

REED CRICKET AND SPORTS CLUB
THE PAVILION, THE GREEN, REED, ROYSTON, HERTFORDSHIRE.
TELEPHONE: 01763 848925



Dear Colts, Parents and Carers,

Spring is on the way and the cricket season is rapidly approaching, so it is time to start thinking about Saturday morning and Friday evening coaching sessions on the Green at Reed.

There will be a Colts' Presentation and Enrolment Evening in the Pavilion on:

Wednesday 6th April at 7.30 p.m.

with awards, reports and presentations by the Colts' managers. Thanks to last year's unprecedented success, a guest speaker will be presenting the Cambridge League Shields and medals to the victorious players in the U15, U13 and U11 teams. Make sure you are there to receive your medals!

All existing Colts are welcome, as well as new ones. If you have any friends, boys or girls, who might be interested, bring them along to the evening and if you were awarded a trophy last year, please return it to **Cilla Robertson by Monday 28th February** for engraving.

Club sweaters, caps and cricket equipment, including Abdo guards and helmets will be on display to order or purchase. If you are selected to play in a match, you are expected to wear full whites and a Reed Cricket Club cap. In addition, you will need your own Abdo guard, clearly named as with any other personal equipment. All players, who do not have their own helmet, are measured at the start of the season, so that you and your manager ensure that you wear the correct helmet when batting or wicket keeping.

The first session for the U11's and U13's starts on:

SATURDAY 30TH APRIL from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.
until SATURDAY 16th JULY

U15's and U16's on

FRIDAY 29TH APRIL from 6.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.
until FRIDAY 15th JULY.

All three teams, the U11's, U13's and U15's will be playing in the Cambridgeshire leagues. As we run four senior XI's, the U16's will be eligible to play in Hertfordshire League matches on Saturdays. Full fixture lists will be available at the Presentation Evening. Selection for matches depends on commitment to training sessions – the season is short, but intensive.

All participants should arrive ten minutes before the start of each training session to be registered. If it is necessary to leave before the end of training, please ensure the manager is aware of this. Needless to say, Colts must stay in the coaching area as the Club cannot be responsible for anyone who wanders off. It is also important that colts are collected punctually at 11.30 as most of the coaches leave to play cricket themselves at that time.



This year's managers are as follows:

U11	John Kershaw	01763 848532
U13	Lyndsay Poulton	01763 272056
U15	Sara Walsingham	01920 823265
U16	Peter Baker	01223 207681

We are very grateful to these volunteers, who have offered to give up so much time to promote cricket and lead coaching sessions. In addition, all age groups enjoy the benefit of having at least one Level 2 ECB registered coach to train the colts. However, we do expect parents to help with transport to matches – clearly the managers, who are often coming straight from work, cannot be responsible for all colts' travel arrangements. It is also essential that parents volunteer to help by umpiring or scoring matches and, if you have time, to help out on Saturday mornings. Of course, all volunteers who assist with the colts must be CRB checked by the ECB.

Coaching sessions are open to everyone between the ages of 8 and 15 years (as from 1st September 2010). Applicants under the age of 8 will be accepted only at the discretion of the Colts' Liaison Officer and age group manager. The cost of this year's membership is £50. All participants need to be registered and to have paid the membership fee before coaching commences. Completed forms and payment should be brought to the Pavilion on the Presentation Evening or posted to:

Mrs L.Robertson, Reed C.C. Welfare Officer, 1, Rose Villas, Jackson Lane, Reed, Royston. SG8 8AB

IN PERSON: Wednesday 6th April
BY POST : Tuesday 26th April

We may not be able to accept any late applicants, as numbers are limited.

Please complete the attached form and return it with £50 (cheques payable to Reed Cricket Club). If you have family membership, just complete this form and the adult membership form with the fee of £120 for family membership. If there is more than one colt in the family, separate forms must be completed and signed. In order to save postage, it would be appreciated if you could state an e-mail address on the form.

We hope to welcome as many of last season's Colts and their parents as well as new members on Wednesday 6th April. On behalf of Reed Cricket Club, the team managers and coaches, I wish you all an enjoyable season and look forward to seeing you on Saturday mornings or Friday evenings.

Yours sincerely,

Peter Wholley

Colts' Liaison Officer

Tel: 01763 24656



PLEASE COMPLETE

Return to Mrs. L. Robertson. 1, Rose Villas, Jackson's Lane, Reed Royston Herts. SG8 8AB



NAME: -----

ADDRESS: -----

POST CODE: -----

DATE OF BIRTH: --- / --- / ---

AGE ON 01/ 09 / 2010 -----YEARS.

HOME TELEPHONE NO. ----- / -----

EMERGENCY CONTACT NO(S). ----/-----

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E MAIL ----- @ -----

SCHOOL: -----

ANY DETAILS OF HEALTH: (Asthma ? Epilepsy ? Allergies ?)

CONTINUOUS MEDICATION: (Inhalers ? anti - histamine ?)

To be signed by parent / guardian.

I have read the information sheet and accept the terms of membership for Reed Cricket Club Colts

I have been CRB checked by the ECB. Disclosure No. -----

Date of Issue: -----

SIGNED: _____

PARENT / GUARDIAN:

DATE: --- / -- / 2011

*I enclose £50.00p cash / cheque * (payable REED CRICKET CLUB)

*I have family membership. * Please delete as applicable

