



Dear Parent / Carer,

Crosby Cricket Club welcomes you and your child/(ren) to this family-friendly cricket club in the heart of Marown, Isle of Man.

We hope that your child(ren) will enjoy being a club member and will enjoy the cricket coaching, training, and matches, as well as the social interactions available at the club.

The aim of this letter is to provide information that may be helpful to you as new members.

Please do ask me - the Club Welfare Officer - or any committee member or coach if you have other questions not answered in this letter.

The club is run by a number of dedicated volunteers and as a recreational and community club we are reliant on volunteers to assist with the organisation and running of the game. We welcome offers of help from all members, and hope that as you feel part of the club you will feel able to get involved. Any help is appreciated, whether it is serving tea/coffee during training /matches, active fundraising, umpiring or training as a coach. There are courses available which will give sufficient knowledge to any individual who wishes to help out and get involved in junior and senior cricket.

We have a new website under construction. Please take time to have a look over the coming weeks which provides details of a full list of officers, committee members, coaches and officials; the details of our Club Constitution, our policies and procedures, and latest scores & photos. If you have any Crosby Cricket photos or info relating to yesteryear we would love to post them on the website.

Our web address is www.crosbycc.co.uk

Key personnel are:

Club Chairman: Kevin Quine

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Email: kevin.quine@manx.net

Club Treasurer & Junior Development Officer: Dave Picken

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Club Secretary: Craig Hartmann

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Club Welfare Officer: Bev Buxton

Tel: 07624 470360

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Coaches:

Gareth Rowlands - Level 2

Chris Eaton (Level 2 qualification almost complete at time of writing)

Dave Picken - Level 1

Kevin Kniveton - Level 1

Kevin Quine - Level 1

Craig Hartmann - Level 1

Chris Buxton - Level 1

Drew Buxton - Level 1

John Horbury - Level 1

Dave Butler - Level 1

Adrian Walker - Level 1

Alex Poole Wilson - Level 1

Outdoor training sessions:

Our outdoor training sessions are held on a Thursday evening at the Marown Playing Fields, off Old Church Road, Crosby. The times are:

For age groups from **8 years old to 11 years old (school years 3 to 6)**, sessions are from **5.30pm** to **6.30pm**.
For ages **12 to 15 years old (school years 7 to 10)**, sessions are between **6.30pm and 7.30pm**.

Subscriptions:

Crosby Cricket Club Subscriptions are as follows for the 2016 Season.

U9/U11/U13: £30

U15: £40

Senior members playing 1 league: £65

Senior members playing 2 leagues: £110

You can these as follows:

- 1) Pay direct into Crosby Cricket Club bank account, sort code 55-91-00, account number 10746730.[Please state name as reference]
- 2) Post a cheque to the Secretary : Crosby Cricket Club, Pine View, Glen Vine Road, Glen Vine, IM4 4HG
- 3) Pay by cash/cheque at training , handing it to any of the coaching staff or Bev Buxton

Fundraising:

As a Club we raise funds from social events and by running the 50 Club, the proceeds of which contribute towards the purchase of new kit. Please try and support our social events and should you wish to join the 50 Club, it costs as little as £1 per number per month and you will need to complete the attached form.

Welfare:

We embrace the 'Safe Hands' Policy for Safeguarding Children in Cricket. All of the adults at the club who work with children and meet the necessary criteria are Vetted by the ECB. This includes the enhanced DBS and 'Barred List' check (formerly known as CRB checks).

Whilst we hope your child will be happy and content at the club, we understand that sometimes questions, concerns or difficulties may arise. Please feel able to raise these as soon as possible, so we can rectify things at the earliest opportunity. If you have a question regarding coaching, please approach the coach in the first instance. However, please do not interrupt coaching sessions, especially nets practice, as this may distract the coach when he needs to be supervising the children. Our coaches will be happy to speak to you before or after training or at another convenient time.

Finally, all members are reminded of the club's code of conduct for members and guests, details on the website.

We do hope that you and your child (ren) enjoy being a member of the Crosby Cricket Club, and if you have any concerns, do please let me know.

With Regards

Bev Buxton
Club Welfare Officer

