

KCBA archives update report

Report of changes to archive since last committee meeting.

In the KCBA people one more photograph has been added. An article has been added for Bill & Muriel Kember one of the leading Kent couples for many years as Bill sadly passed away last year. In addition, three draft articles have been prepared for future use.

The trophy winners section has all 2019 winners to date added. The National Successes section has also been updated with some 2019 performances. The KCBA history document had had a few more details added for earlier years as well as one item for 2019.

The Tollemache section has also been updated with 2019 final team as well as two more teams from the 1970s being added. Unfortunately, we have had no success in trying to find out some of the missing earlier teams from the EBU.

An extra section has been added to the archive named “KCBA officers” which lists Kent president, chairman etc since 1938. Unfortunately, there are still some missing details, especially in earlier years.

There are now a dozen sections in the archive covering many different elements of our history over the last 80 years or so.

A start has been made to identify the team members of the winning Corbett Cup teams, so far about half of the teams in the last 40 years have been found. No details have yet been added to the website.

The number of hits for KCBA archive on the website over the last few months has been nearing 1,000 per month. The most popular at present are “trophy winners” & “KCBA people” which average just over 5 hits each per day.

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