

SPENCER CRICKET CLUB



Club announces partners for 2017 Douglas & Gordon renew, Qualitas sign up AJ Sports become kit supplier Free playing shirt for each member

Spencer Cricket Club is delighted to announce its sponsor partners for 2017. **Douglas & Gordon** have renewed their title sponsorship for a further three years, having just completed their initial three year deal. James Evans, CEO of Douglas & Gordon said: *"We are delighted to be continuing our relationship with Spencer Cricket. Supporting local organisations within our areas has always been important to Douglas & Gordon and we hope that our long term commitment will assist in the strengthening of the club."*

The Club is also pleased to announce that **Qualitas Construction** has signed up as a Club corporate sponsor, also for a three year term. For the past decade and more, they have become increasingly visible throughout the locality providing premium quality extensions and home refurbishments in south west London. Business partners Nick Woodworth and Jonathan Woodcock are both cricket fans and themselves parents of young cricketers: *"We're happy to be joining Spencer Cricket as a partner and pleased to be able to play our part in the ongoing development of the club."*

Spencer Cricket is also able to announce that they have appointed local retailer **AJ Sports** as official kit supplier, extending their previous deal as official equipment provider. They will provide a full range of playing and training gear which will be available online and for the first time, locally in their Broomwood Road store. Kit will also be available to purchase at Sunday morning training sessions at the club. Ali Jafri said: *'It is great for AJ Sports to strengthen our partnership with Spencer. As a family business it is fitting to be supporting a family orientated club'*

In recognition of the support given by all three partners, the Club is able to announce that for 2017, every member will be given a free new Spencer playing shirt. Club Chairman Neil Harrison said: *'We are extremely grateful to be able to secure this support from our sponsor partners. Since Douglas & Gordon joined us in 2014, the Club has taken great strides forward and with Qualitas and AJ Sports joining them for 2017, we are equally ambitious for the future. With Spencer being such a big club, one of the best ways to ensure we all feel part of the same Club is to have everyone playing in the same shirt. Thanks to our sponsors, we can make this happen.'*

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Douglas & Gordon has been operating in London since 1958 and are well known as independent estate agents in the city. They offer a comprehensive range of services including residential sales and lettings, professional valuations, property management, corporate & relocation services and asset management.

Nick Woodworth launched **Qualitas Construction** in 2005, with a vision to provide premium quality extensions and refurbishments in south west London alongside Jonathan Woodcock, an experienced architect. They have now built a reputation as South West London's leading residential construction firms. Qualitas was the first firm to provide architectural design and building services under one roof, providing a practical, flexible and cost-effective solution for clients.

AJ Sports were established in 1987 and are an international company with offices and stores in the UK, the Middle East and Pakistan. Their Broomwood Road store was opened in 2015 and has become a popular local destination for local Rugby and Hockey players as well as Cricket. Abid Jafri helped the Spencer 2nd team win their Premiership last season with brother Hussain captaining the 4th XI to their Premiership title. They are also the kit suppliers to the Pakistan Test team.