## SEASON 2



2021
Dates : $13^{\text {th }} \& 14^{\text {th }}$ Nov - MEN

## GENERAL RULES OF THE GAME

- A team of minimum 11 players can be made, 9 to field and 10 to Bat. The 10 th player can come as a replacement of one player and bowl one over in the match. At any point in time there would be only 9 players on the field .
- The captains of each team have to be announced 10 days prior to the start of the league. The Captains will be the point of contact for each team.
- A team can have maximum 12 players. 10 players will be allowed to Bat and 9 to field
- Soft Ball Tennis and under arm cricket. (Hedley Light)
- 6 overs per innings for league, 7 overs for Quarters , Semis \& finals .


## GENERAL RULES OF THE GAME...contd

- In case of a match results ends up in a TIE then both team gets 1 point each in league matches . In quarter's , Semi's and Finals in case of a Tie there would be a SUPER OVER .
- Once a Toss is done with the captain the match will immediately start within max 5 mins, If a team is short of players during that time then that team will have to start the match with the no of players available in that team .


## FIELDING, BOWLING \& BATTING RULES

## FIELDING RULES

- Total Maximum 9 Players on the Field.
- 1 Player (Wicket Keeping), 1 Player (Bowling), 5 players between Boundary line and Bowler with a maximum of 2 player fielding on the boundary. 2 Players (Between Bowling and Batting Crease)
- NOTE : THERE CAN BE ANY NUMBER OF PLAYERS BETWEEN THE STUMPS .
- If the Ball hits the top net and any of the fielder catches the ball directly then the batter will be considered as OUT .
- If the ball hits the boundary net directly then it will be 6 runs and if it hits the boundary net by any means except for full toss then it will be 4 runs .
- If the ball goes out of the turf from the nets then it will be 1 run declared .


## FIELDING RULES...contd

- Runs on overthrow \& Byes runs are there. Runs scored via Leg byes are not counted.
- Stumping on a No ball is not out .
- If the ball hits the side net and catch is taken then its NOT OUT .
- Change of Wicket keeper will have to be informed to the Leg umpire or else it will be given as NO Ball. The next ball after a no ball will be a FREE HIT .
- In an event of a Free Hit, Only Run out rule will be applicable. Stumping is not allowed .


## BOWLING RULES

- 6 overs per innings for league, 7 overs for Quarters ,Semis \& finals .
- No bowlers can be repeated in any matches.
- Above waist height full toss will be a No Ball and it will be a FREE HIT. This is valid only incase of a batter is standing inside the crease. If a batter is outside the crease and the ball is full toss above the shoulder line then it will be counted as NO ball .
- If it's a wide ball then stumpings will be allowed and the batter will be given OUT .
- WIDE and NO BALLS runs will be counted.


## BOWLING RULES...contd

- A centre line will be drawn in between the bowling crease and batting crease. The middle line will be drawn at 17 ft from the batting side stumps. The bowler needs to bowl the first bounce of the ball after the line drawn. In case the ball pitches before the line drawn, then the ball will be called as a NO Ball and all the standard No Ball rules shall be applicable. The Pitch Size will be of 40 Ft.
- A line will be marked up for the bowling run-up (2 bat). A bowler using the length outside the marked line up shall be called as NO Ball.
- No side arm bowling is allowed; where the bowler's hand is above the waist line. Umpire's decision will be final on it .
- In case of a Run out on NO Ball, the wicket will be counted however the ball will not be counted and it will be followed by a FREE HIT.


## BOWLING RULES...contd

- Fast Ball - The call for Fast ball will be of the UMPIRE. Umpires decision will be final in this regards.
- No Roll Over of Arm is allowed during bowling.


## BATTING RULES

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- CAP of 30 runs per player .
- In case of a batter retired after scoring 30 runs he cannot come back to bat even if all the batter in the team are out. This is applicable in all the matches .
- If a batter is catch out, new batter will come on the Strike even if the non-striker batter has crossed the crease.
- The team's innings will be completed after the fall of $9^{\text {th }}$ Wicket .


## DISCIPLINE

- Umpires decision will be final at all times. In any situation of non agreement of a decision, only a captain of that team and the person involved in that event (a batsmen, a fielder or a bowler) is allowed to speak to the umpire. If any other team member comes to the umpire for argument then 1 warning would be given to the team captain and next time 5 runs will be deducted from the team score .
- If a player uses foul language or gestures on the opponent team player inside the turf, then 5 runs would be deducted from that team and the player responsible will be immediately disqualified in that match and will not be playing the subsequent match also . Umpire decision would be final in this case.
- IF a player from any team is heard of using foul language to the Umpire then that team gets 5 runs deducted from the score and the player is not allowed to play that match and the subsequent match .
- In any such event , the team of that player cannot get in a substitute in that match.


