

# St Helen's Balconiers

## Standing Order Instruction

### Bank Details

Bank Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Account Details

Account Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account No: \_\_\_\_\_ Sort Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Account Holding Branch: \_\_\_\_\_

### Confirmation

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of 1st Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### Payee Details

Name: **St Helen's Balconiers**

Sort Code: **30-95-14** Account No: **00519064**

Member Ref: (POSTCODE/SURNAME) \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: **£5.00**

Annually: **Yes**

Please return this form (completed on both sides) to:  
John Williams, c/o St Helen's Balconiers, 41 Sketty Park Road  
Sketty, Swansea SA2 9AS

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# St Helen's Balconiers



**President: Alan Jones MBE**

### Principal Officers 2019

John Williams (Chairman)

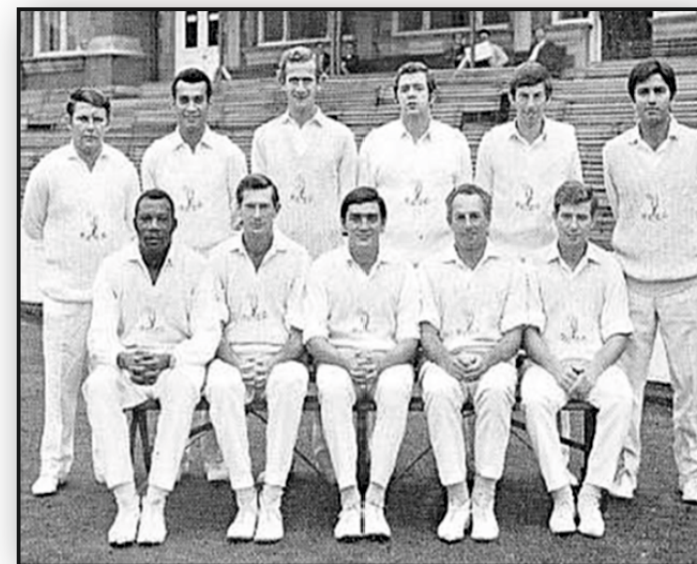
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**1969 CHAMPIONSHIP SQUAD**

(Picture courtesy of Glamorgan Cricket Archives)

*Standing L-R Eifion Jones, Brian. Davis, Malcolm Nash, Lawrence Williams,  
Roger Davis, Majid Khan*

*Seated L-R Tony Cordle, Peter Walker, Tony Lewis [Capt] Don Shepherd,  
Alan Jones*

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## Balconiers Facts and Figures

- The **Balconiers' Society** was founded in 1972 and celebrated its 40th Anniversary in 2012. It is probably the only County Supporters Club that organises stay-away trips, on a regular basis, for its members under the banner of *Daffodil Cricket Tours* for the best part of 44 years.
- The **Society** organises an annual Glamorgan Players Presentation Awards Dinner when members and sponsors are invited along to meet and present **Awards** to the successful players on the **Balconiers** behalf.
- Over the years the Society has provided financial assistance to many young cricketers, which has enabled them to develop their cricketing skills abroad.
- Since 1998 the Society has taken total responsibility for organising the *Swansea and West Wales Cricket Festival* held at St Helen's.
- While we as a Society are proud of the fact that Glamorgan has developed an International Cricket Arena in Cardiff, which has brought Test Cricket to Wales, we are still steadfast in our belief that in order for the game to prosper in Wales we must ensure that Festival Cricket continues to be played in West Wales, at St Helen's, and other out-grounds venues.
- The Society is very much indebted to the business community of South and West Wales for their invaluable support that has enabled us to raise in excess of £400k in the past 20 years. This has become an inducement to Glamorgan to continue to allocate Festival cricket fixtures to Swansea.
- An institution at St Helen's is the Beer and Tea Bar, known to everyone as *Fred's Shed*, which is run by the Balconiers' voluntary committee plus friends providing a standard of service and quality of food and drink at reasonable prices that is the envy of most other grounds.
- From its infancy the **Balconiers** have given both practical and financial support to all Glamorgan players' Benefits and Testimonials.
- Finally, the Society regularly spends money pre-season on improving the facilities at St Helen's before the *Festival*. In 2013 the Balconiers' contributed £10K towards the re-furbishment and extension of the St Helen's changing rooms.

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## Membership Form

*Including Standing Order Instructions*

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Forename: \_\_\_\_\_

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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