



England and Wales Cricket Board – Case Study  
Demonstrating Best Practice and Impact within Community Cricket  
Development.

*(Cricket Force 2010)*

**Geographic Details.**

<b>County Cricket Board</b>	Surrey		
<b>County Sports Partnership</b>	Surrey County Board		
<b>District Development Group(s)</b>	Surrey Cricket Development		
<b>Local Education Authority</b>	Surrey Heath		
<b>Project Start Date</b>	20 March 2010		
<b>Project Completion Date</b>	31 March 2010		
<b>Funding Streams</b>	Club raised additional income through winter coaching.		
<b>Location (Inner-city/Urban/Rural)</b>	Rural		
<b>IMD Ranking</b>			
<b>Clubmark Status</b>	<b>Not registered</b>	<b>Registered YES</b>	<b>Accredited Focus Club</b>
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<b>Date</b>	<b>1 April 2010</b>		

**Quantitative and Qualitative Detail.**

**Background.**

Bagshot CC have achieved ClubMark Focus club status through Surrey CCC this year and have a number of short and long term projects on the go. We have 3 adult league sides, 2 Sunday friendly sides as well as 120 colts playing competitive cricket from Under 9s to Under 17s level.

There were up to 30 volunteers over 3 weekends for the essential ground clearing work which included raising money for new covers by recycling the metal from the old ones.

There had been a lot of damage caused by the severe winter and the ground needed tidying up as well as improvements made for the coming season. 2010 will be an important year for the club as it has submitted planning for the development of a 2<sup>nd</sup> ground (on the land adjacent to the existing facility) and will be planning a number of fund raising events to raise money and awareness within the community starting with an event at the ground on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May when Surreys CDO will be making a presentation to club members and dignitaries.

**Aims and Objectives.****GROUND**

Clear fallen tree branches and debris.  
Remove overhanging trees / bushes  
Dismantle existing metal covers (for scrapping / recycling)  
Re-Fix boundary fencing and attach netting.  
Extend patio area around clubhouse.

**PAVILION**

New floor in shower area  
Re-decorating of shower area  
General tidy up of clubhouse with new display board.

**Main achievements to date.**

All of the ground work.  
Shower room work still in progress.

**Main partners involved.**

Tree clearing / Patio – Stephen Theobald Landscapes  
Shower Area work – Angolds Carpets

**Key factors for good practice.**

Essential to plan the work well.  
Liaise with outside contractors to ensure work carried out pre-season.  
Involve all volunteers on the day.  
Publicise the weekend work parties via email & newsletter.

**What is still to be achieved?**

**SHORT TERM** (this year)  
Current facility – ensure well maintained using funds from targeted sources.  
New Facility – fund raising & contact possible funding streams through Local & County Councils  
**LONG TERM**  
Access to major funding streams through ECB & Surrey CCC (keep Focus Club status)

**What mechanisms are in place to ensure sustainability?**

All club members are on a database & club captains / coaches keep in regular contact.  
The club has been involved in the last 5 cricket force events successfully maintaining & improving the clubs facilities.

**Monitoring and Evaluation process.**

ClubMark ensures we keep up to date with our 5 year plan.

**Headline Figures and Statistics.**

<b>1</b>	30+ volunteers over 3 weekends
<b>2</b>	All pre season tasks started (2 tasks to complete)
<b>3</b>	On target to ensure all work is completed by 24 April (1 <sup>st</sup> home game)
<b>4</b>	Funds raised through nets & recycling paid for 70% of the required expenditure
<b>5</b>	Cricket Force event visited by Mark ILOTT (ex Essex & England) for publicity

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