

Sale Cricket Club



Junior News Update – April 2005

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Welcome

The 2005 season is now fast approaching, very soon we will be moving to outdoor practice and fixtures will be commencing. To ensure you are fully informed we enclose these important dates for your diary.

The New Season

Many of you have been attending our winter coaching sessions and will be raring to go for the new season!

This year we are running 2 teams. Under 13's will play on a Friday evening and Under 11's on a Sunday morning. A full list of fixtures will be available at the registration evening.

Key dates for Your diary

- **18 Apr** – Registration Evening & 1st Outdoor Coaching session.
- **29 Apr** – Under 13's vs. Flixton (Away)
- 6 pm Start
- **1 May** – Under 11's vs. Cheadle (Away)
- 10 am Start

Registration Evening – Monday 18th April

The first coaching session will act as a registration evening for the season; parents/guardians need to attend and bring with them a completed membership form. There is an annual membership fee of **£25** payable on the evening (installments can be discussed). Please make cheques payable to "Sale Cricket Club".

On this evening we will be covering:

- Introduction to the club.
- How we plan to run the coaching sessions and pick the team.
- Advice on equipment & clothing.
- Role of parents/guardians.
- Child Welfare Issues.
- Opportunity to ask questions.

The format of the evening will be as follows:

6pm Everybody meet inside at Sale CC. Brief introduction, aims for the season and how we will be structured.

6.15pm Players will go outside for first outdoor session. Parents/ Guardians to remain inside and complete registration forms for players and volunteer for roles to assist the running of the club.

7.30pm Players complete session and return indoors for presentation of the 2004 season awards.

8pm Evening finishes.

We will also have a limited number of Cricket Shirts and caps available to purchase on the evening, which have been embroidered with the club crest.

Summer Coaching – Mondays, 6 – 8 pm.

Outdoor coaching sessions will take place at the club every Monday (including the bank holidays unless notified otherwise) during the summer from 6 – 8 pm, starting on the 18th of April.

Private Coaching Available

The club's South African overseas player this year is also an experienced level 2 coach.

J P Lee will be coaching at club sessions and is also available for private sessions and can be contacted on 07981 917864.

Cricket Equipment

We will provide sufficient cricket equipment (bats, pads, gloves, helmets, protective equipment, etc.) for all coaching sessions and matches.

Some parents may wish to purchase abdominal protectors (boxes) & gloves for their child. Children will be required to wear abdominal protectors and helmets.

Parental Support & Team Management

Joel Alderson will initially act as team manager for all teams. However this cannot continue indefinitely and we would like to encourage at least one parent to act as team manager in seasons to come. If you are interested in getting involved let us know.

We will always supply at least two qualified coaches for each session; however any help from parents on match days will be greatly received (i.e. transports, scoring, umpiring, refreshments etc.)! Training will be available for all of the above.

Joel will be selecting the teams on a Monday after training and will inform parents on Tuesday via phone, e-mail or text (see details below). Parents should confirm availability by noon on Thursday.

Subscriptions and Match Fees – No Change from 2004

These fees (see right) help us pay for coaching and equipment. Children wishing to play other sports (e.g. tennis) will not be charged an additional subscription fee.

Parents may wish to consider joining the club as Social Members (£20 each or £30 couples). The club offers function facilities & a large screen TV for major sporting events.

Club Subscriptions And Match Fees

Annual Subscription:

– £25

Coaching Sessions:

– £1 per session.

Match Fees:

– £1 per match.

Sponsorship


The club is always on the look out for sponsors to help us with the cost of developing our club. If you or the business you work for would like to sponsor a junior game or one of the junior teams we would love to hear from you!

Location

The club is located on the corner of Dane Road & Clarendon Crescent in Sale (there is a map on our website)

If you have any queries or suggestions in the meantime then please do not hesitate to contact us.

We hope to see you all on the 18th of April.

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