all-rounder. His highest score is 85* and 4/14.



Kapil Sharma is a new era right-handed attacking middle order bats man. He loves to hit big sixes. He scored 72 four's and 31 six's with average of 56.64 and strike rate of 141.19 in 2024 season.



Sree is our Medium-fast balling all-rounder. His highest score is 72* and 3/20

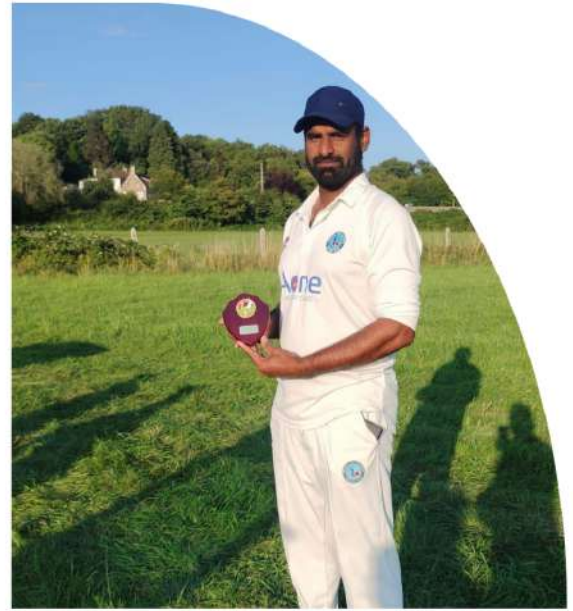


Eby is our spinning all-rounder. His highest score is 101* and 4/21

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Manoj Varghese is leg spin maestro. when condition is supporting he is unplayable. his best performance is 5/7



Jeevan is right arm fast blower. He loves to ball out-swingers. He took one hat tricks in this season.



Sanal is a right-handed attacking batsman who loves to hit big sixes. In the 2024 season, he scored four fifty-scores and one hundred. .



Nithin is our young promising star player for the season. His highest score is 74* and 5/8

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