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Dear cricketing friends,

We write to you full of hope as the days are starting to draw out as we move into spring and the thought of a "nearly normal" cricket filled summer is so tantalisingly possible. Although it's only March, it must be time to start dreaming about those long summer days and the kids playing cricket at Cricket Meadow once more.

The junior committee have been working tirelessly over the winter months to put together a great programme for your children, taking them from the age of 5 with nationally supported ECB All Stars, on to the ECB Dynamo's programme and then continuing through the age groups with a mixture of hard ball and soft ball cricket for all ages.

As with everything at the moment, we have had to pay scrupulous attention to ever evolving Covid-19 guidance and regulation at government, ECB and local level. Our cricketing action plan has been put together with the complete intention of it running as detailed below as per the ECB's return to cricket roadmap. However, we must remind you all that we shall always have to be led by the latest legislation and adhere to strict social distancing guidelines and participation ratios.

Junior Membership

In order to ensure that as a club we are as Covid compliant as possible, we have revamped our registration process, moving to an online system, whether this be through the ECB Clubspark app for All stars and Dynamos or through our Pitchero club website for all other juniors from year 7 and above.

Our long-established Friday evening coaching will commence on 29th April with our first All Stars only session from 6pm-7pm. From Friday 6th May All Stars and Dynamos programmes will then take place on the same evening. Both of these I2-week programmes will conclude with an awards and celebration evening on Friday 22nd July.

All Stars

All Stars cricket for 5–8-year-olds (reception to year 3) will commence **Friday 29th April 6pm-7pm**.

Membership including free kit bag is £45 with registration via the following link: ClubSpark / All Stars / Course

Dynamo's

Dynamo's cricket for 8–11-year-olds (school years 4 to 6) will commence **Friday 6th May 6:30-8pm**

Membership including free personalised t-shirt is £60 with registration at the following link: ClubSpark / Dynamos / Course



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Junior squad registration

Hardball training with Level 2 qualified ECB coaches for our junior squads (all year 7 and above, plus invitees from younger age groups) will take place on Monday evenings from **6:15-8pm**, **commencing Monday 25**th **April**.

As mentioned, this season's registration process will take place electronically, so please register with our website Bridgnorth Cricket Club (pitchero.com) before completing membership forms and paying subs.

Once this is done please complete the following membership and consent forms for our club records and safeguarding purposes: <u>BCC Junior Registration Form</u>

Junior membership for the 2022 season will be priced at £60 and will be payable online via the **Pitchero club website here** Membership - Bridgnorth Cricket Club shop (pitchero.com) or mobile app.

Please find two handy "how to guides" to help should you need this via the links below:

How to sign up on our website - YouTube

How to pay membership fees on the Pitchero app - YouTube

Junior Teams

We have entered teams at a wealth of age groups this season with a mix of soft and hard ball cricket covering all abilities. Your team manager will be in contact in due course with invitations to attend squad training on Monday evenings and details of fixtures when we have these.

This season we have entered the following teams into various competitions and league structures: U9 & U10 softball festivals

UII, UI3, UI5, UI9 mixed teams

UII, UI3, UI6 girls teams

Hawk Cricket

Our kit continues to be supplied by the fantastic team at Hawk Cricket where you will be able to purchase any playing or practice kit should you wish. This is a busy time of year for Hawk so please order as promptly as possible to ensure kit delivery before the first match of the season.

The full range of Bridgnorth CC kit can be found on Hawk's website:

https://www.hawkcricket.com/bridgnorth-cc

We hope you find all of this information helpful and easy to follow but if there are any questions please contact our membership team or your relevant team manager. Finally, if any of you wish to assist with any of our volunteer based junior training programme in any capacity please let us know.

We cannot wait to welcome you all back through the gates at Cricket Meadow. Yours in cricket.

The Junior Cricket Committee

