Cloncurry Australia Day Community Cricket Competition Australia Day Reflect. Respect. Celebrate.







2022 Australia Day - Cricket Rules

Game Rules

- Each game shall be played between two (2) teams of eight (8) players.
- A game consists of a maximum of eight (8) overs of six (6) balls per team.
- A game should take no longer than 45 minutes to complete.

Bowling

- Each member of the fielding team must bowl one (1) over.
- All balls are to be bowled from one end only.
- Ladies & Juniors (under 18) are permitted to bowl underarm.

Batting

- Batting Pairs will each bat for 2 overs (depending on above time constraints).
- No batter can get out on a Golden Duck (first ball).
- · Batting team umpires whilst batting

Scoring:

- Lose 5 runs for a wicket.
- Lose 6 runs for one-handed catches.
- Runs 1,2,3...
- 4= boundary 6 = over boundary on full.
- 2 runs for a Wide ball/Leg side ball.
- No ball no extra ball bowled.

Game Results

- The team with the highest score at the end of the match will be declared the winner.
- If the scores of both teams are equal at the end of the game, the team losing the least amount of wickets will be declared the winner.