



# JUNIOR REGISTRATION INFORMATION

SEASON 2023/2024



## Junior Registration 2023/24

The Glen Iris Cricket Club invites all players and families to register for the upcoming 2023/24 season. Registration will be opening on the 5 July 2023.

## Club Philosophy

As a community club our philosophy is simple, junior cricket is all about:

- Creating a positive & encouraging environment.
- Players to learn and develop their cricket and life skills.
- Enjoying the game of cricket and making new friends.
- Place sportsmanship above winning at all costs.

## Junior Program

GICC will be running the following programs and fielding teams in the following age divisions in season 2023/24:

- Woolworths Junior and Master Blasters Friday night.
- U10 ECA Sunday morning
- U11 ISEC Sunday morning
- U12 ECA Saturday morning
- U13 ISEC Friday night/Sunday morning
- U14 ECA Friday night
- U15 ISEC Sunday morning turf
- U16 ECA Friday night

## Registration Process

This season we're transitioning from the MyCricket platform to the PlayHQ platform, which will provide a more streamlined and user-friendly experience for our GI Family.

With PlayHQ, registering at GICC will be easier and more efficient than ever before. The transition will bring a range of benefits, including:

1. Simplified Registration: PlayHQ offers a user-friendly interface that simplifies the registration process. Members will be guided through each step, making it quick and hassle-free to sign up for the upcoming season.
2. Centralised Player Profiles: PlayHQ allows for centralised player profiles, meaning that members can easily manage their personal details, track their progress, and access their cricketing history all in one place.
3. Enhanced Communication: The new platform will facilitate improved communication between the club, coaches, and players. Important announcements, match schedules, and other updates can be easily shared through PlayHQ, ensuring everyone stays informed and engaged.
4. Flexible Payment Options: PlayHQ offers a variety of payment options, making it convenient for members to pay their registration fees. From credit cards to direct bank transfers, the platform provides flexibility and ease of transaction.
5. Mobile Accessibility: PlayHQ is designed with mobile compatibility in mind. Members can access their accounts and receive notifications through the PlayHQ mobile app, providing convenience and ensuring you can stay connected on the go.

While the registration process will be streamlined, there may be some changes to the scoring platform. We will provide details as they come to hand.

Please note that this season there is a Cricket Australia insurance and platform fee that is charged by the platform of \$16.00.

## Season Subscriptions

The Club has determined that the following fees are applicable for the current season.

Please note that all players will be required to proudly wear a GICC playing shirt and cap when representing the Club (with white pants).

Program	Total
Junior/Master Blasters	\$125
Junior fees	\$295 plus \$16.00 Insurance
Junior fees – Early Bird	\$275 plus \$16.00 Insurance
Junior shirt	\$45
Junior cap	\$20
Multi child discount (each)	15% Discount

## Grounds

The ground locations for season 2023/24 are:

**Training:**

- [Eric Raven Reserve](#) – Primary location
- [Lewin Reserve](#)
- Centre wicket at [Dorothy Laver East \(Saxby\)](#) as required

**Match day:**

- Blasters – [Eric Raven Reserve](#)
- U10 – [Lewin Reserve](#) and [Howard Dawson](#)
- U11 – [Lewin Reserve](#) and [Howard Dawson](#)
- U12 – [Lewin Reserve](#) and [Dorothy Laver East \(Saxby\)](#)
- U13 – [Dorothy Laver East \(Saxby\)](#) / [Howard Dawson](#)
- U14 – [Lewin Reserve](#) / [Dorothy Laver East \(Saxby\)](#)
- U15 – [Eric Raven Reserve](#)
- U16 – [Howard Dawson](#)



## “One Club” Approach

GICC takes immense pride in being a premier community-based sporting organisation in inner east suburban Melbourne. A key pillar of our success has been a “One Club” approach.

Senior players are often supporting junior teams and we encourage junior players and their parents/siblings/friends to support senior sides, especially at Eric Raven Reserve on a Saturday afternoon.

## Key Contacts

The key junior Club contacts for season 2023/24 are:

- **Tas Tudor** – Junior Sub-Comm Chair 0439 635 071
- **Geoff Rixon** – 0412 258 172
- **Nigel Suckling** – All Girls Co-Ordinator 0410 221 362
- **Ralston Driberg** – 0419 768 375
- **Ryan Green** – 0403 460 719

Other club contacts are:

- **Jim Parry** – Club President
- **Bill Heath** – Club Secretary
- **Joel Silver** – Club Treasurer
- **Lucas Skelton** – Club Coach 0401 876 258

**Primary communications to [giccjuniors@gmail.com](mailto:giccjuniors@gmail.com)**

## Pre-season 2023/24

Pre-season training will be beginning for the U12's and up on Wednesday 16h August - 5 pm to 6 pm @ Hawthorn indoor.

Other training will hopefully have a run before the school holidays, but the main sessions will start when back from the school holidays. Training nights will be determined closer to the season start, working in with the coach's schedule.

## Club Communication

Another key pillar is the Club has a communication policy that lets every player and supporter be actively involved at GICC.

GICC has many volunteers, and we are lucky enough to have a Club photographer. These are great moments for the Club and the individual players to capture live shots. Please notify Phil at the games if you **do not** wish for your child to be photographed. The Club has incorporated the [Image Consent and Release Form](#) developed by Cricket Australia.

Notwithstanding, we will also respect any requests for removal off any mailing or communication lists.

The Club has a leading social media platform for local cricket and is always after new ideas and content for its social media / website. Please feel free to share any ideas with a member of the committee.

## Medical Information

If your child has any medical issues, you feel we should know about, please check the Medical History Box, and enter the details in the box provided. Also, once team allocations are completed, **please notify the team manager and coach.**

## Policies and Procedures / Safeguarding Children

The Club in recent seasons has spent time developing policies and procedures that will place the Club in an exceptional position to meet its Club goals. Please read the following pages closely and discuss them with your child.

The Club has also endorsed Cricket Australia's child safety guidelines. For more information please see:

[Cricket Australia's Safeguarding Kids](#)

We encourage feedback on our policies as we look to continually improve as a Club.

Please see the applicable consent forms at the end of this document.

## Livestreaming / Frogbox

While unlikely, there may be junior games that are broadcast via the Frogbox platform. These games stream live games over YouTube and the Frogbox platform. Information include player names, images, scores and highlights of the game. The platform is a fun and engaging piece of technology. Junior players that play in senior games are highly likely to have games now broadcast on the platform.

Notwithstanding this, the club takes its safeguarding children policies seriously and will obtain consent before the season for any game to be broadcast (whether live or in delay).

The Club has incorporated the [Livestreaming Consent & Release Form](#) developed by Cricket Australia.

Please see the applicable forms at the end of this document.



## Junior Policies and Procedures

Welcome to the Glen Iris Cricket Club (GICC). As a community club our philosophy is simple, junior cricket is all about:

- Creating a positive & encouraging environment
- Players to learn and develop their cricket skills
- Enjoying the game of cricket
- Place sportsmanship above winning at all costs.

## Objectives for Officials

To help achieve the Club's objectives officials shall in their best endeavours:

- Nurture and develop individual potential to its fullest
- Nurture and develop team potential to its fullest
- Enjoyment and encouragement should be the guiding principle
- Always give constructive and positive advice aimed at informing how to play better, not dwelling on mistakes
- Improve by training with emphasis on variation, individual and team skills, fitness and achievement
- Teach players how to win and lose gracefully and the importance of accepting the umpire's decisions
- Give equal time and coaching to all players
- Experienced players should be encouraged to help inexperienced players
- Team improvement stems from the least experienced players.

## Code of Behaviour

The Spirit of Cricket is the pre-amble to the Laws of Cricket. All Glen Iris Cricket Club players, officials and parents are expected to uphold these values. The Spirit of Cricket is:

*Cricket owes much of its appeal and enjoyment to the fact that it should be played not only according to the Laws, but also within the Spirit of Cricket. The major responsibility for ensuring fair play rests with the captains, but extends to all players, match officials and, especially in junior cricket, teachers, coaches and parents.*

- *Respect is central to the Spirit of Cricket.*
- *Respect your captain, team-mates, opponents and the authority of the umpires.*
- *Play hard and play fair.*
- *Accept the umpire's decision.*
- *Create a positive atmosphere by your own conduct and encourage others to do likewise.*
- *Show self-discipline, even when things go against you.*
- *Congratulate the opposition on their successes and enjoy those of your own team.*
- *Thank the officials and your opposition at the end of the match, whatever the result.*

*Cricket is an exciting game that encourages leadership, friendship and teamwork, which brings together people from different nationalities, cultures and religions, especially when played within the Spirit of Cricket.*

## Team Selection Policy

Teams will be selected on a fair and consistent basis providing the opportunity for players to develop their cricket skills in an enjoyable and friendly environment.

The club encourages players to take a positive attitude to joining a new team. Playing the game of cricket creates opportunities for development of the player's game, as a person and the formation of new friendships amongst team-mates and parents.

## Team Allocation and Grading

GICC competes in various competitions (ECA / ISEC). Competitions at U12, through to U16 are graded. GICC will assess a player's ability to participate in a grade respective competition. The aim of grading is to ensure that players play at the correct level for their ability. Playing outside a grade may significantly diminish a player's enjoyment of the game.

The below variables are taken into consideration when the teams are selected. Teams are selected by experienced junior coaches.

- Age
- Attitude
- Pre-season training performance
- Previous seasons attitude, performance and experience
- Previous seasons coach's opinion
- Current seasons coach's opinion
- Age group coordinator's opinion
- Friendship groups in B and C grades. Friendship groups are generally not considered when our A grade teams are selected. In lower grades, the club endeavours to have friends together however this is not always possible due to team numbers

While younger players may assist in filling older teams, GICC has a general policy of selecting players in their correct age group. Ie. If still U12, they must be available for selection in that age group, not just U14 level.

## Turf Cricket

GICC prides itself on being a turf-based cricket Club that provides excellent opportunities for players to extend their cricket on turf.

In season 2022/23, we fielded a Sunday Turf ("father sons" team). This season we will have at least two teams available for a really enjoyable experience.

Please speak to Lucas Skelton or Tas Tudor for fut





## Fair Play Policy

### A Grade Competitions

U14A, U15A, U16A

It is acknowledged that in these grades, players may be batted and bowled in positions that suit a more traditional cricket game. Notwithstanding, coaches will endeavour to give players opportunities to experience different positions with consideration of their ability and the quality of the opposition.

U12A

Coaches will generally attempt give equal opportunities over the course of the year for all the players in the team to experience different batting and bowling positions. Players are to be offered where possible to have different batting positions and opportunities to bowl a minimum of 2 overs in a two-day game and 1 in a one-day game.

A Grade Competitions Finals

Coaches and captains are to encourage participation across all players in finals games, but there is an understanding to playing players in the best positions for the team.

### All Other Grades

All players are to be given a minimum of 2 overs in a 2-day game and 1 over in a one-day game (including finals).

All players should bat, if possible, in the first innings of any game.

Teams should generally use at least 2 wicketkeepers in an innings and provide a minimum of 5 overs to players taking on wicket keeping duties.

Where team numbers exceed 13 on any week, a player may be rostered off, however, no player should be rostered off on more than 1 occasion per season.

## Training

Training is a key component to improving as a cricketer and therefore increase the enjoyment of the game.

Players are expected to train with their team each week unless by arrangement with their coach. Certain behaviours are also expected to make sure the coach can provide quality coaching.

Continual non-attendance at training may influence the coach's selections, decisions and adherence in respect of the Fair Play Policy.

## Grievances & Concerns

If players or parents have any concerns, the following process should be followed (if possible) in the following order:

1. Approach the Team Manager or Coach
2. Age Group Co-Ordinator
3. Junior Committee Chair
4. Club President or Secretary

We strongly encourage this process to be followed as closely as possible.

## Breach of Policies and Procedures

Officials, players and parents are required to uphold the Glen Iris Cricket Club values, policies & the Spirit of Cricket. Poor behaviour will not be tolerated.

The committee and its representatives reserve the right to take disciplinary action as deemed appropriate to the breach. Such action may be:

- Counselling
- Official warnings
- Suspensions
- Removal from team
- Other penalty deemed appropriate

## Parental Assistance

As a parent, please understand that the enjoyment and benefit that your children derive from participating in a club cricket team is very much dependent upon the involvement of parents at both an individual team and club level.

There are many other opportunities to assist, so please consider helping to make your child's team or the club function effectively. Everyone involved is doing so on a voluntary basis and the more people that get involved, the easier it is for all. Examples of areas you could help include, but are not limited to:

- Team Manager
- Assistant Team Manager
- Umpiring
- Scoring
- Committee Member
- Social Activities
- Donation of an award /raffle item
- Assist Junior Coach at training
- Club Sponsorship

The need for parental participation particularly on match days has been emphasised with all parents. Without parental involvement the team cannot exist. Parents should establish a roster that covers duties such as scoring, umpiring, and ground preparation on match days and emailing scores and sending off match reports and recording the statistics after the match. The team manager may appoint a parent permanently to hold down one of these positions.



## Uniform Policy

Last season the club engaged a new clothing supplier. While this meant there will be changes in the design of the playing shirts - families are under NO obligation to upgrade. Again, the Committee has again made new playing shirts and caps as optional as part of our registration package to keep costs for families down where possible.

Please note that all players will be required to proudly wear a GICC playing shirt and cap when representing the Club. Players will also be required to wear white pants, and we recommend getting a white cricket jumper for those cold Melbourne evenings/mornings.

Notwithstanding above, the supplier has given us the option of adding in your child's name onto the playing shirt. This is an exciting addition and will be available as an option as part of the subscription process (tied to the early bird). For this to be ready - **ORDERS MUST BE IN BY 17 AUGUST 2023**.

Note - The name will be their surname, and there will be no choice in number. Registrations received after the Early Bird, will just receive a number on the back of their shirt.

Please see the sizing chart at the end of this document.

## Safety & Protective Clothing Policy

The club supplies all Girls, U10, U11 & U12 teams with kits that include pads and batting gloves. All batsmen in all junior grades will wear a helmet with the appropriate face guard protection at both matches and training.

Wicket Keepers from U10 to U16 will wear a helmet. U15 Wicket Keepers must either wear a helmet or an appropriate mouth guard at both matches and training.

All players must wear a cricket protector (box), this means that boxer shorts cannot be worn for matches, and otherwise the players suffer from slippage. Players must provide their own thigh and arm protectors if they feel they are required.

## SunSmart Policy

The health of our players is a prime concern to GICC. Australia has the highest rate of skin cancer in the world with two out of three people experiencing some form of cancer during their lifetime. Exposure during childhood and teenage years is believed to be the most important period in determining whether you will experience skin cancer during your lifetime. The policy of GICC is to protect players from skin cancer as follows:

- To promote or supply participants with a club shirt with a collar
- Encourage boys to wear sunglasses at suitable times
- Cricket caps and hats to be worn at trainings and on match days
- To promote the use of sunscreen by players at training and on match days
- To continually promote SunSmart policies during the season
- Encourage players to sit in the shade whilst waiting to bat.

## Privacy Policy

The information provided in the registration form shall be used for the administration of GICC and as such may be made available to other members of GICC for that purpose. Player information will also be made available to the Cricket Victoria and/or Cricket Australia (and the applicable software providers) and our affiliated Associations as required. GICC will not sell its mailing list or make player information available to other third parties.

## Links and additional information

Glen Iris Cricket Club Inc  
ABN: 90 316 926 553

Webiste – [www.glenirsscc.com.au](http://www.glenirsscc.com.au)

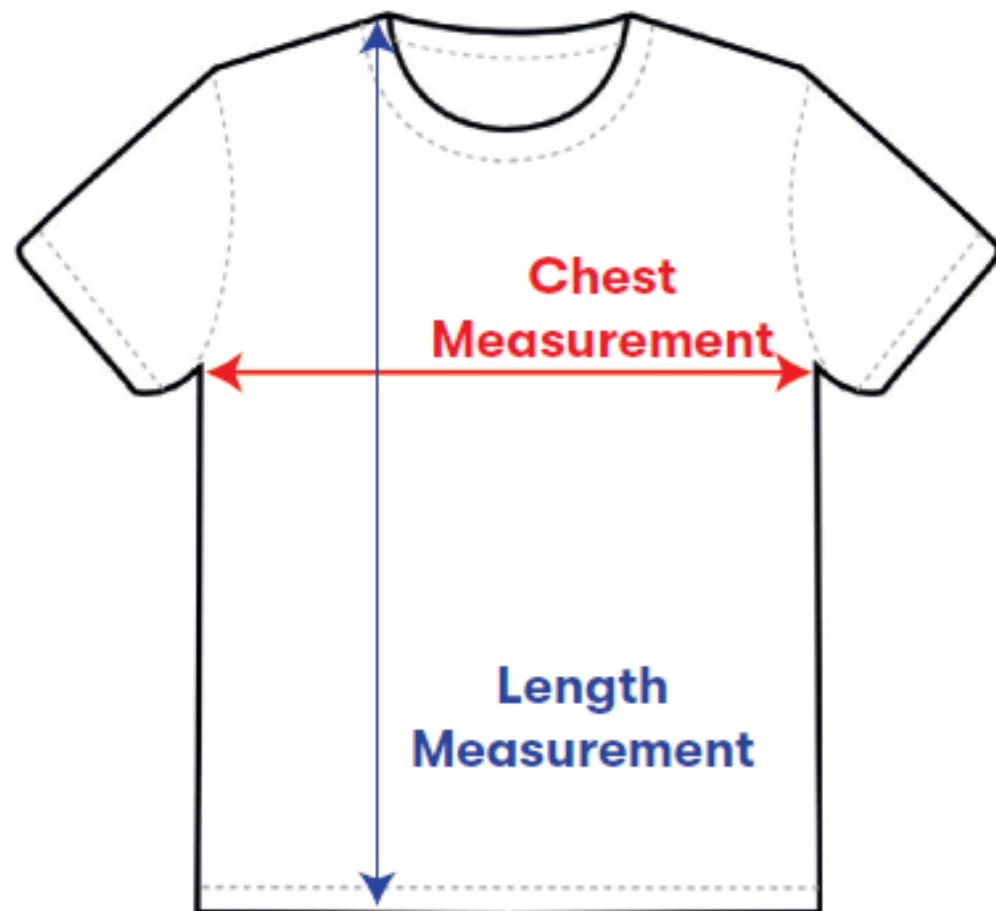
Eastern Cricket Association (ECA) – [www.easterncricket.com](http://www.easterncricket.com)  
Inner South-East Cricket Assoc(ISEC) – [www.isec.vic.cricket.com.au](http://www.isec.vic.cricket.com.au)  
Cricket South Bayside (CSB) – [www.turf.southernbayside.com.au](http://www.turf.southernbayside.com.au)  
Cricket Victoria – [www.cricketvictoria.com.au](http://www.cricketvictoria.com.au)  
Cricket Australia – [www.cricket.com.au](http://www.cricket.com.au)

MyCricket – [www.mycricket.cricket.com.au](http://www.mycricket.cricket.com.au)

Facebook – [@glenirisc](https://www.facebook.com/glenirisc)  
Twitter – [@glenirisc](https://twitter.com/glenirisc)  
Instagram - [@gleniriscricketclub](https://www.instagram.com/gleniriscricketclub)



## JUNIOR SHIRTS - SIZE CHART



Junior shirts are a small fit.

Please measure one of your child's existing t-shirts as above and follow the size chart to find the correct size GICC shirt.

SIZE	Chest Measurement	Length Measurement
Size 5-6	28cm	45cm
Size 7-8	32cm	50cm
Size 9-10	36cm	55cm
Size 11-12	40cm	60cm
Size 13-14	44cm	65cm
Size 15-16	48cm	70cm



# Parent Consent Forms

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# IMAGE CONSENT AND RELEASE FORM

**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
INSERT NAME OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION OR CLUB

may, from time to time, record or take photographs at training, matches and other events organised or attended by

**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
INSERT NAME OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION OR CLUB

for the purpose of promoting  
**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
INSERT NAME OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION OR CLUB

These recordings or images may be used by  
**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
INSERT NAME OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION OR CLUB

on its website, social media pages, advertising material or in publications.  
**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
INSERT NAME OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION OR CLUB

may also, from time to time, take recordings or photographs for the purpose of skill correction and analysis.  
I consent to  
**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
INSERT NAME OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION OR CLUB

taking recordings, photographs or using my image and my child's image for these purposes.

## CONSENT

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME	Insert Parent/Guardian's Name
CHILD'S NAME	Insert Child's Name
CONTACT NUMBER	Insert Contact Number
DATE	Insert Date



# LIVESTREAMING CONSENT AND RELEASE FORM

The matches identified below will be livestreamed by

**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CLUB/ASSOCIATION

in accordance with the following details:

MATCHES	Any Club approved match or training across the 2023/24 cricket season
LIVESTREAM MATCH CENTRE OR PLATFORM	Frogbox, YouTube, Glen Iris website or social media platforms
WHO WILL HAVE ACCESS TO THE LIVESTREAM	General public
OTHER DETAILS	May include images taken for training purposes by approved officials

Footage (including clips or stills) from the livestream may also be used by

**Glen Iris Cricket Club or other ECA/ISEC Affiliated Clubs**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CLUB/ASSOCIATION

for other purposes which may include:

- for training or educational purposes (for example, skill correction and analysis or for use in training tools)
- for promotional purposes (for example, footage, stills or images may be featured on

**Glen Iris Cricket Club**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CLUB/ASSOCIATION

website, social media pages and/or in other Club/Association publications)

- for commercial purposes
- to aid any investigation or as evidence in any hearing or disciplinary process brought under the Club and/or Association Code of Conduct or Competition Rules.

I acknowledge that

**Glen Iris Cricket Club, the ECA or other ECA/ISEC Affiliated Clubs**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CLUB/ASSOCIATION

will be livestreaming the Matches set out above and consent to

**Glen Iris Cricket Club or other ECA/ISEC Affiliated Clubs**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CLUB/ASSOCIATION

capturing and using images/footage of me and/or my child for these purposes.

SIGNATURE (OR CHECK BOX IF ONLINE)	
NAME	Insert Name
DATE	Insert Date

This consent can be revoked at any time by contacting \_\_giccjuniors@gmail.com\_\_



## MEMBER PROTECTION DECLARATION

Our Organisation (as defined below) has a duty of care to all those associated with our Organisation. It is a requirement of our Organisation that we verify the background of Cricket Participants and players associated with our Organisation, including coaches, umpires, coordinators, committee members and other volunteers.

I, Insert Name NAME

of Victoria ADDRESS

born dd / mm / yr

sincerely declare:

1. I have read and understood Australian Cricket's Member Protection Policy, Australian Cricket's Policy for Safeguarding Children and Young People and Australian Cricket's Looking After Our Kids for Affiliated Associations & Clubs.
2. I understand my responsibilities in relation to ensuring and promoting the safety of Children and Young People.
3. I do not have any criminal charge pending before the courts.
4. I do not have any criminal convictions or findings of guilt for a Sexual Offence, offences related to Children and Young People or acts of violence.
5. I have not had any disciplinary proceedings brought against me by an employer, sporting organisation or similar body involving Prohibited Conduct such as Child Abuse, Bullying, Harassment, Grooming, Sexual Misconduct, Sexual Offences or acts of violence.
6. To my knowledge, there is no other matter that Australian Cricket or the Affiliated Associations and Clubs may consider to constitute a risk to its Australian Cricket Personnel, Cricket Participants, Australian Cricket Players, Children and Young People or reputation of Australian Cricket or the Affiliated Associations and Clubs by engaging me.
7. I will notify the CEO of the Organisation/s (or President as the case may be) engaging me immediately upon becoming aware that any matter set out above has changed.

Declared in the State/Territory of Victoria on dd / mm / yr DATE

Signature: .....

Organisation: Glen Iris Cricket Club

(Cricket Australia, State and Territory Cricket Association – specify for example NSW, Affiliated Association and Club – specify for example Campbelltown Cricket Club)

Parent/Guardian Consent (in respect of a person under the age of 18 years)

I have read and understood the declaration provided by my child. I confirm and warrant that the contents of the declaration provided by my child are true and correct in every particular.

Name: Insert Name

Signature: .....



# PARENT/GUARDIAN TRANSPORTATION/PICK UP APPROVAL

PARENT/GUARDIAN	Insert Name	CHILD/YOUNG PERSON	Insert Name
TEAM	Insert Team Name	COACH & TEAM MANAGER	Insert Name

I give my permission for Insert Name  
NAME OF CRICKET PARTICIPANT'S NAME/OTHER PARENT ETC

of Insert Name  
ADDRESS

and contact number Insert Name  
to transport and/or pick up my Child/Young Person as follows:

## DETAILS OF TRAVEL COMPLETE ONE OF:

**ONCE OFF PERMISSION** ☐ Pick up ☐ Transport (see below)

DATE	Insert Date
TRAVEL FROM	Insert Location
TRAVEL TO	Insert Destination
REASON	Insert Reason

**STANDING PERMISSION** ☐ Pick up ☐ Transport (see below)

DETAILS OF APPROVAL EG. ALL TRAINING SESSIONS OR MATCH DAY EVERY SECOND TRAINING SESSION COMMENCING 2 FEBRUARY	Insert Details
TRAVEL FROM	Insert Location
TRAVEL TO	Insert Destination
REASON	Insert Reason
DATE STANDING PERMISSION CONCLUDES DETAIL A SPECIFIC DATE OR 'END OF SEASON'	Insert Date

## ADDITIONAL NOTES

Detail any custody arrangements, restraining orders or other details that the Club/Association should be aware of. In the event that there are custody arrangements or restraining orders, the Club/Association should sight any court documentation or confirm arrangements with both parents/guardians.

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## CONSENT

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	
CONTACT NUMBER	Insert Number
DATE	Insert Date

## ACKNOWLEDGED BY

COMMITTEE MEMBER NAME	Insert Member Name
COMMITTEE MEMBER SIGNATURE	
DATE	Insert Date

This form may be completed electronically and emailed to the Association or Club Nominated Supervisor or Person in Authority at [insert email address]. Once received, the Association or Club Nominated Supervisor or Person in Authority must inform the Team Coach and/or Team Manager of the Transportation/Pick Up Approval.

Where it is not possible for a parent/guardian to provide this form in advance, the parent/guardian should send a text message and/or email to the Team Coach, Team Manager and the Association or Club Nominated Supervisor or Person in Authority providing such approval. This approval should be documented by the Association or Club Nominated Supervisor or Person in Authority.