

Grantham Cricket Club

Scoring

Approx. time required: 7 hours per game at on Saturday or Sunday when you are available to score.

We field six senior teams almost every week and we are always looking for ways to help the cricketers concentrate on their skills. One of the jobs that is often overlooked but never undervalued is scoring. If you're interested in joining our team of scorers, here's how you can:

But I don't have much experience...

That's ok, we are able to help you learn the basics of scoring. How far you go from there is up to you. A number of our members are accomplished scorers and excellent teachers. We can get you started and would also be able to support you if you'd like to work toward the scoring accreditations.

When are the matches?

The majority of our cricket is played on either Saturday or Sunday. Games start at either 12pm or 1pm, depending on which league the teams play in and are between 40 and 50 overs. Games are typically finished by 7:30pm.

What would I need?

Some scorers use an array of coloured pens but, to start with, you would only need a pencil, sharpener and rubber. The club supply scorebooks to every team so no need to worry about that.

Summary

A typical day scoring for the club would be something like this:

12:30 – Arrive at the club, have a cup of tea and get ready for the game

13:00 – Score the first innings of the game with the opposition scorer in our electronic scoreboard

16:00 – Join the players and umpires for tea in the pavilion

16:30 – Score the second innings of the game

19:30 – Finish scoring and enjoy a drink on us (*Hopefully celebrating a victory!*)

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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