

GUISELEY CRICKET CLUB



GUISELEY CRICKET CLUB 2025 JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP PACK



*To establish ourselves as a centre of
excellence for all young players*

Welcome

Thankyou for Joining or
renewing your membership
with Guiseley Cricket Club
Juniors.

This membership pack has
all the information you
need for the new season
within your
childs age group.



GUISELEY C.C.

*****2025 JUNIOR REGISTRATION EVENING*****

Friday, March 21st at 6pm

**Location: GCC Clubhouse, Nethermoor Park, Otley Rd,
Guiseley, LS20 8BT**

**There will be a BIG KIT RE-SALE EVENT to be held
alongside our player registration session. So
come and grab yourself some bargains!**

**ALL AGES WELCOME – BOYS & GIRLS from Year 1 (ages 6+)
onwards**

Please email enquiries to membership@Guiseleycc.co.uk



Excellent Coaching | Great Fun | Fri Night BBQ | Junior Pathway to Seniors



JUNIOR CHAIRMAN Welcome

Keith Buckle

Dear Junior Members,

I am excited to welcome you all to Guiseley CC for the forthcoming season.

Despite the wet start, last season was an outstanding success with record numbers of children engaging with the Club and all contributing to a vibrant and enjoyable atmosphere.

Our vision and mission statements remain the same and all of us involved in the Club are committed to this approach.

Our **'Vision'**: To become the "go to club" for Junior player development across in the area that consistently produces high quality cricketers supported by a clear and accelerated player pathway to senior and representative cricket.

Our **'Mission'**: To establish ourselves as a centre of excellence for young player development, creating a blueprint for grassroots clubs to aspire to with a thriving junior playing section, where junior players are the heart and lifeblood of the club and the key to successful senior teams and sustainability overall.

Whilst the overriding ethos is of inclusion and enjoyment we are also committed to developing players to graduate into senior cricket over time by providing excellent facilities and good quality coaching.

The success of our approach was demonstrated in 2024 when Guiseley CC had significant numbers participating in League Representative and Yorkshire Pathway initiatives at U9, U11, U13 and U15 levels, in both boys and girls teams.

At Senior Level a number of our Juniors contributed notably in all three senior teams in 2024 and we will look to continue this progression through 2025.



JUNIOR Welcome

CHAIRMAN Keith Buckle

Girls Team



Following on from the hugely successful development of the ladies section we are also looking to develop a Junior Girls Team.

if there are any junior girls cricketers out there who would like to get involved please contact Collum Hanogue our girls section coordinator on 07708 764084.



Discipline & Dress Code

Please take note of which practice session you are expected to attend. This must be adhered to enable us to organise the coaches and nets efficiently. It is also expected that the attendees should conduct themselves in a manner conducive to effective coaching. Anyone who does not comply may be asked to sit out the session.

For practice nights players should wear tracksuit bottoms, t-shirts and trainers/boots and for matches full "whites" and cricket boots (not trainers).

Junior Sponsorship

We have several junior sponsorship opportunities, so please get in touch if you feel that you, your business or someone you know might be interested in helping. The clubs needs help in this area so if you can support us this will help us drive the programmes we hope will bring success to our club.

Equipment & Guiseley CC Teamwear

At no little expense, the Club has invested heavily in new equipment, especially for Friday nights, but we expect all items to be returned at the end of the relevant practise night to the Coaches in charge.



JUNIOR CHAIRMAN

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The Club adheres to the ECB guidelines regarding the wearing of helmets. It is mandatory for all junior members to wear a protective helmet during hard ball practices and matches, when batting or keeping wicket stood up to the stumps.

All children playing hard ball cricket will be expected to purchase their own essential equipment in terms of helmets, pads, bats, gloves, thigh pads, boxes etc.

PC Sports (Tel: 0113 250 7988) is our Junior Teamwear supplier. In addition to the training t-shirt as part of the U7/U9 junior subscription, we would encourage all junior players to purchase Guiseley CC training and playing kit from our Guiseley CC teamwear page:



We want everyone to look the part and drive that association across our club

The final word from the chairman....

Finally, it goes without saying that we want to do everything in our power to help you enjoy, and raise the quality in your playing experience at Guiseley CC whether you are starting out or a returning player.

We will always make ourselves available if you have any issues or ideas that you want to discuss.

I am looking forward to another jam packed, successful season of cricket with you and one of continuing improvements.

In thanks & cricket wishes,

Keith Buckle
GCC - Junior Chairman



TEAM MANAGERS - CONTACTS

FRIDAY JUNIOR SESSIONS' (Under 7)
Robert Atkinson - 07493 609539

UNDER 9
Louis McMurrough- 07714785082

UNDER 11
Jon Carey - 07860783219

UNDER 13
Sean Yeates - 07818085089

UNDER 15
Keith Buckle- 07905311629

UNDER 18
Russ Kenyon - 07519635845

Important Dates

TRAINING

From Week
Commencing 14th April

(U7 / U9 training starts 26th April)

U7 - Friday 6.15pm
U9 - Friday 6.15pm
U11 - Monday- 6pm
U13 - Wednesday 6pm
U15 - Tuesday - 6pm
U18 / Seniors - 6-8PM

MATCHDAYS

From Week
Commencing 21st April

U7 - No Matches
U9 - Sundays 10am
U11 - Fridays 6pm
U13 - Friday 6pm / Sunday
10am
U15 - Team 1 Monday 6pm
U15 - Team 2 Sunday 10am
U18 - Wednesday 6pm

EVENTS

Winter Nets 2025
From 15th February

U9 - Saturday 9-10am
U11 - Saturday 10-11
U13 - Saturday 11-12
U15 - Wednesday 6-7pm

Guiseley School Sports Hall

Junior Registration / Kit Sale
Guiseley Cricket Club
6pm Friday March 21st., 6PM.

FRIDAYS

From 25th April 6.15pm

- * Cricket fun sessions (Yr1+2)
- * No equipment needed.
- * Free training Top (U7 & U9)
- * Bar open from 17.30
- * BBQ & Sweet Stall



The club is open from
17.30 for anyone to
socialise and enjoy.

2025 CRICKET CAMP

2 WEEKS

The Guiseley Cricket Club Summer camp will be running the first 2 weeks of the summer holidays.

The cricket camp provides an opportunity for members and non members to participate in cricket after the junior season finishes. No previous cricketing experience is needed as we will provide coaching and fun activities through the days to entertain and develop all abilities.

The cost will be held @ £25 per day, £100 per week or £200 for the full 2 weeks. Places are limited so register quickly to secure a place.

Ages 6-13 (School Year 2 to Year 9) accepted

Contact Sean Yeates for further details (syeates19@hotmail.com)

Week 1 - 21st to 26th July
Week 2 - 29th July - 1st August

Registration
details released in
April



JUNIOR COACHING & WELFARE

The Club's coaching staff will work under the supervision of Lead Coaches who are ECB qualified and are members of the ECB Coaches Association.

All Club Coaches, Coach Support Workers, Welfare Officers and Team Managers have completed a DBS check (Disclosure and Barring Service).

All coaches will have a first aid qualification and all Club members who have regular contact with children will also complete a DBS check.

We have appointed 2 Welfare officers to act as a point of contact for all player welfare and safeguarding issues. We have published all of our safeguarding policies and documentation on the new Guiseleycc website.

2025 JUNIOR WELFARE OFFICERS:

- 1) Tori Waring
- 2) Anika Williams

EMAIL: safeguard@guiseleycc.co.uk

ROLE OF A WELFARE OFFICER

- Act as a first point of contact for reporting any child welfare and protection concerns.
- Help and safeguard our youngsters by assisting in the promotion and implementation of the Welfare of Young People Policy at club level.
- Assist in the raising of awareness of others at the club in respect of child protection.
- Be a source of advice and information within the Club.
- Uphold confidentiality as far as practical in all child protection matters.
- Be available to give advice to parents, children, coaches and managers in this sensitive area.
- Attend appropriate ECB/YCB courses.
- Be a mature person with experience in this area.
- Attend junior committee meetings as appropriate.

GUISELEY CRICKET CLUB POLICIES

Please Visit the Guiseley Cricket Club Website to find all of our policies.

[Guiseley Cricket Club Website](#)



JUNIOR CLUB RULES

Guiseley Cricket Club is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all its members. The club believes it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should always show respect, be encouraged to be open and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with the Team Managers or Coaches or with the Junior Chairman (Keith Buckle)

As a member of Guiseley Cricket Club you are expected to abide by the general rules of the club, its Cricketers' Code of conduct (see below), and by following the junior club rules.

All members must respect colleagues, opponents and officials. Don't make derogatory comments or gestures about your colleagues or your opponents.

Never try to intimidate the opposition by threats or excessive triumphant gestures.

All members must play cricket within the laws and in the spirit of the game.

Be polite to umpires, and respect their decisions. Do not show dissent. Do not throw tantrums or cricket bats on the way from the wicket or within the changing rooms.

All under 18 players in hard ball cricket must wear their own helmet and box when batting and when standing up to the stumps for close fielding or wicket keeping.

All players under 18 must wear their own helmet, batting gloves and box when practising with a hard ball (i.e. cricket ball) on the outfield, or during indoor practice.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS, GUARDIANS & SPECTATORS



GUISELEY C.C.

All parents, guardians and carers of junior members of Guiseley CC are expected to understand and adhere to the following Code of Conduct:

1. Ensure your child understands and adheres to the Player's Code of Conduct and GCC "THE GUISELEY WAY" 5 Core Values.
2. Encourage your child to learn the laws of cricket and ensure they play within them at all times upholding the Spirit of Cricket.
3. Familiarise yourself with team selection policy and principles and reinforce to your child.
4. Ensure your child is punctual in attending coaching and training sessions as well as match fixtures – Inform the relevant team manager, giving as much notice as possible, if your child becomes unavailable after being selected to represent the club so a replacement can be found. Take responsibility for organising your child's transport to away fixtures.
5. Understand that junior members must wear suitable playing (whites and cricket shoes/spikes) & protective kit (helmet, abdo guard, pads and thigh pads, when batting or wicket keeping) for training and matches, as agreed with the coach/team manager.
6. All parents, guardians and carers are expected to pay any fees for training (including annual subscriptions) or for specific events promptly and in line with the club's instructions.
7. Support your child's involvement and help them enjoy their cricket - Never force your child to play or openly criticise their performance.
8. Recognize children's efforts and performances, rather than winning and results. Encourage positive attitude and application and focus upon technical development, skill acquisition and decision making.
9. Role-model & display high standards of behaviour at all times:
 - (a) Always show appreciation of good play from both Guiseley CC and the opposition.
 - (b) Respect decisions made by managers and coaches and encourage the young players to do likewise.
 - (c) Reinforce Team-First outlook and the importance of being a team-player
 - (d) Use correct and appropriate language at all times. (e) Do not condone, or allow to go unchallenged, any form of discrimination if witnessed. Treat everyone equally and not discriminate on the grounds of age, gender, disability, race, ethnic origin nationality, colour, parental or marital status, religious belief, class or social background, sexual preference or political belief.
10. Support your coaches - let the coach's coach and work with players uninterrupted at training sessions and do not shout or offer advice from the boundary during matches.
11. Consider if you can assist the club with a volunteering role e.g., bar, teas, scoring, umpiring etc. Remember all the coaches and managers are volunteers. The junior section is heavily reliant on parents, carers and guardians becoming involved.
12. Follow ECB guidelines set out in "Safe Hands – Cricket's policy for Safeguarding Children" and any other relevant guidelines issued. Share any concerns you may have with club officials.
13. Do not to smoke in the vicinity of players, drink excessive alcohol or use banned substances whilst supporting.
14. Club officials reserve the right to speak to and where necessary take appropriate sanctions if parents do not comply with the above.
15. If you have any concerns about the coaches, team selection or the general running of a side then please email safeguard@guiseleycc.co.uk to make an appointment with a club official to discuss further.

SOCIAL EVENTS



Check our Facebook pages and website www.guiseleycricketclub.co.uk for details.

<https://www.facebook.com/guiseleycricketclub>

<https://twitter.com/guiseleyclub>

https://instagram.com/guiseley_cricket_club

FRIDAY NIGHTS

UNDER 7 SESSIONS

We will be starting this year on the 25th April starting at 18:15. (weather permitting).

The bar and BBQ will be open during the evening and it is a great opportunity for kids and parents to learn how to play cricket, socialise with friends or make new friends!

For further information please come along to the Junior registration night or email membership@guiseleycc.co.uk

Everyone is welcome so please ask your friends and family along.

2025 Junior Registration Evening

We will be hosting this year registration at **Guiseley Cricket club from 6-8pm on the 21st March 2025**

This is your chance to join as a new or renew as a existing member (optional), ask questions on the new season and socialise with other parents and Junior players.

If you are unable to make the sessions then don't panic as you can register on our online membership site - www.membermojo.co.uk/gcc



As well as attending and enjoying all social events, please feel free to get involved with helping the junior committee and team managers in organising fundraisers throughout the year. It is vital to the ongoing success of the junior section and the club

Please contact the Junior Chairman (Keith Buckle or your Junior team manager or one of the committee members (see below).

Sunday Cricket Cafe

2025 will see the Sunday GCC cafe back open during junior cricket matches. This is a vital revenue stream for the junior section as well as providing much needed sustenance to the crowds of spectators that enjoy sunday morning junior cricket.

A rota will be drawn up by all team managers for home games so please support them and volunteer to help as training and support will be provided. Please support your team by volunteering to help!

CLUB CONTACTS

Club President - Roger Waite
Club Chairman - Nick Fraser
Treasurer - Peter Towner
Club Secretary Sean Yeates

Junior Section Chair Person

Keith Buckle - 07905311629

Junior Welfare Officer

Tori Waring - 07970979467

Anika Williams - 07968445636

Club Stewards

Julie & Anthony Naylor - 07476246615

Junior Section Committee Members

Robert Atkinson

Keith Buckle

Jonathon Carey

Russ Kenyon

Louis McMurrough

Tori Waring

Anika Williams

Sean Yeates

Anyone is welcome to attend the regular committee meetings if you have any queries or concerns that need to be raised in that forum.

Contact the junior section of the club by email on admin@guiseleycc.co.uk.



GUISELEY C.C.



*****GCC VOLUNTEERS WANTED*****

I can't appeal strong enough or authentically enough – we need parents to step-up.

We currently have a number of vacancies and gaps in volunteer provisions which we are actively recruiting for without which will affect cricket provision for juniors next season and years to come. The majority of current volunteer coaches and committee members are already undertaking multiple roles and responsibilities working across multiple age groups! Quite simply the club is only as strong as its volunteer network and we are looking to increase and grow this to not only lighten the load but critically to tap into wider professional expertise and skillsets to achieve forward looking continuing growth and transformation plans together with strengthening sustainability.

All roles are actively supported through existing experienced volunteer network, General Committee and Junior Committee but we need more skillsets, more diverse thinking so please engage and come forward to make a difference.

GCC JUNIOR COMMITTEE VACANCIES + WIDER ROLES

We are looking for a range of professional skillsets including but not limited to:

- Strategic thinkers bringing new thinking, the art of possible type outlook
- Secretariat / project or programme managers
- Website manager / content creator
- Community Partner Manager
 - e.g. Secondary & Primary School link and partner work
- Marketing & Comms / Social Media professionals (Help us create content)
- Sponsorship, Financial & Inward Investment expertise – anyone with expertise in securing and maximising income generation from a range of sources

Please get in touch directly to Keith Buckle (Junior Chairman on Mobile: 07905 311629, Email: knbuckle@yahoo.co.uk) or Nick Fraser (Club Chairman on Mobile: 0771 252 6948, Email: nick@adjustingappointments.com).