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Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome to North Enfield if your new to us and welcome back to those who have been with us before.

We have much planned for 2024 which is our 70th year at Strayfield Road. A full season of fixtures has been planned for Juniors and the Senior XI's, along with special events and commemorative merchandise for the anniversary, it promises to be, a busy year at the Club.

For 2024 Junior Sessions will run on Wednesdays from 17th April until 17th July inclusive, that's 14 weeks of Cricket. As always, we are at the mercy of the weather and will attempt to provide every session. Any cancelled sessions will be notified on the WhatsApp groups as soon as a decision is made.

Juniors who took part in 2023 *DO NOT* need to register, their place/s is/are held for 2024.

As places are limited,

You *MUST* register a junior player that *DID NOT* register for NECC in 2023.

If you do not intend your child to re-join us in 2024, please let me know as this will mean I can offer the place to someone else.

To support me, *I'm asking please*, that you use one form of communication to register your child to me directly **ONLY** via WhatsApp, 07930 644783 and only one parent/carers needs to do this. I will confirm your child's place/s, again via WhatsApp.

For welfare and safety reasons places for Juniors will be limited in each session and split into the following times;

- All U11's (School Yr 1 - 6) 6.00pm – 7.00pm.
- All U12's and over (School Yr 7 - 9) 7.00pm – 8.00pm.

There may be a few adjustments to the groups to allow for groups sizes and abilities, we will advise if this affects your child/ren. If you are not sure what session your child will be in, please contact me.

We have entered 5 Teams into the Hertfordshire Junior League for the 2024 season. U9 8-a-side soft ball, U10B-8-a-side Incrediball, U11B-8-a-side-hardball and U12B 11-a-side-hard ball and U14B 11-a-side hard ball. Fixtures will be shared once they are confirmed by the league.

We request that the following attire is worn;

- For matches; Full whites.
- Any player playing hard ball cricket will require their own abdominal protection (box), gloves, pads and helmet for training sessions and matches.
- Club kit can be purchased from our online shop, although this isn't mandatory
<https://teamwear.next-sports.com/shop/northernfieldcc>

Recognising the pressures on family finances the committee have decided to keep our fees the same as last year which include our league registration, ground preparation, up keep of equipment and the general costs of the club.

- First Child - £105 (includes Family Social Membership of the club)
- Siblings of junior member - £65 each
- First Child of a full paying adult player, social player, Life Member or Vice President - £75.00
- Siblings of child of a full paying adult player, social player, Life Member or Vice President - £65
- Match Fees will be £2.50 per match, coaches will tally the match fees and ask for payment at the end of the league season to save the constant issue with change.

Please note, our bank account has changed, new account number is on the membership form, please remove the old HSBC account details to paying the wrong account.

We are required to renew our membership forms this year. Please complete the attached form, and pass it directly to at the first session please ***don't*** email it back.

North Enfield Cricket Club takes its responsibility for the Safeguarding of **all** members seriously and **all** coaches and volunteer helpers are fully DBS checked. North Enfield Cricket Club, through the hard work of its leadership team has achieved the Middlesex Cricket 'Clubmark' standard, a standard we are very proud of. The Middlesex Cricket County Welfare Officer has again asked me to remind all members that the Club and Team WhatsApp groups are for the sharing of information from the club and team fixture / training information only and we should refrain from more personal communication within these groups. Live streaming of matches is discouraged by Middlesex Cricket and you would be required to obtain permissions from both teams if you were to live stream a match.

Finally, if you have any questions please don't hesitate to be in touch, WhatsApp will get you the quickest response and I look forward to welcoming you at the first Junior Session of the new season.

Yours Sincerely,

Nick Munt

Junior Secretary and Safeguarding Officer – North Enfield Cricket Club

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