**2024 GOLDFIELD ASHES CARNIVAL**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**CARNIVAL DATES:**

* **Friday 19th January 2024**
* **Saturday 20th January 2024**
* **Sunday 21st January 2024**

Please ensure your travel arrangements are made with regards to the Carnival dates. The Committee attempts to meet all requests for morning or afternoon games however **THERE IS NO GUARANTEE** that you will get what you requested.

**NOMINATIONS CLOSE: Friday 24th November, 2023**

**No late nominations will be accepted. Nomination form MUST be accompanied by the nomination fee for it to be accepted**.

**DRAW** – once completed will be posted to the web page – [www.goldfieldashes.com.au](http://www.goldfieldashes.com.au)

**‘A’ GRADE – Nomination Fee $660-00 (including GST)**

* Competition will be 20Twenty competition
* Teams may be required to play 2 games in a day
* All games will be on turf wickets (weather permitting)
* Players to include cricket spikes in playing kits
* Prize money & trophies awarded in this division

**‘B1’ GRADE – Nomination Fee $660-00 (including GST)**

* Competition will be 50 over a side games
* Committee will reduce this to 35 overs if grounds become unavailable due to excess water on playing fields.
* Trophies awarded in this division

**‘B2’ GRADE – Nomination Fee $550-00 (including GST)**

* Not a competitive grade
* Games are 35 overs per side. May be reduced to 20Twenty competition if not enough fields available
* Trophies awarded in this division

**‘SOCIAL’ GRADE – Nomination Fee $550-00 (including GST)**

* Not a competitive grade
* Games are 35 overs per side. May be reduced to 20Twenty competition if not enough fields available.
* Trophies awarded in this division

**‘LADIES’ GRADE – Nomination Fee $550-00 (including GST)**

* Competition is dependent on availability of fields
* Games will be run as 20Twenty games (20 overs per side)
* Ladies teams are reminded that they must fulfil all conditions which includes the provision of cricket equipment and umpires for each game.
* Trophies awarded in this division

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

* All nomination fees include GST – if you require an invoice for a sponsor please contact Kerri Forno via email – kerriforno@bigpond.com
* Committee will provide two new balls for each day’s play in all Grades
* Committee will provide Goldfield Ashes programs to each team as well as a map showing all fields
* Competition rules are set out in the Carnival program. These will also be available on the website.
* Teams will be required to supply the following:
	+ A set of stumps
	+ A strong straw broom
	+ A large tarp and/or an appropriate shade cover
	+ Spare balls
	+ Canvas cricket mats in the appropriate grades (A and B1)
	+ A set of boundary markers
* “A” grade teams are still required to have mats at their disposal should weather intervene and games be transferred to concrete wickets.
* **New bank account details:**
	+ - Bank: Queensland Country Credit Union
		- Branch: Charters Towers
		- Account Name: Charters Towers Cricket Association
		- **BSB: 654000**
		- **Account Number: 41423182**
		- Reference: Your team name

Should you require any further information please contact Kerri Forno on 0488791163.