



SABRES SCOOP



Official newsletter of the Newcastle City and Eastern Districts Cricket Club

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New Sponsor!

Remember we said that if you were instrumental in securing a sponsorship of **\$1000** or more for the club, your player registration would be paid for the year? Well, it has happened and we welcome on board our new sponsor Merewether Surfhouse.



A big thank you to the player who arranged the sponsorship and now enjoys free rego. You could do it too! More information can be obtained if required. But hurry, sponsorship needs to be confirmed by **22 August** (now extended) to be entitled to receive the free rego offer and for sponsors logos to appear on training shirts.

Don't forget the NAB and Commonwealth Bank 'introducer' programs. Simply consider looking to use these banks to get a home loan, (or refer family and friends), and you will be supporting your club AND possibly be eligible for free registration for the 2016/17 season. (Home loan offer will continue throughout the season). Contact the committee for more information at newcastlesabrescricket@gmail.com

Junior Registration

Registration Days are as follows:

Dates: **Fridays 19th and 26th August 2016** at King Street McDonalds
Friday 2nd September 2016 at No.1 Sportsground (Admin Building)
Time: **4.30 pm - 6.00 pm**

MILO in2Cricket - 5 to 8 years (starts Fri 21 Oct) - \$90
MILO T20 Blast - 8 to 11 years (starts Mon 10 Oct) - \$125
U11s Participation Cricket - Under 11 years (starts Sat 15 Oct) - \$150
U12s Participation Cricket - Under 12 years (starts Sat 15 Oct or Tues 18 Oct) - \$170
Under 12 to Under 17/18 30 Overs Cricket (starts Sat 15 Oct) - \$190
U13 Sixers Girls Cricket - Under 13 years (starts Fri 14 Oct) - \$110

For a second family member the fee will reduce by \$20 and for a third the fee will reduce by \$80 (does not apply for MILO in2Cricket and MILO T20 Blast).

In particular we are keen to support girls cricket and have a team in the U13 Sixers Girls Cricket on Friday evenings – tell your friends and neighbours and encourage girls to get involved.

For further information regarding Juniors email badat@iinet.net.au

Stars of the future

Congratulations to the following Newcastle City boys who have been announced as members of various representative teams.

Members of the U16 NDCA Representative team for season 2016/17. Well done to:

Callan Fowler (captain), Ahmed Badat, Aiden Galvin, Lewis Hextell, Jack Montgomery and Liam Whitehead.

Members of the U19 Newcastle Training Squad for season 2016/17. Well done to:

Quinn Fowler, Sam O'Sullivan and Ryan Van Kemenade.

Sam O'Sullivan has also been named in the Country Sixers team who will clash with the Country Thunder in **the U17 State Challenge** in Coffs Harbour on the 19 - 21 August.

Well done boys and good luck for an outstanding season!

Help needed to mend covers

We need your help! Our covers at Learmonth Park are a bit patchy in places with some work needed, particularly along the seams. Is anyone able to help or know of someone who could make some running repairs? Contact a committee member or the mailbox if you can assist.

Pre-season Training

Training has started and is going great guns - please check [schedule](#) or go to website for further details. This schedule includes indoor and outdoor sessions as well as players' meetings and bonding sessions – stay informed!



Put **Saturday 27th August** in your diary now – there will be a club bonding session at the Bennett Hotel on that night with a club players meeting and discussion about playing expectations. More info to follow next week.

Fundraiser for Kody

Don't forget to organise a group of mates and get along to the fundraiser for Kody. The event is on Friday 9th September at Club Azzuri and is \$50 pp. where you get a feed and a few laughs. Email newcastlesabrescricket@gmail.com and we will arrange tickets.

Contact us

If you have a question, or news to share, don't be shy - contact us at newcastlesabrescricket@gmail.com

Yours in cricket,

John Hodgson (President) and Committee

Newcastle City Sabres thank their sponsors and supporters

