

CUPS AND SPECIAL AWARDS

Henry A. Gerty Challenge Cup (presented by Bro. W. Brinsley Gerty in his father's memory) for best result in Championship events: W. A. Williams.

Hall Cooper Award for Comradeship and Sportsmanship (presented by Bro. J. Hall Cooper in memory of his son killed in the 1914-18 war): D. C. Cooke.

"Richview" Bat (presented by the Masonic Old Boys' Association) for highest batting average of the season: C. W. L. Davis.

Rugby Shield (presented by M.O.B.A.) to the outstanding player of the season: W. A. Williams.

The Stan Polden Memorial Shield for the boy who contributed Most to school games during the year: J. W. Faulkner.

CRICKET REPORT

S.C.T.: A. Williams, W. Faulkner, C. Davis (Capt.), K. Morris, W. Moffett, M. Lowe, S. McClinton, A. Mehaffey, H. Agnew, K. Livermore, M. Loughrey.

J.C.T.: M. Loughrey (Capt.), A. Latimer, E. Reid, C. Breen, S. Snodden, D. Cowan, I. Greaves, R. Reilly, P. L. Thompson, D. Rodgers, I. Curran.

U.14: M. Kerr (Capt.), J. Lynn, I. Curran, W. Getty, S. Thompson, R. Murray, D. Rodgers, M. Shaw, J. McCreight, R. Hutchinson, S. Curran.

U. 13: K. Patterson, S. Curran, W. Stephenson, R. Jackson, M. Carswell, D. Taylor, R. Sparkes, N. Shaw, R. Cameron, D. Percy, N. Hillis.

U. 12: K. Patterson, R. Cameron, S. Curran, R. Jackson, W. Stephenson, N. Shaw, S. Ross, D. Taylor, M. Hillis, M. Carswell, R. Sparkes.

Summary of Matches 1973

| | Played | Won | Drawn | Lost | Abandoned |
|--------|--------|-----|-------|------|-----------|
| S.C.T. | 7 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| J.C.T. | 4 | 1 | - | 2 | 1 |
| U. 14 | 8 | - | - | 7 | 1 |
| U. 13. | 2 | 2 | - | - | - |
| U. 12 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |

S.C.T. Batting Averages

| | Times Not Out | Highest Score | Innings | Total Runs | Average |
|-------------|------------------|------------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| C. Davis | 0 | 37 | 6 | 83 | 13.83 |
| W. Faulkner | 0 | 47 | 6 | 63 | 10.50 |
| A. Williams | 0 | 41 | 6 | 62 | 10.33 |

J.C.T. Batting Averages

| | Times Not Out | Highest Score | Innings | Total Runs | Average |
|-------------|------------------|------------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| M. Loughrey | 0 | 39 | 4 | 48 | 12 |
| D. Rodgers | 0 | 15 | 2 | 19 | 9.5 |
| C. Breen | 0 | 14 | 4 | 27 | 6.3 |

S.C.T. Bowling

| | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | Average |
|------------|-------|---------|------|---------|---------|
| M. Lowe | 51 | 9 | 127 | 18 | 7.33 |
| W. Moffett | 49½ | 19 | 125 | 10 | 12.50 |
| C. Davis | 58½ | 11 | 173 | 12 | 14.42 |

J.C.T. Bowling

| | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | Average |
|----------|-------|---------|------|---------|---------|
| C. Breen | 30 | 5 | 85 | 11 | 7.7 |
| E. Reid | 42 | 7 | 117 | 10 | 11.7 |

The Senior team played 7 games of which they won 2, lost 3 and drew 1, while 1 was abandoned. C. Davis headed the batting averages and thus won the Richview Bat again. He was also selected to play for Leinster Schools against Ulster Schools.

The Junior team played 4 games of which they won 1 and lost 2, while 1 was abandoned.

The Under 14 team had an unfortunate season, not succeeding in winning one of their eight matches, but we wish them better luck next year.

The Under 13 played only two matches, both of which they won. Curran and Patterson represented Masonic in the One Wicket competition held at Richview.

The Under 12 played only one match which they won.

The following article appeared in *The Irish Times* on Wednesday, 15th August, 1973, and is reproduced here by kind permission of the Editor:—

MASONIC'S PROUD TRADITION IN LIMELIGHT AGAIN

By Sean Pender

Twelve months and more after my series of articles last season on some aspects of great achievements and great players in schools' cricket during the 1920s, '30s and '40s, has come into my possession a clipping from the Masonic School magazine in which kind references are made to *The Irish Times*, the praise being coupled with suggestion that the full story has not yet been told. Of course it hasn't. I had pleaded—and still ask—for those old-timers with long memories to let me have information.