

28th April 2019

Hadleigh & Thundersley CC, Essex - 1st XI v Shenfield CC - 1st XI

Defeat in 1st National Cup game

157 was never going to be enough against Hadleigh & Thundersley at John Burrows Park.

Losing the toss, we were put in to bat and after a quickfire start went from 29-1 to 54-6 before 15 overs had been bowled. Shaun Eaton and Alex Kowoski steadied the ship and put on 52 runs before Alex was adjudged to be lbw. Shaun was the last wicket to fall hitting a respectable 63.

The home side built steady partnerships until victory was almost achieved. Losing 4-28 left them chasing another 20 runs and raised our hopes of a collapse, but they reached their target with nearly five overs to spare.

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