

GJCC Coaches and Managers Night: Season 2021/2022

Gordon Keefe – President
Ben Peel – Coaches Coordinator
Andrew Seyderhelm – Coach
Liz Wilkes – Manager



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Kids play cricket to have fun -
our job is to make sure they do



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Overview of the night

- Child safety and COVID-19 considerations
- Coaches Coordinator (Ben Peel) will discuss his role and resources available to you
- Discuss all the little things that go into coaching and managing a junior cricket team
- Liz Wilkes will provide an overview of the role of the manager
- Andrew Seyderhelm will give his insights into coaching junior cricket teams
- Finish up with a discussion on communication, and then answer your questions



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Ginninderra Cricket Club Values



Teamwork

Unite positively and effectively, on and off the field.

Inclusion

Provide equal access to opportunities and resources for all our members.

Growth

Constantly develop individuals, our teams and the Club.

Engagement

Effective communication and participation by all stakeholders.

Respect

Consider feelings, beliefs, opinions and rights of all, and represent the Club well at all times.

Success

Driven to achieve individual, team and Club goals.

Child Safety and Member Protection Information

Child Safety

- All coaches and managers will need to apply for a Working With Vulnerable People (WWVP) card
 - <https://www.accesscanberra.act.gov.au/s/article/working-with-vulnerable-people-wwvp-registration-tab-overview>
- CA Child Safety policies
- Ginninderra policy on club website
- Child Safety Officer is Gordon Keefe
 - Senior Club have appointed three Child Safety Officers this season
 - There is a report form on the website, or call/email me direct
 - If you believe a child is in immediate danger, call the police
- Member Protection Information Officer is Tim McNevin
 - Provides support if there are complaints/grievances
- Child safety is one of the most important roles a Coach and Manager will play



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COVID-19

- GJCC Covid-19 Match Day Guidelines on website
- GJCC Covid-19 Safety Plan on website
- All players and parents must sign in at venues (QR codes are at all ACT grounds)
- Each kit will have manual sign in sheets for those who cannot use QR codes
- Coaches and managers are to ensure all Ginninderra members comply with the guidelines and plans; they are also to encourage visiting teams to do so as well (should be a point of discussion when first meeting the coach/manager of the visiting team)
- Key points
 - Check-in
 - Provide access for everyone to the sanitiser each team will be allocated
 - Exclude participants who are unwell
 - No more than 25 at training
 - Minimise sharing of equipment. If you do share, it must be sanitised between uses
 - Umpires are not to hold hats/jackets, and should avoid touching ball



Coaches Coordinator

Ben Peel

- The best that 'you' can be
- Sportplan subscription
 - www.sportplan.net
- Cricket Australia Coaching coaching app
 - CA Coach
- Senior players
- Committee members
- Coaches Whatsapp Group



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Bits and pieces

- Scorebooks
- Match balls
- Rule books
- Coach's and Manager's shirts
- Player uniforms
- Kit
- Incident reporting
 - Injuries
 - Child safety incidents



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It takes a village to operate a cricket team

- Coach
- Manager
- Scorers
- Umpires
- Parents
- Ground bookings
 - Andrew Seyderhelm
- GJCC Coach Coordinator
 - Ben Peel
- Equipment Manager
 - Rob Weightman



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Manager's role

(Keep the team informed
and running smoothly)

Liz Wilkes

- Pre-season
 - Meet with Coach: agree on roles and training time
 - Book ground for training
 - Email parents: training details, what and when you'll communicate, ask everyone how they can help
 - Set up scorers and umpires roster
- Pre-match
 - Game day information to parents
 - Confirm scorers and umpires
 - Organise fill-ins for any absences
 - Enter team nominations in MyCricket
- Match day
 - Provide book and pencils to scorers
 - Greet other team
 - Open and close toilets (home games)
 - Table and shade/cold packs/lollies
 - Last to leave
- Post match
 - Enter results and player stats into MyCricket



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Coach's role

Andrew Seyderhelm

- Pre-season
 - Collect kit
- Pre-training
 - Planning and preparation (if in doubt talk with Ben)
 - Communication - Options: Email, WhatsApp etc.
- Training
 - Match review: historical and upcoming
 - Team goals
 - Individual player development (player and person)
- Pre-match
 - Team line-up
- Match day
 - Team line-up for scorers (ensure you understand the rules)
 - Ground set up
 - Warm up
 - Team roles
 - Break
 - Wrap up
- Post match
 - Post-game debrief (positive)



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Communication is key

- Methods
 - WhatsApp groups
 - Other Apps
 - Email
 - Conversation
 - Facebook
- Please read the Ginninderra Alerts - they will have important information
- Cancellations
 - On game days, Cricket ACT will make the call regarding cancellations
 - I will inform everyone as soon as I can. If you don't hear anything, proceed to the ground and assess conditions



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Important dates

- Thursday 14 October
 - Umpires and Scorers Night
- Friday 5 November
 - Season commences
- Last rounds before Xmas
 - T20s 13 Dec
 - Weekend starting 17 Dec
- Return from Xmas break
 - T20s 31 Jan 22
 - Weekend starting 4 Feb
- Grand Finals
 - T20s 2 Mar
 - Colts T20 7 Mar
 - Weekend starting 11 Mar



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Points of Contact

- President (Gordon) – GJCC.President@gmail.com
- Registrar (Colin) – GJCC.Registrar@gmail.com
- Secretary (Steve) – GJCC.Secretary@gmail.com
- Coach coordinator (Ben) – GJCC.Coaches@gmail.com
- Ground booking (Andrew) – GJCC.Grounds@gmail.com
- Equipment (Rob) – GJCC.Equipment@gmail.com
- Girls Cricket (Helen) – GJCC.juniorgirls@gmail.com
- Website – www.ginninderrajcc.com.au
- Ginninderra Junior Cricket Club Facebook Page



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Thank you!



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