Message: From The Manager...

"I have picked the team for the first game against Northants on Saturday the 2nd of June. In my initial message to you all I stated that you were going to make this a) a hard team to pick and b) probably the strongest group of players we have had for many years. I thank all 56 of you for your hard work and commitment, we are also building for the future and all new players should be proud of their performances. I feel Hertfordshire is seeing a new horizon, the future is bright and please don't feel that you are now out if you haven't been picked.

This is the team for the first game and there will be changes which will include more new players as the season progresses.

I expect this game to be hard and have gone, in this instance, for experience but have included three new players and five recalls in the team.

If you have the opportunity to join the team in Northants both for support and encouragement it would be much appreciated."

Phil Clewes-Garner

Middleton Cup Manager