



Season 2009/10

Junior Information

WELCOME

Hello and a warm welcome to all new and returning families for the 2009/10 season. Our season ahead again promises to see our juniors continue their improvement and we trust further increase their love for this wonderful game of cricket.

We already have coaches in place for the season, all Cricket Australia Level 1 qualified and holders of Blue Cards however we still need the help of a couple more parents in assistance roles and ask if you're able to help to please do. Your son/daughter's season will be all the better for your involvement. Please indicate your ability to assist during the registration process.

Scoring and umpiring are also roles parents need to help with during the season and we will be holding an education evening prior to the start of the season for parents (and players if you like) to attend. Please be part of a helpful team and therefore a successful club.

AGE GROUPS

The age you are on August 31 determines your age group. Example; a player born 31/08/97 (12) will be U/13 and the youngest in his age group. A player born 01/09/97 (11) will be U/12 and the oldest in his age group.

BOYS AND GIRLS CAN PLAY

Girls are welcome to be a part of any Helensvale/Pacific Pines team. Girls receive an age concession and are allowed to play 2 years under their normal age group. Example: a girl born 31/08/95 (14) and normally in the U/15's is allowed to play in the U/13's. Theoretically this matches physical development however any parent will know this doesn't match maturity levels so it can be difficult for the girls. Your daughter will likely enjoy her season more if she has a friend to sign up with. Part of our future development plan includes expanding our senior club to include a ladies team by 2011. Unfortunately due to the lack of numbers of female cricketers on the Gold Coast the above mentioned junior concession is all we are able to offer at this time.



REGISTERING / SIGN ON

All registrations are being done ONLINE. See the link on our club website www.helensvalecricketclub.com and follow the instructions. You're required to create an account with myclubsport (our gateway provider) and then register with us. Payment is required at the time of registration and includes all cricket fees, a club playing shirt, a club cap and all insurance.

If you would like to meet your team Coach or discuss any matter in person we are holding a sign on day on Sunday August 16 from 10am-1pm at our Clubhouse, Hession Oval, 59 Parkes Drive, Helensvale. You do not have to attend sign on day to register – simply log on and sign on. Your team coach will make contact with all registered players prior to training commencing (**all team squads are limited to 14 players**)

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

All players signed-on before September 5 will receive a club membership card. This card will entitle the holder to certain discounts from some of our club sponsors. More information on this will be provided at a later date.

MILO KIDS – SPECIAL INFO

The Milo In2Cricket program is an introductory program for young kids in the U/6-U/10 age groups and runs for a 10week period leading up to Christmas from **Friday October 16 to Friday December 18**. It includes a fabulous cricket-gift pack for all participants (t-shirt, bat, ball etc).

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MILO KIDS (U/6-U/9) - \$55

U/10, U/11, U/12 U/13 - \$185

U/15, U/17 - \$220

TRAINING

While this could change, at this stage we expect training to commence the week beginning September 7 and training times to be as follows;

MILO KIDS – Fridays 4.30pm–5.30pm (16/10-18/12/09)

U/11, U/12, U/13 – Wednesdays, 4.00pm-5.30pm



U/15, U/17 – Tuesdays & Fridays – 4.00pm–5.30pm

CLOTHING

MILO KIDS

Shorts and t-shirt recommended. A Milo t-shirt and hat is provided with your sign-on pack. All required equipment is provided by the club. Please remember to bring your own drink.

JUNIORS

At training: No formal school uniforms. Sports uniforms are OK. A club training shirt is available to purchase during the sign-on process (\$30). Helmets are recommended for ALL players although not provided by the club. **Match days:** Full cricket whites are required. A club playing shirt and cap are included in your fees leaving the long white pants and white socks your responsibility. Albion boys white cricket pants can be purchased during the sign-on process for \$30 (or \$35 if your sizing is from the mens range).

FOOT WARE

The Milo In2cricket - comfortable runners/joggers.

U/11, U/12, U/13 - comfortable runners/joggers (predominately white please).

U/15 and U/17 play on turf and must have proper cricket spikes.

EQUIPMENT

Albion Cricket Equipment has agreed to provide our club with significantly discounted cricket equipment this year AND rebate the club with a 10% donation of all products sold. This is a specific arrangement negotiated by Helensvale/Pacific Pines Cricket Club for its members. **Please support it.** We've checked out the gear and it's very good (most international players use their helmets) although sadly the range really only caters for the kids in U/15 and above (the "youth" gloves/bats/pads would be too big for an U/13). The equipment can be viewed at www.albionsports.deco-cricket.com/home however DO NOT purchase from the Albion website as you will pay FULL price and the club will NOT receive any rebate. Club prices can be compared against Albion full prices on our club website – they are much cheaper. **Just work out what you want, complete the order form (on our club website) and hand it in to Ian (President), Nigel (Secretary) or Paul (Treasurer) at the club.**

A-Mart Allsports Burleigh West has all of the sporting goods you might still need. They've supported the club for the last three years and if you can, please support them. They're located at 1/110 Kortum Drive, West Burleigh.



PRIVATE COACHING

During the season we are hopeful of offering private tuition for any interested juniors on a Friday afternoon/evening. Please send me an email at treasurer@helensvalecricketclub.com if you are interested. Cash only please.



TEAMS AND COACHES / CONTACT NUMBERS (save these in your phones now)

JUNIOR CO-ORDINATOR

Paul Baird 0413 116 555. Email treasurer@helensvalecricketclub.com

MILO KIDS (5-9yr olds)

Coach; Pradeep Pereira 0438 266 714

Assistant; David Fraser

U/11

Coach; Chris Glasgow- 0433 839941

Assistant; Position vacant (please help – suit any parent)

U/12

Coach; Paul Baird 0413 116 555

Assistant; Position vacant (please help – suit any parent)

U/13

Coach; Dave Houghton 0404143829

Assistant; Position vacant (please help – suit any parent)

U/15

Coach; Gareth Philpott 0401 196 906

Assistants; Joel Field & Jamie Allen. Manager Position vacant (please help – suit any parent)

U/17

Coach; Brendon Laakso 0425 304 150

Assistant; Position vacant (please help – suit any parent)