



ADULT TAPE BALL CRICKET

League

Co-Rec League

Friday/Saturday, Co-Rec League, \$285

May 4, May 10, May 11, May 18, May 31 June 1

Game start times between 6-10 p.m.

Registration Information

Teams register online at EdinaMN.gov/parks. Entries are accepted on a first come, first served basis. Registration for all teams opens Feb. 19. Deadline to register is April 24, 2019. League will start May 4, 2019.

League Information

Cricket is played between two teams, each consisting of eight players. The team that scores the most runs wins the game. To score a run, the batting team must complete a full run between the marked lines. Each team has a chance to bat and field (an inning). Teams will play at least five games throughout the season. League will have a single elimination playoff. Games are played on night indicated above and refereed by a paid official. Makeup games can be played on any night of the week. Weather dependent, league will start the week of May 4. The weather activity phone number is 952-826-0368. Schedules and weekly standings will be posted on the City of Edina Parks & Recreation website. Edina league champions will receive championship t-shirt. Edina resident teams made up of 90% Edina residents receive a resident discount.

Location

- Braemar Field, 7509 Ikola Way, Edina, MN 55439
- Pamela Park Turf Field, 4301 W 58th Street, Edina, MN 55424

Equipment and Field

- Teams should bring a first aid kit to each game.
- Metal spikes are not allowed.
- The field will be the outermost lines on the turf.
- A ball is considered in play if it remains in the playing area. The ball is out of play if any part of it touches the outside line.
- Uniforms are not required.
- A tape ball (modified tennis ball) will be provided for the game.
- A bat will be provided for the game.

Roster and Players

- All players must be 18 years of age.
- Games are played with eight players on the field at one time.
- Rosters are due before the first game. Teams can have a maximum of 15 players on their roster.
- Players can be added to the roster until May 10, 2019.

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- Edina resident teams must have 90% Edina residents. An individual living in or working full-time in Edina is considered a resident.
- Teams must have seven players to start a game. If a team does not have enough players five minutes after scheduled game time, the game will result in a forfeit.
- Teams must have at least two females on the field at all times.
- At least one male must be present to play. (Example: six females and one male is legal.)
- If you need additional players, please contact Tiffany Bushland at tbushland@EdinaMN.gov for a list of interested players.
- An individual cannot play on two teams within the same league.

General Rules

- The official rules of the league will be the 'Laws of Cricket' unless otherwise indicated in this document.
- Games will be eight overs long with a 60-minute time limit. A 30-minute time limit will be enforced for each team's eight overs. An over is six playable bowls of the ball.
- Games played as one innings each, with eight overs per innings.
- Draws are allowed.

Bowling and Fielding Team

- Assign one player to bowl and one to wicket keep. All other players are in the field trying to get the batsman out.
- Below is a list of ways a batsman can get out:
 - If the ball is hit up in the air and the fielder catches it before it hits the ground.
 - If fielder gains possession of ball and hits one of the wickets before the batter reaches the corresponding crease.
 - If bowler bowls the ball and the ball makes it past the batter into the stumps.
 - The Leg Before Wicket (LBW) rule will not be enforced and will not result in a batsman being called out.
- Bowler can bowl overarm or underarm. Balls can bounce only once on the wicket. Bowlers can only bowl one over at a time. Only 2 bowlers are allowed to bowl a maximum of 2 overs each in one inning.
- No balls- when the bowler oversteps the crease, bowls in a dangerous manner or incorrectly, or if the ball rises above the batter's head- score one run and re-bowl the pitch.
- A wide- when the ball goes outside the line indicated next to the wickets- score one run and re-bowl the pitch.
- A leg bye- when the ball hits the batter without contacting their bat, the batter may score by running.
- A bye- when the batter runs without the ball coming into contact with their body or bat, they may score by running.

Batting Team

- Two batters at a time. One batter starts at the batting end and one starts at the bowling end.
- Batting team tries to score runs by hitting the ball when it is bowled. Batter stands in front of the wicket line. Batter becomes a runner after they hit the ball. Batter must make it to the other wicket before the fielding team can get them out.
- One run is awarded if the batters reach the opposite crease safely.
- Six runs are awarded to the batting team if the batter hits the ball in the air beyond the marked line on the field.

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- Four runs are awarded to the batting team if the batter hits the ball and it rolls outside the marked line with at least one bounce inside the field.
- Batting order must remain consistent throughout the game.
- A batsman must retire once they have made 30 runs without getting out.
- If an umpire is absent, managers should agree on an umpire and play the game.
- No protests are allowed, league is meant to have fun. Umpire has sole authority over the game.

Playoff Information

- Each Edina league will have a single elimination playoff.
- Tie breaker analysis standings are first calculated using games back. If there is a tie after the initial calculation, the following tie breaker configurations will be used to break the tie or ties.
 - 1 Winning Percentage
 - 2 Head-To-Head
 - 3 Head-To-Head Differential
 - 4 Total Runs For
 - 5 Total Runs Against
 - 6 Total Runs Differential
 - 7 Lowest Number of Forfeits
 - 8 Coin Toss

Weather Information

- Captains will be emailed if games are canceled by the league director before 4:30 p.m.
- Cancellations will be displayed on edinamn.gov/parks and weather activity phone number is 952-826-0368.
- In questionable weather situations, game decisions will be made by the umpire at the playing field.

Player Conduct

- Alcohol is not allowed in Edina parks, parking lots or surrounding streets.
- Smoking is not allowed in Edina parks or parking lots.
- Umpires have the authority to remove or ban a player and/or manager from the game and park.
- The team manager will represent and be responsible for all actions of the team while at the park. Only team manager should address the umpire on judgment calls.
- Swearing or cursing can be grounds for ejection by umpire.
- If a player is removed from a game by an umpire, League Director may impose additional consequences.

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