



GCB Press Release
Pepsi ICC World Cricket League Division Six
Guernsey – 212 all out from 49.2 overs (Jeremy Frith 82, Lee Savident 29)
Fiji – 200 all from 48.4 overs (Jamie Nussbaumer 5 for 35)

GUERNSEY ensured that they are just one victory away from promotion in the Pepsi ICC World Cricket League when they defeated Kuwait in a close-fought match today. The Greens won the Division Six game by 12 runs at the Bayuemas Oval, Kuala Lumpur.

After batting first, they mustered 212.

Jeremy Frith top scored with 82– his third score in the 80s on the trot.

But his fellow batsmen kept finding ways to get themselves out so that their total was not the testing score that they would have been hoping for.

In reply, Kuwait were 102 for 1 and cruising to victory.

But an inspired spell of from Jamie Nussbaumer saw the Sarnians claim the tense encounter by 12 runs.

The fast bowler returned figures of 10-1-35-5 to ensure he won the man-of-the-match award.

‘We felt that we didn’t bat as well as we could have done and we were probably 25 runs short of where we wanted to be’, said island manager Peter Vidamour.

‘But the boys as always fought really hard and squeezed the opposition out with some good bowling and some excellent fielding.’

Guernsey now play Nigeria tomorrow.

A win will see them promoted to Division Five a another step towards qualification for the World Cup.

Notes:

For a full scorecard:

http://icc-cricket.yahoo.net/match_zone/scorecard.php?type=C&matchId=41952

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