



New U/10 Players need to be aware of the following Information

The Pre-Christmas Season

The 1st match of the season will occur on Saturday, 10th October, 2009
The LAST match will be Saturday, 5th December, 2009

Contact Point for further Information

Under 10's Co-ordinator 2009/10:

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Please note: Finalisation of teams occurs in the fortnight before the start of the season

Training

One afternoon a week, usually b/w 4:00 – 6:00pm, at a local ground determined by the Coach/Manager of the team once they have been appointed.

Team Parent Roles

At least two parents of the team will need to fill the positions of Coach and Manager. Their responsibilities will be discussed at a pre-season meeting.

On Match Day (Saturday)

- The match will run between 8:00am and 12:00noon on each Saturday morning.
- A match is completed in one morning, with 30 x 6 Ball Overs per team.
- A parent is required to help Umpire, a 2nd parent is required to do Scoring and a 3rd parent is required to organize the players during the game. These roles should be shared among all parents of the team, to spread the burden and ensure the kids enjoy their cricket experience.

The following gear is required for wearing on Saturdays and will need to be bought by the player's family

- A pair of White Pants (Shorts or Longs)
- A White Shirt (Polo or similar)
- A Genital Protector (Box) – also available in Club Kit
- A pair of light coloured, covered footwear
- A white cricket hat with a broad brim all around
(May be available from the club each season at a reasonable price)
- Sunscreen
- Club cap (Supplied to each player when they first join the club)

Other things to remember

- The players should bring at least 2 drink bottles
- Hopefully, toilet facilities will be available
- The players will be issued with a club badge to be sewn onto their white shirt
- The players will bring their club cap
- Bats, Gloves, Pads, Boxes and Match Ball are supplied in the team kit.

Match Structure

- The pitch is shortened to 18 metres
- Batting and Bowling is from the same end for the whole match
- The Batting Order will be rotated at least 2 positions each week, to ensure all players experience batting as an Opener, Middle Order and a Tailender.
- The starting Bowling Order will be rotated each week with each player, on match day, bowling 2-3 overs during the game.
- The field rotates at the end of each over allowing players to experience many possible fielding positions. This also allows a new bowler to bowl each over.
- 2-3 boys will have the opportunity to wicket keep each week, changing at 10-15 over intervals.