



# Club Matters

Developing Cricket Clubs and District Development Groups within Derbyshire

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## CASC - latest update



There are now 5,693 clubs registered nationwide with CASC, claiming an estimated total cash benefit of at least £76.2m by 30 April 2010. The estimated total cash benefits of £76.2m clearly emphasises that the major benefit to CASCs at present is the business rate relief they receive, which comprises 89% of this figure. The Gift Aid take up has been significantly lower, currently at £7.0m, suggesting it is the property owning clubs which have received the major benefits from CASC status up to this point. We strongly urge Cricket clubs to claim gift aid.

On 8 March 2010 a new partnership between Sport England, CCPR and Just Giving was launched at Lords Cricket Ground. The 'JustGiving for Sports Clubs' scheme enables CASCs to raise money through the JustGiving website without having to pay the monthly subscription fee (worth £180 per year). This is aimed at helping clubs to raise money online and making it easier for them to take advantage of Gift Aid on donations. More information about the scheme and details on how to register can be found at the JustGiving website <http://www.justgiving.com/sportsclubs>

Following the recent amendments to the CASC scheme, introduced in the departed Chancellors Budget in March 2010, there is now significantly more guidance available on the HMRC website. The new coalition government has called an Emergency Budget to be held on 22 June 2010, from which there may arise further changes to the legislation.

<http://www.hmrc.gov.uk/charities/casc/index.htm>

## Free Junior Membership



Juniors up to the age of 12 can become a **Junior Falcon** for **FREE\*** and watch Derbyshire County Cricket all season for **FREE**

**2010 Season to include:**

Derbyshire v Australia

Eight Friends Provident t20s

International Cricket - England Women

**Membership Benefits include**

Free entry to all home cricket

Entry to exclusive Members' Enclosure

Discount offers from a selection of local businesses

10% off in the shop

Call 01332 388101 or email [sue.evans@derbyshireccc.com](mailto:sue.evans@derbyshireccc.com) or join today by downloading the form from the DCCC website [www.derbyshireccc.com](http://www.derbyshireccc.com)

\*Parental consent signature will be required. Must be aged between 0 and 12 on 1st January 2010 to qualify for free

## Cover Point

### Coach Education Requirements

We recently sent out an email asking Clubs to send us information on the Coaching needs in their Club. This information plays a vital role in the planning of the coaching syllabus for this year. If you haven't yet returned the information to us please send the completed form to Greig Wright. The closing date for receipt of your coach education requirements is Friday 16th July. If you need another copy of the form contact Jacqui Hendrick - 01332 388111



## Derbyshire Cricket Board 2010 OSCA's

The closing date for OSCA nominations is 30th June. We have had a fairly good response so far but know there are lots of hardworking volunteers out there who should be recognised for the work they do. Have a look at the categories. If they bring to mind someone in your club please nominate them.

**Behind the Scenes** - Someone invisible but your Club couldn't do without them. Someone who is willing to try their hand at anything in order to get the job done.

**Young Volunteer** - A volunteer aged between 16-25 years who has made a positive impact on their Club and other members.

**Officials** - An Official who has visibly increased the quantity of officials in their County and therefore helped the sustainability of Cricket in England and Wales.

**NatWest CricketForce** - A volunteer or group of volunteers who have made an outstanding contribution to the 2010 event

**Lifetime Achiever** - This individual will have made an outstanding difference to their cricket club, league, board or local cricket community over a number of years

**Leagues and Boards** - This award is aimed at dedication and results in the quality and quantity of participation in all areas of cricket. This can be an individual or a group.

**Building Partnerships** - An individual or organisation who have created sustainable partnerships with schools, voluntary organisations, other sports and/or the local community.

Please return your nomination form to Jacqui Hendrick by 30th June either by email or post.

The DCB OSCA's event will be held on Tuesday 24th August at the County Ground.

## Derbyshire Sport Club Directory



The Derbyshire Sport Club Directory is now live on the Derbyshire Sport website. This is a great way for you to promote your Club to potential new members and volunteers - There are 24 Derbyshire Clubs currently featured in the Directory.

Your club details will initially have to be entered onto an online form which will then be added to the directory. Updating club listings is also easy - you will be contacted at least twice a year to ask if any of the club details have changed, or alternatively you can complete the 'update club details' online form at any time and Derbyshire Sport will update the details online for you.

Just click on the link below to join the Directory.

[http://www.derbyshiresport.co.uk/club\\_support/join\\_the\\_directory/default.asp](http://www.derbyshiresport.co.uk/club_support/join_the_directory/default.asp)

If you have already entered your details onto the Derbyshire County Council Directory you do not need to enter them again, as the two directories are linked.

Should you have any questions or problems accessing the directory you can contact

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