



SLEAFORD CRICKET CLUB

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Chairman's Report 2020

2020 is a year that will be remembered for the Coronavirus pandemic and all the problems it caused. I am very pleased with the way the club managed the various issues.

On field, we managed a shortened season for Men's cricket, Junior cricket and Women's softball, following ECB guidelines. Well done to all the captains and organisers involved. We also held training and coaching for all age groups. Special thanks should go to Andy Hibberd for all his advice to ensure we complied with ECB Covid guidance. Off the field, the clubhouse opened when possible, following Government guidelines, and managed to operate profitably. My thanks go to bar staff and volunteers.

We have taken the opportunity that Covid has provided to make some much-needed improvements to the club and grounds. Money has been spent on the driveway, decorating the clubhouse, cladding the clocktower, purchasing a mobile net, table and bench sets, block paving the patio and we have had extra work done on the square. I would like to thank Simon Godby for all the time and effort he has put into the ground this year. Also, thank you to Dierdre Bush for the accounts, and as ever, thank you to all the Committee and volunteers for their hard work and dedication.

Gavin Hutson
Chairman