



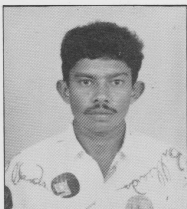
Established in 1988



## MILAN CRICKET CLUB



VS: SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB  
Date: 5th March 1990  
Venue: Galolhu National Stadium



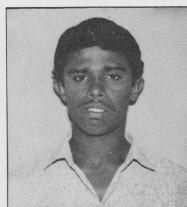
**Farhath Jaleel.**  
R.H. Medium. R.H.B.  
Captain MCC.

Known as 'Rambo' in cricket circles. Rather dangerous but talented all-rounder. Serious 'run getter'. Plays soccer too. Is a shooter in the forward line.



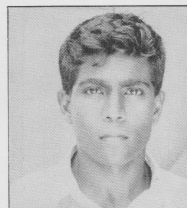
**Ahmed Kaleem.**  
R.H. Medium/Slow R.H.B.  
Vice Captain MCC

Learnt most of his cricket tricks in Sri Lanka Talks about Madugalle, the former Sri Lanka Cricket-Captain. A man for all seasons. Get rather upset if out for a 'duck' on rare occasions - may even pull out the grass, so be careful!



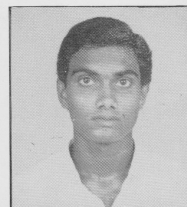
**Ibrahim Riyaz.**  
R.H. Medium R.H.B.

Seems he is born for cricket. Has achieved a lot for his age, but still unsure when to score a ton. Cannot miss him when he bowls with his peculiar buttocks movement.



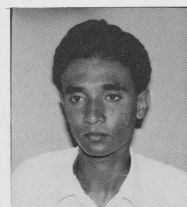
**Thoyyib Mohamed**  
R.H.B.

Oh, god! lucky its played in the day time. Opener of the side. A fluent mover in the covers. Good hooker both in and out of the field.



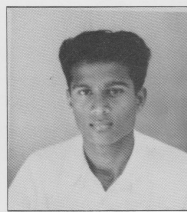
**Mohamed Mihad**  
R.H.B.

Could shine still more if not for other interests in life occasionally. Seen at the mid off/on. Throws the ball always at 10 mph, a good example for others to follow. Looks like Azharudheen but hates him.



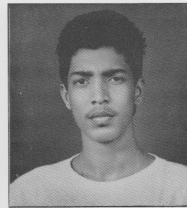
**Ibrahim Hussein**  
R.H.Slow. R.H.B.

Aggressive stroke-maker. Can easily send the ball to any directions, causing distress to the fielders. Talented opener, when needed. Other than cricket a reliable 'honey' keeper.



**Ahmed Amir**  
R.H.Slow R.H.B.

Amir brings new inventions to the art of slow bowling. Can bowl precisely to the same point changing the mood of the batsman. Even as a tail-ender sure to play his part in style.



**Afaan**  
R.H. Slow R.H.B.

Catching up the habits of Maldivians. Young and talented cricketer from Zahira College, Sri Lanka. Excellent fielder imitating the well-known Sri Lankan Test Cricketer, Maharama Dreams to play first class cricket in Maldives.

#### Milan..... our beginning.....

From a modest begining in 1988 a handful of youth fresh from school brought Milan Cricket Club into existence. Our long cherished dream came true with the magnanimous support of Mr. Hussain Afeef, a respect, energetic and enthusiastic cricketer who had dominated the field for over twenty long years.

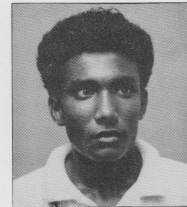
Even our first year was rewarded with great success. Excellent team-work and a brilliant performance led us to win the 8th and 9th National Limited Over Tournament. We emerged as the joint champions in the National Cricket Tournament in 1988 and 1989, playing against the well experienced Victory Sports Club.

The emergence of 'Milan' changed the whole cricket scene in Maldives, encouraging more youngsters to play the game. Though still in our initial stages we have high hopes of contributing much to this great game in the future.



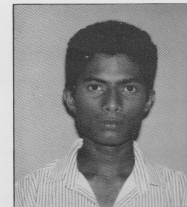
Hussain Afeef, Milan's Responsible Member

Hassan Shameem- A young cricketer fresh from school. But not available for the match.



**Ahmed Shahid**  
L.H. Medium L.H.B.

Rare in the cricket scene specially in Maldives. The 'one and only' in recent history goes with Allan Border, David Gower, Chris Broad, Wasim Akram, the great cricketers. A hard hitter and his recent performances has put an end to the long believed ~~might~~ myth that 'left handers' are of no use.



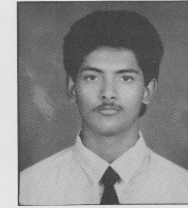
**Shamin Habeeb**  
R.H.Slow R.H.B.

He holds his bat but not his tongue! Dedicated to the game and likes it specially when the mat is wet.



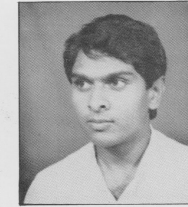
**Ibrahim Asim**  
R.H.B. Keeper

Youngest member of the side. Fresh from school. Could move in all directions behind the wicket. This is his debut in the field of club cricket. Shown well during his school career.



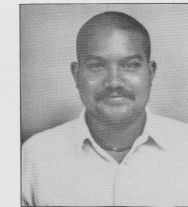
**Geethi Darmachandra**  
R.H.B.

Flown specially from Sri Lanka. Has confidence in batting. Played twice for school teams. Received school cricket's best batsman award twice.



**Ahmed Nasheed**  
R.H.B.

A man of style, though short, a reliable keeper. Never seen now a days because of bussiness involvements.



**Hussain Shareef**  
R.H.B

An experienced and talented player kept wickets for the first two years. Talented diver who 'switched off' and are doing research to introduce under-water cricket.



**Ahmed Hassan Didi**  
Manager

Always with the cricket administration since school age. Interested in the game but never gets a chance to improve it. Gets a kick out of helping and encouraging others. First scorer of cricket's new era and a sharp eyed umpire.



**Ibrahim Nooradheen**

Offical-Master-in-charge. An experienced and talented cricketer and is the great supporter behind the scene. Has experience of playing the game both in Sri Lanka and 'Down Under' Represented Maldives on several occasions a soccer star too and captained the first National Football Team.