

**Nelson Cricket Presidents Grade T/14 Smash**

**Greenmeadows/Motueka**

Cancellations will be advertised on the Nelson Cricket Facebook Page and also team captains will be contacted at least an hour prior to start time.

The Nelson Cricket Presidents Grade Competition will be played under the following format:

* Played at Greenmeadows and Motueka on a Friday Evening at 6pm
* There will be a chance that you have to play **ONCE** at Memorial park in Motueka out of the 8 games.
* 8-a-side cricket
* 14 Overs to be bowled per side – 8 ball Max (2 runs for an extra)
* Bowling will take place in **2 x 7-over chunks.** i.e. 7 overs bowled from 1 end and 7 overs bowled from the other end.
* **Greenmeadows ‘1’ will have all balls bowled from the eastern end so that the batsman is hitting away from the New Community Centre**
* 2 overs maximum per person
* No LBW
* Teams must provide their own umpires and 1 set of stumps
* All teams are requested to adopt a reasonable standard of dress in accordance with the standard NCA dress codes. Team uniform may include coloured clothing. Shoes must be worn at all times. Shorts are acceptable, a bare top is unacceptable.
* Batsman will be required to retire at the end of the over when they reach 30 runs. However, if a team is effectively all out and there are still overs to be bowled, the batsman with the lowest score can come back in, even if they were dismissed earlier.
* Games would be played 4 weeks either side of Xmas. This is some-what dependant on teams, we will be able to put out a draw when we get registrations in. There is the potential of a final to be played as well depending on the structure of the competition.
* 15th November – 6th December (4 Games)

17th January – 7th February (4 Games)

* In common with all other clubs and teams coming under the jurisdiction of the NCA, players are required to abide by the rules governing acceptable conduct on and off the field of play
* The grade of ball to be used in all matches shall be a 156 gram kookaburra 2-piece cricket ball or higher. This can be a used ball or an old ball. Captains must agree.
* Bowlers are limited to a 5m run up
* Last batsman in can have the person with the lowest score re-join them to continue playing. Once one of these players go out it is the end of the game.

Points. Win 4 points

Win by default 4 points

Tie 2 points each

No result 2 points each

Loss 0 points

Loss by default -4 points

We can have a maximum of 16 teams play in this grade so please register teams with Nelson Cricket as soon as possible.

The cost of entering a team into this grade will be $295/ Season

Feel free to phone or email with any questions