

Grantham Cricket Club

Parent Managers

Approx. time required: 1 hour per week during the junior season

The junior section of the club can only persevere with the help of the parents. In order for the children to succeed and enjoy their cricket we need to make sure we are well organised and that is where our volunteers can add huge value to the club.

What would I have to do?

The key responsibilities of the Parent Managers are:

- Collecting and compiling availability month-by-month
- Emailing the squad 5 days in advance of each match to announce the team
- Being available to assist the team coach on match days, or delegating this responsibility.

How long will it take?

It is difficult to put an exact time commitment on the jobs described but as an estimation:

- Collecting availability – 2 hours in early April, May, June and July
- Emailing the squad – 15 minutes in advance of each of 10 games
- Assisting team coach – 3 hours, whilst watching the matches

How does it all work?

Everything you need, with the exception of an email account has already been created for you including spreadsheets for keeping track of availability. Emails are sent via the club's "play-cricket" website in order to protect personal information as much as possible. We can show you how everything works and there are helpful sheets in case you ever forget what is needed.

Do I have to do this on my own?

Definitely not. You'll have the help of a coach and the Junior Chairman in case you ever need any help. The job itself could also be shared between two parents if that would be easier for you.

How do I get involved?

Thanks for asking! Please contact secretary@granthamcricketclub.co.uk and we can help get you started. We always try and pair new recruits with an experienced hand so we can show you it's not scary at all.

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