

YORKSHIRE SECOND ELEVEN IN THE MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP
SEASON 1957 - FINAL TABLE

Team		P	W	L	DWF	DLF	NC/Ab	Pts	PtPC
Pts awarded		-	10	-	3	1	2	-	-
1	<i>Yorkshire 2nd XI</i>	18	11	3*	2	0	2	123	6.83
2	Warwickshire 2nd XI	20	11	1*	4	3	1	130	6.50
3	Somerset 2nd XI	16	8	1	4	3	0	95	5.93
4	Berkshire	10	5	3*	0	1	1	56	5.60
5	Suffolk	8	4	3*	0	1	0	44	5.50
6	Middlesex 2nd XI	12	5	1*	2	4	0	63	5.25
7	Hertfordshire	10	4	2*	2	1	1	52	5.20
8	Lancashire 2nd XI	22	8	3*	4	2	5	107	4.86
9	Cambridgeshire	8	3	1	1	2	1	37	4.62
10	Leicestershire 2nd XI	12	4	3‡	2	3	0	55	4.58
11	Nottinghamshire 2nd XI	18	4	1	7	4	2	69	3.83
12	Northamptonshire 2nd XI	14	4	4*	0	3	3	52	3.71
13	Dorset	12	3	3*	2	3	1	44	3.67
14	Gloucestershire 2nd XI	10	2	1	4	2	1	36	3.60
15	Durham	12	3	3	2	2	2	42	3.50
16	Oxfordshire	10	2	4*	3	0	1	34	3.40
17	Devon	10	2	3*	2	2	1	34	3.30
18	Staffordshire	12	2	2*	3	3	2	33	3.25
19	Buckinghamshire	10	2	3	2	2	1	39	3.00
20	Wiltshire	10	2	4	1	1	2	30	2.80
21	Northumberland	12	2	4	1	3	2	28	2.50
22	Essex 2nd XI	12	1	4	5	1	1	30	2.33
23	Kent 2nd XI	14	1	3*	4	5	1	32	2.28
24	Surrey 2nd XI	14	1	3	4	4	2	30	2.14
25	Cornwall	10	1	3	0	3	3	19	1.90
26	Lincolnshire	10	1	6*	1	1	1	19	1.90
27	Cheshire	10	1	5*	0	3	1	18	1.80
28	Norfolk	12	0	4*	5	3	0	21	1.75
29	Bedfordshire	8	0	2	1	2	3	11	1.37
30	Shropshire	8	0	3*	0	3	2	10	1.25
31	Cumberland	8	0	5*	1	0	2	10	1.25
32	Derbyshire 2nd XI	12	0	6	3	2	1	13	1.08

* First inns pts (3) in one match lost ‡ First inns pts (3) in two matches lost
 Position of teams in the final table is determined by the better percentage of possible points

FINAL AVERAGES – BATTING AND FIELDING

Player	M	I	NO	TR	HS	Ave	100	50	Ct/St
K Taylor	2	4	1	126	58	42.00	-	1	3
D E V Padgett	7	11	1	409	134	40.90	1	3	3
G W Moore	15	22	3	656	93	34.52	-	5	4
W B Stott	2	3	0	99	78	33.00	-	1	4
P J Sharpe	7	11	1	327	67	32.70	-	1	-
J B Bolus	16	24	1	747	127	32.47	2	2	24
J R Burnet	17	22	2	417	64	20.85	-	1	12
M Naylor	10	15	1	283	55	20.21	-	1	6
E I Lester	18	27	3	467	79	19.45	-	1	11
D Wilson	13	14	7	133	43*	19.00	-	-	16
W F Oates	5	8	1	129	39*	18.42	-	-	1
R L Jowett	6	8	1	120	39	17.14	-	-	12
J Birkenshaw	7	10	1	153	39	17.00	-	-	1
B Handley	3	5	0	84	63	16.80	-	-	1
H D Bird	3	5	0	68	45	13.60	-	-	-
E Legard	18	20	6	170	27*	12.14	-	-	29/6
M Ryan	10	13	2	128	29	11.63	-	-	6
R K Platt	7	5	3	18	7*	9.00	-	-	5
P N Broughton	2	3	2	6	6*	6.00	-	-	-
D Pickles	6	8	1	34	14	4.85	-	-	6
R Appleyard	4	3	0	11	8	3.67	-	-	6
M J Cowan	7	5	2	10	4*	3.33	-	-	5
W P Tiler	3	4	1	7	4	2.33	-	0	2

ALSO BATTED

Player	M	I	NO	TR	HS	Ave	100	50	Ct/St
W Watson	2	2	0	142	107	71.00	1	-	1
W F Moore	1	1	0	57	57	57.00	-	1	1
A B Bainbridge	1	1	0	33	33	33.00	-	-	1
R Wood	1	1	0	13	13	13.00	-	-	1
F W Goddard	1	2	1	12	7	12.00	-	-	2
E Slingsby	1	2	0	17	14	8.50	-	-	2
P J Kippax	1	2	0	12	7	6.00	-	-	2
J A Pitt	1	1	1	18	18*	-	-	-	1
C H Wood	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

FINAL AVERAGES – BOWLING

Player	O	M	R	W	BB	Ave	5wI	10wM
A B Bainbridge	18.3	4	30	4	2/4	7.50	-	-
R Appleyard	131	51	240	31	7/48	7.74	2	1
J A Pitt	22	11	31	4	3/22	7.75	-	-
J Birkenshaw	151.3	50	307	32	7/12	9.59	5	2
R K Platt	169.3	62	312	23	5/36	13.56	2	-
D Wilson	303	114	667	48	8/62	13.89	2	1
M Ryan	269.4	60	633	43	6/14	14.72	3	1
D Pickles	173.3	45	385	26	6/40	14.80	2	-
M J Cowan	116.2	26	308	20	9/52	15.40	1	1
W P Tiler	81.1	17	231	15	5/67	15.40	1	-
J B Bolus	15.3	6	51	3	2/20	17.00	-	-
B Handley	77.3	23	229	13	5/49	17.61	1	-
P N Broughton	42	9	121	5	3/62	24.20	-	-
M Naylor	116.3	21	463	19	5/49	24.36	1	-

ALSO BOWLED

Player	O	M	R	W	BB	Ave	5wI	10wM
D E V Padgett	1	0	2	1	1/2	2.00	-	-
C H Wood	6	4	5	1	1/5	5.00	-	-
P J Kippax	20	9	45	2	2/45	22.50	-	-
R Wood	24	6	75	2	1/27	37.50	-	-
R L Jowett	14	5	27	0	-	-	-	-
F W Goddard	4	1	10	0	-	-	-	-
E I Lester	1	0	4	0	-	-	-	-
J R Burnet	1	0	1	0	-	-	-	-
K Taylor	1	0	1	0	-	-	-	-

LINE SCORES OF MATCHES PLAYED

v Northamptonshire (Northampton) 22 & 23 May 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 137 (J Wild 6/64, V Broderick 4/38) & 119 (V Broderick 7/35 [and match figs of 11/73], J Wild 3/50) lost to Northants 110 (R Appleyard 7/48) & 147/7 (R Appleyard 4/51 [and match figs of 11/99], D Wilson 3/58) by three wkts

v Cheshire (Saltaire) 27 & 28 May 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 240 (W B Stott 78; M J B Riley 8/54) beat Cheshire 41 (M Ryan 6/14, R Appleyard 4/9) & 110 (M Ryan 4/40 [and match figs of 10/54], R Appleyard 3/39) by an inns & 89 runs

v Lancashire (Harrogate CC) 10 & 11 June 1957 - *Lancs 136 (J D Bond 60; R Appleyard 6/53, D Wilson 3/35) drew with Yorks 138/4

v Staffordshire (Trentham Rd, Stoke-on-Trent) 12 & 13 June 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 339/4d (D E V Padgett 134, W Watson 107) beat Staffs 142 (M Naylor 5/49, R Appleyard 3/32) & 142 (R Appleyard 4/8, M Naylor 3/45) by an inns & 55 runs

v Lincolnshire (Memorial Park, Mirfield) 17 & 18 June 1957 – (Toss unknown) Lincs 191 (B C Ehrenfried 69; D Wilson 6/49, B Handley 3/49) & 160 (E M Senior 70*; D Wilson 8/62 [and match figs of 14/111]) lost to Yorks 213 (D E V Padgett 84, K Taylor 58; H M A Cherry-Downes 5/60, A W Lea 4/90) & 139/8 (D E V Padgett 56*; A W Lea 7/78 [and match figs of 11/168]) by two wkts

v Cheshire (Townfield Lane, Oxtan) 19 & 20 June 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 386 (J B Bolus 95, E I Lester 79, B Handley 63; W L Goodwin 4/67, R J Digman 3/111) & 47/1 beat Cheshire 232 (A Vickery 50; D Pickles 4/65, P N Broughton 3/62) & 200 (J R L Davies 51; B Handley 5/49, M Naylor 4/93) by nine wkts

v Northumberland (Jesmond) 26 & 27 June 1957 – (Toss unknown) Northumberland 238 (K D Smith 92; W P Tiler 5/67, D Pickles 4/46) & 131 (W P Tiler 4/29, D Pickles 3/53) beat Yorks 164 (J Y Oakes 4/32, K Norton 4/34) & 95 (J Y Oakes 4/10, E Sisterson 3/36) by 110 runs

v Cumberland (Wiggington Rd, York) 1 & 2 July 1957 – (Toss unknown) Cumberland 149 (M Ryan 4/51, W P Tiler 3/35) & 94 (J A Pitt 3/22, M Naylor 3/32) lost to Yorks 338/4d (J B Bolus 127, G W Moore 80) by an inns & 95 runs

v Northamptonshire (Doncaster CC) 3 & 4 July 1957 - Match abandoned without a ball bowled

v Cumberland (Shap Rd, Kendal) 8 & 9 July 1957 – (Toss unknown) Cumberland 151 (D Pickles 3/26, R K Platt 3/31) & 98 (D Pickles 6/40, D Wilson 3/18) lost to Yorks 92 (P Sarjeant 4/21, W D F Dow 4/24) & 158/5 (M Naylor 55; W D F Dow 4/63) by five wkts

v Northumberland (Redcar CC) 22 & 23 July 1957 - *Yorks 255/9d (J B Bolus 102; F Clayforth 5/95, D Hall 3/55) & 93/1d beat Northumberland 165 (J Y Oakes 67; R K Platt 5/36, M Ryan 3/52) & 66 (M Ryan 6/27) by 117 runs

v Nottinghamshire (Duke's Park, Bridlington) 31 July & 1 Aug 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 185 (G W Moore 71*; P F Harvey 3/20) & 107 (P F Harvey 3/21, A K Walker 3/27, J Cotton 3/33) lost to Notts 206 (E J Martin 69; J Birkenshaw 4/37, M Ryan 4/80) & 89/1 by nine wkts

v Lancashire (Old Trafford) 5 & 6 Aug 1957 - *Yorks 210 (G W Moore 59) & 208/9d (P J Sharpe 67; F Moore 3/37, M J Hilton 3/38) beat Lancs 212/3d (G Pullar 89, B J Booth 59) & 136 (B Handley 4/50, D Wilson 4/53) by 70 runs

v Durham (Blackfyne, Blackhill, Consett) 7 & 8 Aug 1957 - *Durham 154 (G C Lamb 52; R K Platt 5/51, M Ryan 3/58) & 109 (M J Cowan 9/52 [and match figs of 11/74]) lost to Yorks 300/7d (D E V Padgett 58; R Aspinall 3/86, N H Pigg 3/95) by an inns & 37 runs

v Lincolnshire (Brumby Hall, Scunthorpe) 12 & 13 Aug 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 245/6d (W F Moore 57, J B Bolus 55; H M A Cherry-Downes 3/92) beat Lincs 35 (J Birkenshaw 7/12) & 71 (J Birkenshaw 5/43 [and match figs of 12/55], D Wilson 3/13) by an inns & 139 runs

v Durham (Acklam Park, Middlesbrough) 19 & 20 Aug 1957 - *Durham 90 (J Birkenshaw 5/23, D Wilson 4/39) & 79 (J Birkenshaw 5/35 [and match figs of 10/58], D Wilson 3/32) lost to Yorks 193/9d (J R Burnet 64; J N Watson 3/17) by an inns & 24 runs

v Staffordshire (Scarborough) 21 & 22 Aug 1957 – (Toss unknown) Staffs 126 (M Ryan 5/68, R K Platt 4/32) & 164/8d (B S Crump 50; J Birkenshaw 5/69) drew with Yorks 127/7d & 101/7 (J C Norcup 3/34)

v Nottinghamshire (Steeley Co Gd, Shireoaks) 26 & 27 Aug 1957 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 255/9d (G W Moore 93; C S Matthews 3/45) drew with Notts 68/1

v Warwickshire (Scarborough) 18-20 Sept 1957 (3 day match) –Championship decider - *Yorks 217 (G W Moore 72; S S Griffiths 4/52) & 104 (T W Cartwright 7/19) drew with Warwicks 112 (D Pickles 5/44, M Ryan 4/34) & 78/3 (*Yorkshire were declared champions, as they had a better record in qualifying. This was their second success, after 1947*)

CAREER FIGURES AND BIOGRAPHICAL DETAILS (WHERE KNOWN) OF PLAYERS WHO MADE THEIR DEBUTS IN 1957

439) **Jack BIRKENSHAW** – Born 13 Nov 1940, Rothwell, Leeds

He was a LH batsman and OB bowler

Test debut – v India, Modi Stadium, Kanpur, 25-30 Jan 1973 (4th Test)

First-class debut – v Sussex, The Manor Sports Gd, Worthing, 23-25 July 1958 (County Championship)

Yorks career – 1955-1960

His highest test match score (64) came in his debut match above

His best test bowling figures (5/57) came against Pakistan at the National Stadium, Karachi, on 24-29 March 1973 (3rd Test)

His highest first-class score (131) came in the match against Surrey (for Leics) at Woodbridge Rd, Guildford on 12-15 July 1969 (County Championship)

His best first-class bowling figures (8/94) came against Somerset (for Leics) at Taunton on 26-28 July 1972 (County Championship)

His highest List A score (101*) came against Hants (for Leics) at Grace Rd on 14 July 1976 (Gillette Cup)

His best List A bowling figures (5/20) came against Essex (for Leics) at Grace Rd on 10 Aug 1975 (John Player League)

His career-best bowling figures (8/37) came in the Minor Counties Championship game against Northants at Barnsley CC on 19 & 29 May 1958

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

Test Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
5	7	0	148	64	21.14	-	1	3
1st Class Matches (For Yorks, Leics & Worcs)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
490	665	123	12780	131	23.57	4	53	316
List A Matches (For Leics & Worcs)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
164	127	24	1831	101*	17.77	1	6	56
2nd XI Championship (For Yorks, Leics & Worcs)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
51	79	16	1786	105*	28.34	1	10	38
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
26	31	3	488	53*	17.42	-	1	5

2nd XI Friendly Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
3	5	1	74	39	18.50	-	-	-

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Test Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	169.3	33	469	13	36.07	5/57	1	-
1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	11528.3	3093	29276	1073	27.28	8/94	44	4
List A Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wM
	575.4	59	2141	83	25.79	5/20	2	1
2nd XI Championship	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wM
	919	278	2554	129	19.79	7/60	8	1
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	621	233	1276	107	11.92	8/37	12	5
2nd XI Friendly Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	107.3	37	183	16	11.43	5/32	1	-

He left Yorks to join Leics for the 1961 season. He was capped by them in 1965 and awarded a benefit in 1974. It raised £13,100 (or £137,428.46 in 2020). The club further awarded him a testimonial in 2002. After his move to Grace Rd, he served under Ray Illingworth, who had kept him out of the Yorks side and caused him to move south. He had one year with Worcs and then seven as a first-class umpire.

But it was as a coach that he achieved his greatest successes. He began his coaching life with Western Australia but then with Leics, he guided them to two County Championships in 1996 and 1998. He was rewarded with the above-mentioned testimonial and an MBE in 2011.

440) **Richard Lund JOWETT** – Born 29 Apr 1937, Rawdon, Leeds

He was a RH batsman and OB bowler

First-class debut – v Warwicks, The Parks (playing for Oxford Un), 25-28 May 1957.

Yorks career – 1957

His highest first class score (122) came against D R Jardine's XI at the Saffrons, Eastbourne on 3-5 July 1957 (University Match)

His best first-class bowling figures (4/67) came against Glos at The Parks on 3-5 May 1958 (University Match)

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

1st Class Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
43	78	5	1499	122	20.53	2	6	44
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
6	8	1	120	39	17.14	-	-	12

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1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	258.2	48	802	20	40.10	4/67	-	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	14	5	27	0	-	-	-	-

He did not play any first-class games for Yorks.

441) **W F MOORE** – No biographical details are available for this player, He played one Minor Counties Championship game for Yorks against Lincs at Brumby Hall, Scunthorpe on 12 & 13 Aug 1957. He scored 57 in his only innings and returned 4-2-5-0. He took one catch.

442) **David PICKLES** – Born 16 Nov 1935, Halifax , W Yorks

He was a RH batsman and RA fast bowler.

First-class debut – v Glos, Scarborough, 17-19 July 1957

Yorks career – 1957-1960

His highest first-class score (12) was made against Essex at Acklam Park, Middlesbrough, on 6-8 Aug 1958 (County Championship)

His best first-class bowling figures (7/61) were recorded against Somerset at Taunton (County Championship)

His career-best highest score (41*) came in the Second Eleven Championship against Derbys at Saltaire CC on 23 & 24 May 1960

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

1st Class Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
41	40	20	74	12	3.70	-	-	10
2nd XI Championship	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
10	7	3	45	41*	11.25	-	-	7
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
21	17	5	53	14	4.41	-	-	14

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1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	717.5	151	2062	96	21.47	7/61	4	1
2nd XI Championship	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	253.4	43	816	27	30.22	7/93	1	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	434	105	1095	52	21.05	6/40	3	-

He began his cricket with Sowerby Bridge CC (Halifax CL) and later played for Bowling Old Lane and Baildon (both Bradford CL). He burst onto the Yorks scene in 1957, taking his career-best figures, as above. After that, however, his effectiveness deteriorated.

He is one of only three Yorks bowlers (Mike Cowan and Bill Bowes are the others) to have taken more first-class wkts (96) than they scored first-class runs (74).

443) **Donald (“Don”) WILSON** – Born – 7 August 1937, Settle, North Yorkshire
Died – 21 July 2012, York Hospital, York, aged 74.

First Class debut – v Scotland, Whitehaugh Oval, Paisley, nr Glasgow, 29-31 May 1957 (Yorks in Scotland)

Test debut – v India, Nehru Stadium, Madras (now Chennai) in the First Test, 10-15 Jan 1964

Yorkshire career – 1957 to 1977

Highest score in Test matches – 42 v India, Nehru Stadium, Madras, (now Chennai) 10-15 Jan 1964 (Debut test above)

Highest score in First Class matches – 112 v South Zone, Lal Bahadur Shastri Stadium, Hyderabad, 7-9 Jan 1964 (Tour Match)

Highest score in List A matches – 46 v Middlesex, Lord’s, 27 Apr 1969

Best bowling in Test matches – 2/17 v India, Eden Gardens, Calcutta (now Kolkata) 1963/64 (Third Test)

Best bowling in First Class matches – 8/36 v Ceylon, Colombo Oval, Colombo, 20-23 Feb 1970.

Best Bowling in List A matches – 6/18 v Kent, St Lawrence Ground, Canterbury, 24 Aug 1969

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

Test Cricket	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
6	7	1	75	42	12.50	-	-	1
First Class Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
422	533	91	6230	112	14.09	1	10	250
List A Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
65	51	8	501	46	11.65	-	-	22
2nd XI Championship Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
6	8	0	86	40	10.75	-	-	9

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
47	57	16	791	78	19.29	-	1	36
2nd XI Friendly Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
5	7	3	80	26	20.00	-	-	1

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Test Cricket	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5Wi	10Wm
	245.2	93	466	11	42.36	2/17	-	-
First Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5Wi	10Wm
	11612.1	4377	24978	1189	21.00	8/36	50	8
List A Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4Wi	5Wi
	470.1	83	1641	82	20.01	6/18	2	2
2nd XI Championship Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5Wi	10Wm
	184	65	444	27	16.44	5/40	4	1
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5Wi	10Wm
	1395.4	528	2609	207	12.60	8/62	16	6
2nd XI Friendly Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5Wi	10Wm
	138.1	47	279	20	13.95	5/40	1	-

Don Wilson began playing for Settle CC at the age of 13 and, in 1951, took 100 wickets for the club. He was then recommended to Yorkshire as a 19 year old by Len Hutton.

Wilson made his debut in 1957 but his regular cricket began two years later when he succeeded Johnny Wardle as Yorkshire's left-arm spinner, winning his Yorkshire cap in 1960. He was then an integral part of Yorkshire's formidable side that won seven County Championship titles between 1959 and 1968. He was tall and wiry, relying on bounce more than savage side spin, and took 100 wickets in a season five times, including three of the seven seasons he was part of the Championship-winning side. He also secured two hat-tricks in 1966.

In one game at Scarborough, Wilson was fielding down at third man, with bowling from the pavilion end to a right-handed batsman. He picked the ball up and his powerful left-arm throw went over the wicket-keeper and was finally stopped on the other side of the ground, a throw which only bounced once and covered at least 175 yards.

Derek Underwood was the regular left arm spinner in the England side during Wilson's career, but he toured twice with the national team. He toured India in 1963/64, where he played all five Test matches and scored his only first-class century, and to Australia and New Zealand in 1970/71, where he played against New Zealand, his final test match, at the end of Ray Illingworth's successful Ashes campaign.

His other tours included New Zealand with MCC in 1960/61 and to Ceylon and the Far East in 1969/70, also with MCC. With Yorkshire, he visited Ireland and North America. He also played twice for England against the Rest of the World in 1970, after the cancellation of the South Africa tour. These were counted as full Test matches at the time, but were later stripped of their status.

Wilson's career with Yorkshire lasted 20 years. Once retired, he accepted the role as the MCC's chief coach at Lord's, a position he held until 1991. He then continued his lifelong involvement in the game by returning to Yorkshire, as coach at Ampleforth College.

In retirement, he also became a popular after-dinner speaker.

Wilson also played Bradford League Cricket for Manningham Mills in season 1979, along with Phil Sharpe, winning the Priestley Cup.

444) **Barry WOOD** – Born 26 Dec 1942, Ossett, W Yorks

He was a RH batsman and RA medium pace bowler

Test debut – v Australia, The Oval, 10-16 Aug 1972 (5th Test)

First-class debut – v Somerset Acklam Park, Middlesbrough, on 6-9 June 1964 (County Championship)

Yorks career – 1957-1965

His highest Test score (90) was made in his debut match above.

His highest score in ODIs (78*) came in the match against India at Headingley on 2 June 1982 (Prudential Trophy)

His best bowling in ODIs (2/14) came in the match against Pakistan at the Oval on 26 May 1978 (Prudential Trophy)

His highest score in First Class matches (198) came against Glam at Liverpool CC on 5-8 June 1976, playing for Lancs (County Championship)

His best bowling in First Class Matches (7/52) came against Middx at Old Trafford, playing for Lancs, on 15-17 June 1968 (County Championship)

His best score in List A Matches (116) came for Lancs against Kent at Canterbury on 18 & 19 July 1979 (Gillette Cup)

His best bowling in List A Matches (5/12) came for Lancs against Derbys at Southport (Benson & Hedges Cup)

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

Test Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
12	21	0	454	90	21.61	-	2	6
ODIs	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
13	12	2	314	78*	31.40	-	2	6
World Cup Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
3	2	0	83	77	41.50	-	1	-
First Class Matches (For Yorks, Lancs & Derbys)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
357	591	75	17453	198	33.82	30	81	284
List A Matches (For Lancs & Derbys)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
291	254	41	6041	116	28.36	3	39	116
2nd XI Championship matches (For Lancs & Derbys)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
30	46	8	1905	165*	50.13	3	14	15
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches (For Yorks, Lancs & Cheshire)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
52	85	10	2691	130	35.88	2	19	34
Minor Counties Trophy Matches (For Cheshire)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
6	6	1	158	78	31.60	-	1	1
2nd XI Friendly Matches (For Yorks)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
1	2	0	27	15	13.50	-	-	2

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Test Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	16.2	4	50	0	-	-	-	-
ODIs	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wM	5wM
	70	12	224	9	24.88	2/14	-	-
World Cup Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wI
	12	5	14	0	-	-	-	-
First Class Matches (For Yorks, Lancs & Derbys)	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wM
	3595.1	1037	9160	298	30.73	7/52	8	-
List A Matches (For Lancs & Derbys)	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wI
	2097.2	332	7074	332	21.30	5/12	6	3
2nd XI Championship (For Lancs & Derbys)	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wM
	405	94	795	34	23.38	5/22	1	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches (For Yorks, Lancs & Cheshire)	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	674.3	125	1014	38	26.68	4/27	-	-
Minor Counties Trophy Matches (For Cheshire)	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	4wI	5wM
	49	2	185	12	15.42	4/46	1	-
2nd XI Friendly Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	42.5	14	70	9	7.77	7/24	1	-

He played for Hanging Heaton (Bradford CL), Mirfield (Central Yorks CL) and Barnsley (Yorkshire CL) before joining Yorks but the most successful part of his career was undoubtedly with Lancs in the period where they won several One-Day Trophies. At the end of his career, he had four seasons with Derbys and captained them in 1981-1983.

He was capped by Lancs in 1968 and by Derbys in 1980. His Lancs benefit in 1979 raised £62,429 (or £317, 939.13 in 2020)

445) **Christopher Harland WOOD** – Born 23 July 1934, Manningham, Bradford

First-class debut – v Essex, Colchester, 27-30 June 1959

Yorks career – 1957-1959

His highest first-class score (10) came in the match against Derbys at Queen`s Park, Chesterfield on 4-7 July 1959 (County Championship)

His best first-class bowling return (4/39) came in his debut match (above)

His career-best bowling figures (6/34) came) in the Minor Counties Championship match against Northumberland at Jesmond CC on 24 & 25 June 1959

He played for Pudsey St Lawrence (Bradford CL) and Tong Park (Airedale-Wharfedale Senior CL). He scored just 10 runs in his four first class appearances but took 11 wickets.

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

1st Class Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
4	4	1	22	10	7.33	-	-	1
2nd XI Championship	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
2	3	1	5	3*	2.50	-	-	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

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1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	125.3	31	319	11	29.00	4/39	-	-
2nd XI Championship	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	76.3	11	251	14	17.92	5/65	1	-

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	101.3	25	234	14	16.71	6/34	1	-
