WIECL Audrey Burley 10x10 Plate Final

22nd August 2018

Worcester Police CC v Bewdley Great Western "A" CC

Ombersley Cricket Club

Bewdley Gt West A win by 6 wickets

It's been a while since I officiated at a ten ten but the whole match brought a smile to my face. Cricket played in the true spirit of village cricket. Bags of encouragement; laughter, all positives. What a truly positive occasion all done and dusted within 2 hours, time for a pint, sausage and chips and home before the soaps had finished. Perfect!!

Both teams were early with only the odd late comer as Police, having won the toss, took to the field accompanied by the drumming of the bypass traffic.

Although the teams were stretched in the bowling department GW held the Police to 91 for 3 with a couple of retirements. A notable over came from young Ollie, 1 for 1 from the six balls, with Matt Thwaites offering encouragement to each and every corner.

In reply GW started at a pace adding a couple of sixes for good measure. A couple of retiring batsmen and a couple of wickets and pressure slowed things dramatically. The total was tamed with 8 balls to spare.

The presentation was held in the bar, whilst feasting. For his batting, bowling and coaching contribution Phil Nicholson of Police was awarded man of the match

Police 91 for 5 off 10 overs

GW 94 for 4 off 8.4 overs