

2024/25 BOYS FORMATS and AGE GROUPS

| If you were born before: | and your age on 31- Aug 2024 is: | your lowest Age Group is: | Formats |
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| 1 Sept 2019 | 5 years | Cricket Blast Skills | Mixed with Girls |
| 1 Sept 2018 | 6 years | Cricket Blast Skills | Skills based format Run by Clubs, not MWJCA |
| 1 Sept 2017 | 7 years | Cricket Blast Competition | Mixed with Girls Small-sided games, played on grass |
| 1 Sept 2016 | 8 years | Cricket Blast Competition | 6-8 players on the fieldRun by Clubs, not MWJCA |
| 1 Sept 2015 | 9 years | U10 Stage 1 | 7 Players on the field, max register 9 Possible U10 Div 3 age restricted (U9) comp 6 balls max per over 20 overs per side – 2-hour match 16m pitch stump to stump, bowl one end White Kooka Star ball 30m max (U10), 35m max (U11) boundary, from batting end 15m field restriction Batting face 17 balls then retire Loss of wicket is 4 runs to bowling team All players must bowl, max 4 overs each |
| 1 Sept 2014 | 10 years | U11 Stage 1 | |
| 1 Sept 2013 | 11 years | U12 - Stage 2 | One day format only 9 Players on the field 8 balls max per over, last over 6 legal deliveries 30 overs per innings – 4 hours max games 18m pitch stump to stump, bowl both ends 142g white leather Kookaburra ball 40m boundary from centre of pitch, 10m field restriction Batting 35 balls each then retire |
| 1 Sept 2012 | 12 years | U13 - Stage 2 | Out you are outAll players are to bowl except WK |
| 1 Sept 2011 | 13 years | U14 Div 2 - Stage 2 | Stage 2 format - modified156g white leather Kookaburra ball |
| 1 Sept 2010 | 14 years | U15 Div 2 - Stage 2 | 20.12m pitch stump to stump up to 50m boundary from centre of pitch, 10m field restriction Minimum of 6 bowlers |
| 1 Sept 2009 | 15 years | U16 Div 2 - Stage 2 | |
| 1 Sept 2011 | 13 years | U14 Div 1 Stage 3 | One day format only 11 Players per side on the field 30 overs per innings 20.12m pitch stump to stump, bowl both ends |
| 1 Sept 2010 1 Sept 2009 | 14 years 15 years | U15 & U16 Div 1 Stage 3 | 156g white leather Kookaburra ball up to 50m boundary from centre of pitch, 10m field restriction Retirement at 15 complete overs Out you are out 8 balls max per over, last over 6 legal deliveries Participation rules Minimum of 6 bowlers |