

Michael Wright, our President, passed away suddenly on 30th April 2017, age 76.

Michael had been at the club since he was 8 years old; as a spectator, then scorer until he was old enough to play and went on to captain both the Saturday and Sunday 1st XIs. League Delegate and Ground Manager were other roles he took on many years ago and continued in those roles until he passed away. He returned to scoring when he gave up playing. He was voted in as Club President in 2008.

1976 Sat 1st XI. Michael is the one in the white hat.



1976 Sat 1st XI. Michael is holding the Argos Cup.



1974 Sat 1st XI. Michael is third from left in back row.



1972 Sunday 1st XI. Michael is far left in front row.



1987 Marrant League 2nd XI Winners. Michael is the one in the white hat.



1981 John Lever Benefit Match. Michael skippered the match v Essex.



The 1st XI Shenfield Squad in 1979. Michael is 2nd left, front row.



August 2008, Michael enjoying a pint!



Michael presenting a Jack Petchey Award in 2012.



Michael Wright our President, Ground Manager, League Delegate and 1st XI Scorer received an award in 2013 from the ECCB as the County winner in the Lifetime Achiever category. His award was presented to him by David Acfield, former first class player, now Chairman of the ECCB (Essex County Cricket Board) at a ceremony at the County Ground.

Shame we can't see the plaque in front of the certificate because it is transparent!

Michael had been at Shenfield CC for over 60 years, starting as scorer, (resuming that job when he stopped playing) and has, for decades, been Ground Manager and League Delegate. He played for very many years and was 1st XI Captain for a while, but it his work behind the scenes which merited the award. He was also invited to Lords for the NatWest OSCAs.

