GRAMMAR HAWKS CRICKET CLUB Cricket Registration and Information

Dear Parents and Players,

The 2024-25 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, once students have progressed in their skills, playing 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, 2025. Cricket Blasters may have an opportunity to play matches against other Cricket Blaster centres during the season.

How to Register?

To register for this program please visit

https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/83e698

Parents will need to pay the registration fee of \$99.00 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 Junior 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 (2025). 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?

To register for this program please visit

https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/b0a197

How much?		BCGS
Years 4 to 6	(Years 3 to 5 2024)	\$120
Years 7 and 8	(Years 6 to 7 2024)	\$170
Years 9/10 and 11/12	(Years 8 to 11 2024)	\$185

^{**} There is also a \$16 Cricket Australia Fee which will be added to the above amounts when you register.

Once again 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.

<u>UNIFORMS</u>

More information on uniforms will be sent out to all players and parents once we have finalised our plans for the current season.

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: cricket@bcgs.wa.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

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