

It was another great week of cricket for Sudbury this weekend, but what wasn't so great was the weather, as storm Hannah made sure there was some testing conditions for our cricketers.

The ones were without last weekend's hundred maker Tom Huggins and Ben Parker. The game is normally 50 overs per side but due to the rain the game was reduced to a 31 over game.

When the game finally started at 2:30pm we didn't get off to the best of starts by being 31-3 off 10 overs with all the top three being removed.

However, new signing Ryan Vickery (54) scored his first EAPL half century for the club. Vickery was aided by Ben Reece (46*) as their partnership of 69 helped lead us to a defendable score.

We finished with a score of 155-8 and got the defence off in the best possible way as Henry Shipley took a wicket in his first over.

Kenny Moulton-Day took two superb catches one coming off Shipley and another of the bowling of Jonny Gallagher.

The first team won the game in the last over winning by 15 making it two from two.

The twos needed to forget last week's performance and that they did. Captain Dale Brett kept his 100% record of losing the toss and was asked to bat first.

The seconds also got off to a good start with Pete Siegert taking 10 runs of the first over. Siegert didn't stop there as he went on to score a fine 72 a real welcome return to form for the veteran.

The fine batting continued down the order as contributions were made from Dale Brett (41) and Steve Witham (30). The twos managed to score 232-9 from their allotted 45 overs.

In reply, the spin twins Ben Hyett (4-58) and Andy Simmons (5-53) were the only two to take wickets. At the 30 over mark it looked as if Sudbury were going to win the game with ease. However, Kelvedon's batsman Nunn scored a fine century and brought his team right back into the game.

The seconds were able to win the game by 3 runs and took 19 points from the game.

On Sunday, the first team faced off against local team Chappel and Wakes Colne. Sudbury opted to bat first and scored a mammoth 304 from 40 overs with Cameron Stace scoring his first century of the season and Andy Holness scoring a fine 64 before retiring.

In reply, opening Bowlers Ben Duncan and Lucy Amos bowled tight lines and didn't give the opposition any free shots. Amos took three wickets and Duncan two.

Chappel and Wakes Colne finished up on 130. The game was played in high spirits and as the Sunday team has entered a league this year the two teams will meet again but next time will be as a league game.

There's plenty of things happening at the club this season. So keep your eyes peeled for any events taking place.