
Cricket Collectibles Pull-out

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OWN UMPIRE!**

This week:
stackable hats



**CHANCE TO SHINE
BRINGS CRICKET TO
YOUR SCHOOL PG.2**



**WORLD'S LARGEST
CRICKET BAT PG.45**



**NEWS FROM OUR
COUNTY TO YOUR
FRONT DOOR**

INVICTA TIMES

Invicta Goes Missing!



Invicta, signing autographs last summer

A similar mystery to the hunt for the Loch Ness Monster, the search is on to find a missing 5ft horse – the mascot of Kent Cricket.

The mascot was last seen on Tuesday wandering past The Spitfire Ground in Canterbury wearing a Kent scarf, around an hour before Kent were due to play Surrey on 6th June.

But when the horse, whose home for the past three years has been behind the Frank Woolley Stand at the Canterbury ground, failed to return, staff began fearing for their safety.

While police made inquiries with Kent Cricket's Ground Team, Ashford International Station and the ferry ports, there has still been no sign of Kent Cricket's lucky mascot.

The star's owner, Zak Billings, is appealing to anyone who might have the horse – who is also described as being white with a red mane and tail, quite dazzling and “a bit erratic” – to show them the way to Canterbury station for their train to Hampshire for the next match.

“I'm so worried,” said Zak, who has looked after the horse for the past three years.

“He was sitting on our reception desk on Tuesday morning giving our visitors a warm Kentish welcome. “He comes out for every Kent cricket game home and away and is very excited about the County Championship this year. On Tuesday, they were sitting there just minding their own business, but now they seem to have disappeared. “The last time they were seen was at 11.36am on Tuesday leaving the ground. We have also spotted them on CCTV wandering down the Old Dover Road talking to locals – they're a very friendly horse who loves to talk about cricket.

“They have been quite happy in a den behind the Frank Woolley Stand for the past three years. My staff are now getting concerned for them as they normally find their way back, and they need to get their food and water so that they're ready for the County Championship and the Women's County Championship.”

Zak hopes that anyone who may have seen the horse on the Old Dover Road or bumped into them later on in the evening will return them.

“We will arrange to pick him up any where in Europe,” he said.

“I'm sure we'd be able to do something for whoever brings them back.”

Anyone with information should contact Kent Cricket at macotmystery@kentcricket.co.uk

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Worksheet: Mascot Mystery Comprehension

Read the 'All-Stars Mascot Mystery' article and answer the questions below:

1. How tall is the missing horse? What colour are they?

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2. What were they doing before they went missing?

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3. Where and when was he last seen?

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4. Where does he live? How long has he been living there?

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C) Create a Poster asking for help

5. Where have the police made inquiries?

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6. What is his owner called?

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7. What time were they last spotted?

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8. What does he love to talk about?

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9. Why is it so important that he is found?

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10. Who should you contact if you find him?

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D) Act out Invicta's day