

CKCC - Open Cricket - Selection Terms of Reference.

Philosophy & Objectives

0. Cricket objectives for the club, in order, are as follows:

a. Promotion for the 2nds,

b. 1sts maintain league position,

c. 3rds gain promotion,

d. 4ths aim to provide competitive cricket. League position is not an objective for 4ths

e. Tuesday & Wednesday team to be as competitive as possible.

1. The selection committee will promote competitiveness, inclusivity, fairness and transparency, this will be embodied through:

1a. Players accept that they play for the club, not for a specific team, without exception.

1b. Selection for Saturday teams 1-3 will be based on selecting the best available players, as agreed by the committee, who have actively made themselves available through the availability process.

1c. Team captains (or appointed rep) for 1-3s should collaboratively engage in the selection of all 3 teams, with a top down approach, led by the club 1st XI captain.

1d. Juniors playing in open age cricket should have a positive experience and should be fully involved in games, having a consistent experience where practical. Youth co-ordinator will act on the committee to champion this point and will have right of veto for welfare.

1e. Juniors will only be considered for adult cricket above the u13 age group, at the discretion of the youth co-ordinator, who will provide the committee a list of players deemed eligible for selection. Only these youth players will be invited to offer availability.

1f. 4th XI teams are about providing competitive cricket for club members who are actively making themselves available. Selection may be on a rotation basis when there are more people regularly making themselves available than places.

1g. There will only be one attendee per team at selection meetings. If a team captain does not attend or send a representative then selection of that team will be made by the attending committee.

1h. No places will be offered or guaranteed to any player prior to selection. Places will be allocated at selection meetings only.

1i. All team selections will be published on social media on the day after selection.

1j. Selection will be made from club members who have actively made themselves available through the availability process, this information will be published, on request, for transparency.

Selection, Availability Process & Communication

2. The selection process will be open, honest and fair.
2a. Request for availability will be issued on Sat to all paid members via online form, prior to end of regular play, for the following 2 weeks games. It is in the captains interests to encourage and help players and members to respond, as responsees will form the basis of seletion. Submissions will be accepted until Tuesday lunchtime.
2b. Selection for 1-4 and Wed teams will be performed by Wed Evening and will be published by Thursday evening. Selection for Tues games will be performed on Thu by the Tue captain and 1st team capt only, and will be published by Fri evening.
2c. All teams will be published through the public Facebook page available on the website.
2d. Full list of responses of player availability will be made available to selection committee prior to each meetingfrom which to select.
2e. Players proving unreliable (repeatedly marking themselves as available then pulling out) will be considered below those proving reliable. Players making themselves regulaly available will be considered above those only occasionally available. Students who inform the selection chair well in advance of block availability, will be treated as regularly available, unless proving unreliable.
2f. No other players will be considered prior to those who have actively made themselves available. External players will only be considered after members making themselves available have been exhausted.
3a. This ToR will be provided to all members before the first game and will be published on the play cricket website.
3a. Selection does not apply to friendly games. Any full adult member may arrange friendlies as long as they can find an available date and agree with the fixtures secretary (note, league games take priority). Selection for friendly games is left to the discession of the captain on the day.