



## **Grace's Cricket Club**

### **Match Report**

#### **The Greys CC v Grace's CC**

**21<sup>st</sup> June 2009 – Patcham Place, Brighton**

The Greys 195 for 7 wickets in 40 overs. Grace's 159 all out in 37 overs. The Greys won by 36 runs.

Grace's travelled on tour to Brighton and took on local team The Grey's CC at the picturesque Patcham Place ground. The Greys won the toss and elected to bat in dry, warm conditions. Their opening batsmen Brasner (57) and Line (40) put on an impressive 107 for the first wicket to give the home side a solid start. Grace's left arm spinner Modi then came on and removed both openers in his first over. But The Greys were able to re-build their innings, and posted a challenging total of 195 on a pitch that was offering some uneven bounce to the bowlers. Mendis was Grace's most effective bowler returning figures of 3-19 from his eight over spell.

Grace's made a creditable effort at chasing down The Greys' total, with solid contributions coming from Mendis (27) skipper Gordon Shorrocks (27) and Skyner (21). Silva top scored for Grace's with a commanding 43 and he looked to be guiding Grace's to victory before being clean bowled. The Greys bowler Greaves then came into the attack and swung the match in the home side's favour taking 4-17 in just three overs. The lower order crumbled and from a promising position Grace's eventually fell 36 runs short of victory.