



Year 5&6 Kwik Cricket Competitions

Mixed Cricket 'A' Competition

Date: Wednesday 10th June 2015.

Venue: Boughton Hall Cricket Club. Boughton Hall Avenue, Chester, CH3 5EL.

Time: 9.30am arrival – 3.00pm finish.

Places are limited to the first 30 school teams that enter the competition.

Mixed Cricket 'B' Competition

Date: Thursday 11th June 2015.

Venue: Boughton Hall Cricket Club. Boughton Hall Avenue, Chester, CH3 5EL.

Time: 9.15am arrival. 12.00pm finish.

Places are limited to the first 15 school teams that enter the competition.

Girls Cricket Competition

Date: Thursday 11th June 2015.

Venue: Boughton Hall Cricket Club. Boughton Hall Avenue, Chester, CH3 5EL.

Time: 12.15pm arrival. 3.00pm finish.

Places are limited to the first 15 school teams that enter the competition.

KEY INFORMATION

Age Category	School Years 5 & 6.
Squad size	Minimum of 8, maximum of 10.

Rules

1. Aim

The enjoyment for, and fair play by all players.

2. Pitch

Two sets of kwik cricket wickets, 16 yards apart.

3. Teams

Each team comprises of 8 players. Squads are limited to 10 players.

There are no quotas or ratios for boy: girls in the Y5&6 mixed competition. Teams can be single or mixed gender.

In the event of injury to a player, a substitute will be allowed to field, but not bowl. Should such an injury prevent the player batting, a substitute will be allowed to bat only with the permission of the opposing member of staff.

4. The Start

The two teams toss a coin to decide which team has the choice of either batting or fielding first.

5. The Game

Throughout the Tournament each game shall consist of one innings per team, each innings to be 8 overs (6 balls) long.

6. Batting & Scoring

- The batting side shall be divided into pairs, each pair batting for 2 overs, with a new pair starting at the end of the second, fourth and sixth overs.
- Each team starts batting with a score of 200 runs.
- Each time a batter is out, 5 runs are deducted and the other batter of the pair faces the next ball.
- A batter may be out bowled, caught, run out, stumped, hit wicket.
- There is no LBW law unless the batter deliberately blocks the ball with a leg or foot.
- Runs will be scored in the normal way, as will byes.
- 2 runs will be awarded to the batting team for each wide ball (too wide for the batter to hit) and no-ball (bounces more than once or delivered on the full) bowled, but no extra ball will be allocated, except in the final over of each innings when, in addition to the 2 runs, an extra ball will be bowled. Any runs above 2 scored on a 'no ball' will count in place of the 2 received for the no ball.
 - At the end of the first 2 overs, the first pair of batters retires and is replaced by the second pair until all 4 pairs have batted for 2 overs each. The second team then bats for its 8 overs.

7. Bowling and Fielding

- Each player on the fielding side must bowl 1 over.
- Bowling will take place from one end only. Bowling should be over arm where possible. Players on the fielding side DO NOT need to rotate fielding positions.
- With the exception of the wicketkeeper, no fielder is allowed within 10 yards of the batter until the ball is played by the batter.
- No fielder may field within 10 yards of the wicket, measured from the middle stump except behind the wicket on the off-side. A fielder may move into the restricted area to make a catch or field a ball provided he/she was outside the area when the stroke was made.

8. The Result

The team with the higher score wins. In the event of a tie the team taking more wickets, then scoring more boundaries will be the winner. If it is still equal, each player bowls 1 ball at the wickets (no batter), with the team scoring the higher number of strikes the winner.

9. Eligibility

The tournament is open to all pupils in school years 5 and/or 6 on the day of competition.

Chester Schools Sports Partnership is happy for lower KS2 pupils to be involved in the competition, especially for smaller schools that may not have enough pupils in Years 5 & 6. However, we would expect the team manager to only select pupils that will cope with both the physical & mental demands of playing with older pupils in a competitive environment.

PLEASE CAN ALL PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS BRING THEIR KWIK CRICKET SETS AND BIBS.

The winning school team will represent Chester at the Cheshire and Warrington final in July.

Chester SSP are not responsible for any personal belongings at the event.