



Cornwall Youth Association

Specific Rules for the Under 11 League Competition and County KO Competition

- The format of this game is supported by Standard Cricket, not pairs. (ECB Junior Format Recommendations 2018),
- 2. Teams should consist of 8 players.
- 3. The pitch shall be 17yds in length (ECB Junior Format Recommendations 2018), use a 40 m boundary with a hardball.
- 4. The game should last one innings of 16-20 overs per team and no longer than two hours.
- 5. The home side shall provide a reasonable quality 4 %oz leather match ball that is acceptable for both teams.
- 6. Fielders are not allowed within 10 meters of the bat until after the ball is hit (excluding the wicket keeper and slips).

Batting Rules

- 1. All batters to retire at 25 runs. The last scoring shot counts.
- 2. Batters have two lives.
- 3. If only one batter remains, a retired batter can come back in to partner them.
- 4. When a better loses their 1st life the batters to swap ends following a dismissal. If there is a run out the not out batter should face the next delivery.
- 5. Batters can be given out in the following ways, bowled, caught, run out, stumped, hit wicket.
- **6.** In the League Structure, Batters can't be out LBW, but Officials have a responsibility to remind batters that standing in front of the stumps, or directly knocking the ball away from hitting the stumps is not acceptable.

Bowling

- 1. There are only six deliveries per over. No balls and wides add two runs to the batting team's score, no extra ball is to be bowled with exception to the last over of the innings, when 2 runs remains but you need to re-bowl the delivery.
 - a. A No ball should be called if:
 - i. The ball bounces over-head height when the batter is in their normal stance (bouncer)
 - ii. The ball reaches the batter above waist height without bouncing (beamer)
 - iii. The bowler oversteps the crease
 - iv. If the ball bounces twice times before passing the crease line
 - b. A wide is called if:
 - i. The ball goes outside the wide markers at the batters crease
- 2. All players must bowl at least two overs. (Except the wicket keeper) and no more than 4 overs.

- 3. Bowlers are limited to a short run up, encouraging a fast-paced game with plenty of action and minimal down time)
- 4. Bowlers are to bowl from the same end for the entire game.
- 5. Umpires are asked to encourage bowling with a straight arm.

Fielding

- 1. Rotate the fielders so that everyone gets a feel for the different positions. The wicket keeper remains in place for the duration of the innings.
- 2. If using a softball, the wicket Keeper should be rotated.