# GRAMMAR HAWKS CRICKET CLUB Cricket Registration

Dear Parents and Players,

The 2023-24 cricket season is fast approaching and we are currently taking nominations from students interested in playing cricket for Grammar Hawks Cricket Club this season. We have programs to suit students from PP through to Year 12 and both boys and girls.

BCGS has an expectation that all students that wish to play in the Bunbury and District Junior Cricket Association play for the Grammar teams and not for one of the other clubs in the competition. Students living outside the Bunbury area are able to play for teams in their home Associations (ie Busselton) if they wish to do so. We have two levels of cricket, explained below

- > Woolworths CRICKET BLAST (Years PP to Year 5)
- > CLUB CRICKET (Years 4 AND UP)

## **Woolworths CRICKET BLAST**

### What is it?

Cricket Blast incorporates students new to cricket with participants building their skills through fun, game based activities and students have progressed in their skills and can play modified games of cricket. All equipment is provided.

# When is it?

This year we will be running the Cricket Blast Program at school from 3.45pm to 4.45pm, on Wednesdays. This will be held at Palmer Oval and will run over Term 4 and Term 1, 2023. Cricket Blasters may have an opportunity to play matches against other Cricket Blaster centers during the season.

# How to Register?

To register for this program please visit

https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/728189

Parents will need to pay the registration fee of \$99 at the time of registering. Included in this fee is a Participant pack.

# **CLUB CRICKET**

### What is it?

Club cricket is run by the Bunbury and Districts Cricket Association. Club cricket is played as a Year based competition. This means that students will play in their own school Year. The naming of the grade reflects the school Year the player will be in AT THE END OF THE SEASON (2024). The BDJCA is aiming to run competitions in Year 6, 7, 8, 9/10 and 11/12. A softer 'incrediball' is used in Years 5 and 6 whilst a hard ball is used in all older competitions.

### When is it?

These competitions are played on Saturday. There may also be some Friday night T20 matches for some grades. A mid-week training session will be held for all teams and that will be determined by the coach.

# How to Register?

### How much?

Years 5 and 6 (Years 3 to 5 2023) \$116 Years 7 and 8 (Years 6 to 7 2023) \$166 Years 9/10 and 11/12 (Years 8 to 11 2023) \$181

Parents will need to pay the fee via credit card when registering their child.

### **PARENT ASSISTANCE**

To ensure an enjoyable and organised cricket season each team requires parent assistance. We will need some parents to coach and/or assist the coaching of teams during the week and on the weekend as well as parents to assist with scoring during the season. If you are able to help out please email **cricket@bcgs.wa.edu.au** 

# **EQUIPMENT**

Equipment can be provided for students playing with Grammar especially in the younger age groups. We would encourage players to organise their own gear including a protective box and batting gloves at a minimum. We also encourage older players to have all their own equipment. Protective sunscreen and a suitable drink container are also required for training and games.

### **UNIFORMS**

We provide all players with a playing shirt for the season which is returned at the end of the season. Players can also order a pair of Grammar playing pants as well. All players must wear either a Grammar Cap or Hat when they play. We are again offering the opportunity for students to purchase a cap or a floppy hat. Pants, caps and hats can be ordered by emailing <a href="mailto:cricket@bcgs.wa.edu.au">cricket@bcgs.wa.edu.au</a> and charges will be added to your School account.

# **FACEBOOK PAGE**

Information regarding Grammar Hawks Cricket Club can also be found on our Facebook page. Request access here: Facebook page

I hope all parents and players have an enjoyable cricket season.

If you have any concerns, or questions, then please contact: <a href="mailto:cricket@bcgs.wa.edu.au">cricket@bcgs.wa.edu.au</a>

Yours sincerely,

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