

## **Bournemouth Pumas (U10s)**

### **Away to Poole Town – Friday 7 May 2010**

Ben J won the toss, to the shock of his team mates after last year's run of lost tosses and chose to field first.

#### **Poole Innings**

We bowled really well, and kept Poole under pressure from the start.

Lawrence was bowling rather than keeping wicket and took a clean bowled wicket with his first ball. Jack playing his first game did really well bowling five dot balls in his 2 overs, and Sam and Jacob combined really well to get a run out in the fifth over.

The score after three pairs was only 238 for 2, but we had Poole's best pair to come, Scott and Katie. The batters started well scoring 9 off the first over from Ben J and 15 off the second from Sam. Ben J then bowled really well to peg them back, taking a wicket and only conceding 1 run in the penultimate over. Sam then finished things off with a tight last over conceding only 4 runs.

Poole finished on 261 for 3.

<b>Bowler</b>	<b>Overs</b>	<b>Runs</b>	<b>Maidens</b>	<b>Wides</b>	<b>Wickets</b>	<b>Net</b>	<b>Runs / over</b>	<b>Net runs / over</b>
Ben Spotswood	3	5	1	0	0	5	1.7	1.7
Ben Jones	3	12	0	1	1	6	4.0	2.0
Nathan Blackford	3	11	1	3	0	11	3.7	3.7
Lawrence Garlick	2	14	0	0	1	8	7.0	4.0
Sam Taylor	3	19	1	0	0	19	6.3	6.3
Jack Martin	2	14	0	6	0	14	7.0	7.0
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#### **Pumas Innings**

With only 16 runs needed per pair, all we had to do was keep our wickets safe and we would win.

The two Ben's started off well, scoring 6 singles in the first over, both hitting a boundary and finishing on 26-0.

Lawrence and debutante Jack were in next. They kept their wickets safe until the third over when Jack was bowled. They then survived an over from the very fast South Dorset captain, Scott Curry, to finish on 230-1.

Third pair were Sam and Jacob who did a great job of running between the wickets, which created real panic in the Poole fielders and added 4 overthrows to the score from 1 ball! After three pairs we were 269-1, 8 in the lead!!

The fourth pair had to keep their wickets safe and we had won. Ben S (batting again) and Nathan had never batted together before and struggled a bit. Ben S was out first ball, but with one over to go we were 20 runs to the good. The last over very nearly did for us though with a run out and two wickets. The boys just hung on though to finish on 269 for 5.

	<b>Balls</b>	<b>Runs</b>	<b>4s</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>Net</b>	<b>Strike Rate</b>	<b>Net Strike Rate</b>
Jacob Feldman	6	9	1	0	9	150%	150%
Sam Taylor	10	15	0	0	15	150%	150%
Ben Jones	10	10	1	0	10	100%	100%
Ben Spotswood	24	19	3	2	7	79%	29%
Lawrence Garlick	9	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
Jack Martin	12	0	0	1	-6	0%	-50%
Nathan Blackford	7	3	0	2	-9	43%	-129%

### **Points**

We get 10 points for the win, and 6 batting bonus points, and are second in the league behind Ellingham with 18 points.

### **Man of the Match Awards**

For his first ball wicket the bowling award went to Lawrence Garlick.

Jacob Feldman won the batting award for a nice four and some good running between the wickets.

### **Website**

All match reports, team photos, statistics and league tables can be found on the website – [www.bournemouthcricketclubcolts.co.uk](http://www.bournemouthcricketclubcolts.co.uk)