



WELCOME

It is a real pleasure to be hosting the IAPS Boys' Cricket Competition this year and I hope that everyone has a rewarding day. Events like this inspire and motivate young people to pursue their talents and this is what we are all about here at Millfield.

I hope that today we will see some of the stars of the future showing off their skills and aptitude for the game.

I know that all the players will be determined to do their best but, whatever the results, above all I hope that they enjoy themselves.

Dan Thornburn, Head of Millfield Prep

I would like to extend a warm welcome to everyone. I hope the players will have a great day; make new friends and gain valuable experiences that will help in their cricket development.

Here at Millfield Prep cricket is the major sport of the term for our boys and girls. There is a full fixture list for both for all abilities - including development games against counties. We also operate a full winter training programme throughout the winter. We have had a long list of cricketers who have gone on to play first class cricket and hopefully lots more to come.

I do hope the cricket staff and parents have a lovely day. Good luck to all the players. I hope you all enjoy the experience and have fun. Thank you to our outstanding ground staff. I am sure you will agree that the grounds and facilities are splendid. I look forward to meeting you all.

David Beal, Director of Cricket, Millfield Prep

WELCOME FROM IAPS

First and foremost, sport is about participation and enjoyment. Sport is an incredibly important part of the personal development of children. Thanks to our eager and enthusiastic membership, over 22,000 children take part in the IAPS Sport programme every year. With 22 sports to choose from and over 170 events organised annually, there are plenty of opportunities for our member schools to get involved in.

Whether this is your first time at an IAPS event, or you have been entering them for many years, we hope you enjoy the competition and good luck.

IAPS SPORT





SAFEGUARDING

IAPS believes that the welfare and wellbeing of all children (young people under the age of 18) and adults at risk attending an IAPS event is of the highest concern. All such persons have the right to safety and protection and any suspicions, concerns or allegations of harm will be taken seriously and will be dealt with swiftly and appropriately.

IAPS expects all adults who are engaged with the delivery of sports events to fully comply with safeguarding procedures as laid out in the IAPS Safeguarding Policy and Procedures, and the KCSiE document (these are available on our website: sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding).

IAPS expects all coaches present to be DBS checked and have received relevant safeguarding training at their school/club.

IAPS expects that all adults attending events have read the IAPS code of conduct, photo policy & anti bullying policy. These are available to read and download from our website here: sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding.

If you have any safeguarding concerns today, please don't hesitate to speak to Emily Connell, Mike Kershaw or a member of the organising team.

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CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SPECTATORS

Where permitted, we are delighted to welcome spectators to attend IAPS events.

As a **spectator/parent** at an IAPS sports event, you have a responsibility to:

1. Be a positive role model and lead by example. Children are involved in sport for their enjoyment and without undue spectator pressure.
2. Encourage children to play by the rules and respect the officials and their decisions
3. **Respect the officials and their decisions at all times. Video evidence from spectators will not be accepted in any cases to dispute decisions.**
Respect the coaches and their decisions, they give their time, energy and experience to coach your children.
4. **Refrain from any form of abuse towards players, officials and fellow spectators.**
5. Be friendly and respectful to the opposition.
Teach children that effort and teamwork are as important as victory so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment.
6. Turn defeat into victory by helping children work towards skill improvement and a positive sporting attitude.
7. Be aware that IAPS events have comprehensive safeguarding policies and procedures, available on our website:
<https://iaps.uk/sport/safeguarding.html>
Relax and enjoy the event.

IAPS wants all competitions to run without any negative incidents. Excitement and emotions can run high at events, not least amongst the supporters. Unpleasant and inappropriate behaviour is very rarely seen but you should be aware that **IAPS retains the right to ask you to leave the event, if you fail to comply with the code of conduct.**



EVENT INFORMATION

Parking

Can all minibuses and spectators park at the bottom car park, please use the 'overflow car park' if this is full. Any coaches will need to drop off and leave the campus to return for collection.

Umpires

Each team will need to bring a competent umpire. There will be four external umpires on the day to umpire the bowling end of Group, Cup and Plate matches. School umpires will stand at leg for the opponents' innings.

First aid

Schools will be responsible for their own first aid on the day.

Changing facilities

Please come changed, ready to play, toilets will be allocated on the day. Make a base in the sunshine at your pitch.

Refreshments

Tea / Coffee and biscuits will be provided throughout the day for staff and spectators (Please note spectators will need to bring their own lunch). Players and staff will be given a barbecue lunch, but schools may wish to bring further snacks for the day.)

Late arrivals

Teams arriving late will be deemed to have lost the match and opponents gain 3pts for a win.

TIMETABLE/SCHEDULE

Groups

Group 1	Group 2
1. Millfield Preparatory School	5. Hall Grove
2. Highfield School	6. Taunton Prep School
3. The Downs School	7. Hazlegrove School
4. King's Hall School	8. King Edward's Junior School

Matches

	Dutton Pitch	Sports Hall Pitch	Edgarley Pitch	Havyatt Pitch
	Group 1	Group 1	Group 2	Group 2
9.30am	1 v 2	3 v 4	5 v 6	7 v 8
10.45am	1 v 3	2 v 4	5 v 7	6 v 8
12.00am	1 v 4	2 v 3	5 v 8	6 v 7
1.15pm	LUNCH			
	Cup Semi	Cup Semi	Plate Semi	Plate Semi
2.15pm	Win G1 v 2nd G2	Win G2 v 2nd G1	3rd G1 v 4th G2	3rd G2 v 4th G1
	Cup Final	3rd/4th	5th/6th	7th/8th
3.30pm	Win Semis	Lose Semis	Win Semis	Lose Semis
5.00pm finish				



DISCOVER BRILLIANCE

OPEN DAYS

Open Days are held in October, March and May.

11+ SCHOLARSHIPS – APPLY BY 1 DECEMBER 2023

Academic, Art, Music, Sport (including Riding) Scholarships are available for entry into Years 6, 7 and 8. Scholarships can be supplemented with bursaries. We will be offering a new Millfield Prep Award from September 2023 recognising Prep pupils who are talented all-rounders.

BOARDING OPTIONS

Full and flexi boarding is available and provides an excellent introduction to boarding before the transition to senior school.

NEXT
OPEN DAY
OCTOBER 7



MILLFIELD
PREP SCHOOL



RULES AND REGULATIONS

Aim

1. The enjoyment for, and fair play by, all players.

Pitch

2. Two sets of wickets, 17 yards apart.

2.1 Boundaries – maximum of 40 metres apart but can be reduced to accommodate more matches—most are 35m.

Teams

3. Each team comprises of 8 players. Squads are limited to 10 players.

3.1 In the event of injury to a player, a substitute will be allowed to field, but not bowl. Should such an injury prevent the player batting, a substitute will be allowed to bat only with the permission of the opposing member of staff.

The Start

4. The two teams toss a coin to decide which team has the choice of either batting or fielding first.

The Game

5. Throughout the tournament each game shall consist of one innings per team, each innings to be 8 overs long.

Batting and Scoring

6. The batting side shall be divided into pairs, each pair batting for 2 overs, with a new pair starting at the end of the second, fourth and sixth overs.

6.1 Each team starts batting with a score of 200 runs.



6.2 Each time a batter is out, 5 runs are deducted and the other batter of the pair faces the next ball.

6.3 A batter may be out bowled, caught, run out, stumped, hit wicket. Please shout the scores out after EACH over, to ensure scores are the same at the end.

6.5 Runs will be scored in the normal way, as will byes.

6.6 3 runs will be awarded to the batting team for each wide ball and no-ball bowled, but no extra ball will be allocated, except in the final over of each innings when, in addition to the 1 run, an extra ball will be bowled.

6.7 At the end of the first 2 overs, the first pair of batters retires and is replaced by the second pair until all 4 pairs have batted for 2 overs each.

6.8 The second team then bats for their 8 overs.

Bowling and Fielding

7. Each player on the fielding side must bowl 1 over, except the wicket keeper (one player will bowl 2 overs)

7.1 Bowling will take place from one end only.

7.2 Bowling should be over arm.

7.2.2. Underarm bowling is unacceptable and the 'double bounce' rule should be applied i.e. if the ball bounces more than ONCE, or rolls along the ground before it reaches the popping crease.

We will be playing rule 7.2.2 in the Tournament.

7.3 Players on the fielding side DO need to rotate fielding positions.

7.4 With the exception of the wicketkeeper no fielder may field within 10 yards of the wicket, measured from the middle stump except behind the wicket on the off-side. A fielder may move into the restricted area to field a ball provided he/she was outside the area when the stroke was made.



The Result

8.1 The team with the higher score wins.

Group stages

3pts for a win

1pt for a draw

0pts for a loss

If a draw at the end of the group stages;

- the result between the tied teams
- combined highest runs scored
- most wickets taken

Finals Stage

If equal scores, then the team that has taken the most wickets wins, if still equal the team that scored the most runs in the group stages wins.

In the event of a tie the team taking more wickets in the group stages will be the winner. If it is still equal, each player bowls 1 ball at the wickets (no batter), with the team scoring the higher number of strikes the winner.

Medals will be awarded to the top three teams.



MERCHANDISE

IAPS are delighted to have Shirt Logos as our official merchandisers, to sell branded products both online and at events throughout the year. All commission made from merchandise is directly put back into running the sports programme. Merchandise can be bought online at: iapssport.shirtlogos.co.uk



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RESULTS

Results for team events will be published live using SOCS. Links to the results are available via our IAPS Sport app. Results for individual sports events will not be available live but will be published on our website as soon as possible after the event.

Please note all results are now published in the member area of our website which is only accessible to school staff. Parents should request any information from the school.

PHOTOGRAPHY ADVICE

There is no professional photography at IAPS Sport events, however parents and spectators can take their own pictures. There is no law against taking photos at public events for personal use, including pictures of other people's children ([Ask the Police, 2018](#)). IAPS asks parents and spectators to be cautious when sharing any images on social media. The NSPCC have useful advice on sharing images here:

<https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/research-resources/briefings/photography-sharing-images-guidance/>



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