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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ) JUNIOR CRICKETERS SEASON 2023 / 2024





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REGISTRATION

HOW DO I REGISTER TO PLAY AT ESCC?

All players must SELF REGISTER via PlayerHQ via the link below.

Registration Link → <https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/67b1ef>

When you register, you will be prompted to link your mycricket ID (if you have one) to the new system.

If you need assistance with online registration, please contact registrations@escc.com.au

I PLAYED FOR A DIFFERENT CLUB LAST SEASON. CAN I STILL REGISTER WITH ESCC?

If you have played for a different club in the previous three years you should apply to us to transfer/clear your registration to ESCC. You can still register with ESCC however you must be transferred and/or cleared from the club you previously played. We will organise your transfer/clearance and contact you when this process has been finalised.

WHAT IS THE COST OF JUNIOR REGISTRATION?

SECA – Junior mixed player registration fees are \$285.00, plus a Cricket Australia NRF fee of \$16.00 and a SECA fee of \$4.00.

AGC – Girls player registration fees are \$220.00 plus a Cricket Australia NRF fee of \$16.00.

All registrations will include clothing voucher (see Clothing section below).

HOW DOES ESCC'S SUBSCRIPTION FEE COMPARE TO OTHER LOCAL CLUBS AND WHAT DO I GET?

This year, we have had to increase the Player Registration Fee by approximately 10% in order to ensure we can meet the rising costs of the cricket competition, such as umpires, cricket balls and equipment, coaching to name a few. In addition, we need to further invest in an upgrade to the pitch and better technology. As per our analysis, our subscription fee compares well with other clubs, it is not the most expensive, nor is it the cheapest.

MUST I REGISTER/PAY TO PLAY?

Yes. All players must be registered to play, and registration can only be completed by paying.

Hardship – if you wish to discuss a payment plan for your registration fees in the case of hardship circumstances, please contact Jenni Pilcher at registrations@escc.com.au.



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CAN I REGISTER ONLINE BUT PAY SEPARATELY/MANUALLY (DIRECT TO CLUB)?

No. Full payment is required at the time of registration for junior players.

WHAT FORMS OF PAYMENT CAN I USE FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION?

You can use your debit or credit card to pay online. Payment by credit/debit card is easy and instant.

DO I HAVE TO PAY ADDITIONAL FEES/CHARGES FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION?

Yes. This year, a National Registration Fee (NRF) fee of \$16.00 and a SECA fee of \$4.00 (SECA comp only) will be added to the Player Fee at the checkout phase of the online registration.

IS THE ONLINE REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT PROCESS SECURE?

Yes, both personal data and all payment information are encrypted using SSL (Secure Sockets Layer).

CAN I PAY MY SUBSCRIPTION FEES OVER TIME (PAYMENT PLAN)?

If you are experiencing financial difficulty please contact the club to discuss payment options at secretary@escc.com.au.

TEAMS

WHAT GRADES ARE THE JUNIOR TEAMS IN?

We have several junior SECA teams, the exact SECA grade will vary from season to season, however the following (2022/23 season grades) can be used as a guide:

Grade*	Stage	Overs (Per Day)	Split INN	Participation	Team Numbers
U12 Rookies	1	40	Yes 20-20	Yes	7
U12 C	2	30	Yes- 15-15	Yes	9
U12 A, B	SECA	40	NO- 40	Yes	11
U14 C	SECA	40	YES 20-20	Yes	11
U14 A, B	SECA	40	NO 40	N/A	11
U16C	SECA	40	YES 20-20	Yes	11
U16 A, B	SECA	40	NO 40	N/A	11
U18	SECA	40	20-20	N/A	11

*Age limits mean the junior cricketer has to be under the relevant age on 31 August 2023. For example, a player who is 11 on 31 August is eligible to play U12's, a player who turns 12 on 31 August 2023 will need to play U14.



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DOES THE CLUB HAVE A GIRLS TEAM?

Yes. Last season we fielded one junior girls' team which played on a Wednesday evening – 20 overs each side, 9 players. We will repeat that this year and depending on numbers we may have more than one team.

WHAT IF IT'S MY FIRST TIME PLAYING CRICKET?

We currently have several junior teams across all age groups. We will have a team that is right for you. Come to training and meet the coaches, and they will soon have you a team that suits your ability.

CLOTHING

WHERE CAN I PURCHASE CLOTHING?

Our clothing provider and sponsor is SWIVSLOCKER. They provide all ESCC branded cricket apparel (playing, training and spectating).

Clothing can be ordered online via our website – or SWIVS website at <https://swivslocker.com.au/esc/>

Some clothing can be purchased via the Club, however we only carry limited stock and you are best advised to order online. **Please ensure you order before the cut-off date published on the online store to ensure delivery by the date advertised.** It generally takes 6 weeks after the cut-off for delivery for orders to arrive at the club, so please bear this in mind when ordering.

IS ANY CLOTHING PROVIDED WITH REGISTRATION?

Yes!

We are pleased to announce you will be given a voucher to purchase clothing when you register. The voucher code is published on the PlayerHQ [registration page](#) when you register under “**Additional Information**”. The Voucher can only be used on the SWIVSLOCKER online ordering website.

The Voucher for those who register by 1 September 2023 is \$50. Following that date, the voucher will be \$30 for those who register before 15 December 2023.

WHAT CLOTHING DO I NEED?

PLAYING KIT

Players play in ESCC branded cream pants and a cream playing shirt.

White cricket shoes are also required. ESCC Caps will be available at the club if you don't already have one.



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TRAINING

All players need to train in the ESCC training shirt along with dark shorts (navy blue/black) or track pants and runners. If you don't have an ESCC training shirt, please select this as one of the clothing items as part of your registration.

TRAINING

WHEN/WHERE IS TRAINING?

Our junior teams generally train together once a week at Chisholm Reserve, Duncan Street, Sandringham. Keep an eye on the ESCC website/facebook page for a schedule of training dates/times.

GAME DAY

CRICKET ASSOCIATION

All mixed Junior teams will play in the South East Cricket Association (SECA) competition. Our girl's teams will play in the All Girls Cricket (AGC) Competition.

WHEN DO WE GET A FIXTURE?

Season fixtures are available via **PlayHQ** website as soon as they are finalised by the Associations. Fixtures are subject to change and should be checked ahead of any match.

WHEN DOES THE SEASON START?

Junior competition is likely to commence week commencing **October 9th 2023**.

IS THERE A BREAK OVER CHRISTMAS?

Yes. The last game before Christmas is usually the second last weekend before Christmas. The first game back after the Christmas break is usually the second or third weekend of January. The fixtures will detail this.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

DOES THE CLUB HAVE SOCIAL FUNCTIONS?

Yes. Keep an eye on the website and social media and keep your contact details up-to-date. We have many club functions during the season that we encourage all our members to attend.

CAN'T FIND THE ANSWER YOU'RE LOOKING FOR?

If you cannot find an answer to your question, then please submit your query to the Secretary at secretary@escc.com.au, or if your query is regarding registrations to registrations@escc.com.au. We will answer your query as quickly as possible.