

RECORDS RELATING TO SPORT
AT THE COUNTY RECORD OFFICE, CAMBRIDGE

Athletics

Cambridge School Sports Association, Athletic Section: athletic shields trophies, junior boys (infants & juniors) and junior girls (infants & juniors), n.d. (R80/116).

Cambridge University: group photographs of athletes, 1909-39; photograph of Alec Nelson (later University Coach) competing in races, 1899. (R81/105).

Cambridgeshire Amateur Athletics Association: minutes 1925, 1954-81; minutes of cross-country committee, 1925-38; newscutting scrapbooks, 1926-76; programmes of events, 1926-73; and of events organised by other bodies, 1922-32. (R81/106).

Cambridgeshire County Amateur Athletic Association: silver jubilee souvenir, 1950. (R96/087).

Cottenham Recreation Association: programme of open sports meeting, 1951. (P50/28/69).

Linton Athletic Sports Club: programmes etc. of 1879-1925. (L95/15A); photo, c.1910 (R98/38)

Sutton Sports Committee: minutes, 1920-35. (Pinter Bequest: R79/90).

Badminton

Cambridgeshire Badminton Association minutes, 1935-85. (R93/24).

Bear-Baiting

Transcripts of correspondence, depositions, etc. about bear-baiting at Chesterton in 1851 from MS. Lansdown 33 (Cambridge City Records: PB vol.31).

Billiards

Caxton Billiards Club: minutes, 1938-41. (P37/24/8).

Bowls (*see also Tennis, Lawn*)

Abington Bowls Club: secretary's report 1962, correspondence 1952, papers about shed and green 1961, 1974-80; account book 1927-39, 1947-79, vouchers, 1928-80, balances of account and drafts 1956-72, financial papers 1950s-1980s, subscription account book 1961-77, annual dinner account 1961, fixture cards 1959, 1965, draft fixture lists 1963-80, lists of local clubs 1962, Abington Ladies' Bowls' Club, annual general meeting minutes 1958-81, committee minutes 1958-78, accounts 1975-77, miscellaneous papers, 1978, 1927-89. (R96/94).

Cambridge and District Bowls League: handbooks, 1966-80 (R96/94).

Melbourn: copy deeds of bowls' pavilion, 1955-87 (R96/119).

Meldreth and District Bowls' League: copy minutes, etc., 1981-89 (R96/94).

Camping

Account etc. in Maynard's works. (R58/5/7 pp.7-17).

Cricket

Barton: account of cricket teams, c.1890 (272/Q1).

Cambridge Banks' Cricket Club, photograph,1909. (R101/091).

Cambridge Cricket Association: list of fixtures 1960. (R84/085);minutes 1889-1979, jubilee and diamond jubilee committee minutes 1939, 1949, newscutting file with some correspondence 1945, 1949-68, 1984-88, papers about diamond jubilee celebrations including pamphlet and letters from J.B. ('Jack') Hobbs 1949, papers about centenary dinner 1989, graph of entries to competitions 1951, exhibition leaflet A Century of Village Life with photograph of C.C.A. stand, report of regional cricket conference 1968, proposed constitution of Cambridgeshire Cricket Board c.1980, ledger 1935-47, subscription book for Hobbs' Pavilion Cambridge 1930, photographs of cricket matches on Parker's Piece, Fenner's and Girton Playing Field 1951, of challenge cups 1951, of presentation of trophies c.1945-75, jubilee dinner 1949 and umpires' meeting 1953, screened print of members of council 1939, album of newscuttings of W.R. Thomas of Victoria, Cassandra, etc., Clubs (including some chess and family items), three cricket balls embossed to mark particular matches or feats (two for Dan Hayward) 1902-03, 1930 (R99/85)

Cambridge: lantern slide of painting of cricket on Parker's Piece. (23/Z0598).

Cambridge: photographs of Wesleyan Methodists Circuit cricket team c.1914 (R90/38).

Cambridgeshire County Cricket Club: notes on history of club, c.1950

Caxton Cricket Club: minutes, 1909, summary accounts, 1911-16. (P37/24/1; R96/078).

Chippenham Cricket Club: notice of formation of 1877. (P44/28/2).

Fowlmere : opposition to inclosure on grounds that recreation ground will be wrong shape for cricket, 1846. (292/034).

Linton Cricket Club: scoring book, 1853-63, financial statement and list of members, 1880, photograph, 1880 (R98/038).

Over cricket team: photograph, early 20th century. (R93/067).

Papworth Village Settlement: cricket scoring book, 1933-37, containing Papworth Industries Cricket Club cheque book counterfoils, 1931-34; Cambs. Cricket Association official handbook, 1937, and The National Sporting Club members' handbook; Cricket Club fixtures list, 1963. (R88/071); Cricket Club teams c.1960-1975. (R103/112).

Sawston Mill Cricket Club: averages, 1882. (R83/107).

Shelford, Great: newspaper clipping re. ladies and gents cricket match, 1919. (799/Q01).

Whittlesford Cricket Club: rules, 1854 & n.d. (R58/5/6); fixture lists, 1969-95. (R99/035).

Cycling

Cottenham Recreation Association: programme of open sports meeting, 1951. (P50/28/69).

Fives and Squash Racquets

Cambridge University Fives and Squash Racquets Association Trust Ltd.; Memoranda and articles, 1937. (587/Z30).

Football

Cambridge Banks' Football Club: menus for annual dinners, 1905-09 (R102/052).

Cambridge and District Co-operative Society: football Club, 1934/5, 1950/1, 1960/1, Ladies Five-a-Side Soccer Champions, 1978. (R92/049).

Cambridge United Football Club : On the Up - A History of 1988-1991; United in Endeavour - a history of Abbey United/ Cambridge United F.C. 1912-1988. (Pamphlet Collection).

Cambridge: Matthew and Son Ltd. grocers, confectioners, wine and spirit merchants, etc: photograph of staff football team, "The Doughnuts", c.1925. (803/B36).

Cambridge: Trinity College, Choir football team: photographs 1912, 1913. (R80/100)

Cambridgeshire Football Association: handbooks, 1936-8, 1946-. (R96/44). 1973-4, 1980-96; directories, 1977-78, 1991-3; programme for opening of Cambridge F.C. Milton Road Ground, 1922. (R104/138). Copy minutes, 1994-95; Cambridgeshire and District Referees' Society copy minutes, 1995. (R99/103).

Caxton: summary accounts of football club, 1911-16. (R96/087).

Chesterton Laurels Football Club: photograph, 1906. (R98/038).

Chesterton St. Luke's Football Team: lantern slide (P40A/28/142).

Cottenham United Football Club, Jubilee Dinner programme, 1949. (P50/28/06).

Foxton Football Club: minute book, 1953-62. (R95/002b).

Fulbourn Football Club: fixtures 1966-67. (R84/085).

Grantchester Football Club: bank books, 1950 - 1982; volume of accounts including list of subscribers 1952-1956, 1977-1982; papers relating to Grantchester Colts Under 16s Football Club, including names and addresses of players 1977; file of papers and correspondence: bank statements 1956-1960; fixture lists, bills for erection of pavilion, 1959; list of registered players 1956-1960. (P79/28/61; 62; 63; 64).

Histon Football Club: programme of 1955/56. (Chivers & Son R86/044).

Linton Granta Football Club: handbook for 1911-12 (L95/15A); photo, c.1900-51 (R98/038).

Longstowe Amateur Football Club: group photograph, 1962-63. (R92/082).

Madingley Rangers Football Club: newscuttings concerning banning, 1977. (P114/AZ5).

Football (cont)

March: souvenir programme of charity football match, 1954 (P116/06/20).

Sawston mill football team, c.1947-80. (J.E. Spicer & Sons: R97/035).

Sawston: Spicers football team, 1948. (J.E. Spicer & Sons: R91/078).

Sutton: photograph of football team, c.1915. (R80/048).

Willingham Football Club: letter requesting permission to charge for admission, 1938. (P177/AC/29).

Fox-Hunting

Hobson's fox-hunting map of Cambridgeshire, 1848. (R87/022).

Notes of meetings of Cambridge hounds at Whittlesford with watercolour, 1859-75. (R58/5/5 pp.171-2).

Diary of Rev. William Smith with many entries about hunting, 1842-4. (R82/75).

Golf

Gog Magog Golf Club: plan of additions c.1930 (R80/92).

Horse-racing

Plans of Newmarket race course/Newmarket Heath 1787, 1852. (101/P).

Ditto, 1768. (TR274/P3).

Ditto, 1887, 1948. (Chippenham Estate Records: R63/20).

Physical Training

Miscellaneous photographs, 20th century. (Education Dept. Schools Records).

Prize-Fighting

Note about a fight at Whittlesford, 1863. (R58/5/5 p.173).

Rowing

Photographs of St. John's College eights, and of races at Cambridge and Henley, 1907-1911. (340/Z1).

Photographs of races on Cam for postcard publication. (Frith & Co. Collection: 554/2/12).

Cambridge Town Rowing Club (city of Cambridge Rowing Club) minutes 1863-1972. (R92/91).

Cambridge Rowing Club: minutes, accounts and related papers, 1991-2000. (R102/22).

Cambridgeshire Rowing Association: minutes, 1928-93; papers 1989-98. (R98/55).

Shooting

Cambridge: outline development plan for Jesus College rifle range site, 1971. (R92/060).

Cambridge: Eastern Gas Board, District Miniature Rifle Club: scorebooks 1909-12. (R100/086).

Caxton and District Rifle Club: minutes, 1912-21; accounts, 1912-13. (R96/078).

Cheveley Rifle Club: minutes & accounts, 1908-31. (R86/039).

Chippenham Estate: rabbit book, 1889-96; lease of shooting rights. (R63/20; R55/7/7/297).

Comberton, Barton and Grantchester: deeds of rifle ranges, 1756-1930; agreement with Chesterton R.D.C. about rifle range, 1938. (R84/020).

Ely Volunteers: newspaper cutting about the annual prize shooting and dinner. n.d., 1888. (P26/28/07).

West Wickham: draft lease of shooting rights on Earl of Hardwicke's estate, 1889. (R101/081).

West Wrattling Estate: invitations to shoot 1870-1920; record of game bagged, n.d. (553/).

Skating

Thorney Skating Association: minutes, newscuttings, etc., 1890-1957. (748/).

Lantern slides of skating on the fens, 1892-1905. (C.U. Extra-Mural Board Deposit: 695/Z16-68).

Extract from 'The Times', with leader on skating, mentioning Lingey Fen, and Fish and Turkey Smart of Welney, 1945 (P163/28/5)

Tennis, Lawn

Chesterton St. Lukes: lantern slide, tennis doubles, n.d. (late C19th/early C20th). (P40A/28/157).

Comberton: provision of hard tennis courts, 1971. (P47/AM/03).

Fowlmere Tennis and Bowls' Club (later Lawn Tennis Club): minutes, 1922-63; accounts 1936-56. (R100/010).

Linton Tennis Club: accounts, 1923-31; notes on history of club by F. Jeffery, 1986. (R86/111).

Melbourn Church Tennis Club: minutes and accounts, 1930-52. (P117/24/1-3).

Newmarket Tennis Club: minutes, 1936-63. (R101/125).

Steeple Morden Tennis Club: correspondence and newsletter, 1976-1978. (R93/083).

Tennis, Real

Cambridge Borough: ordinance against playing tennis, 1410. (Cambridge City Records: Cross Book fo.9^v).

Miscellaneous

Cottenham United Sports and Social Club: minutes etc., 1966-75. (R76/67).