



NCU Domestic Youth Cricket

Under 13 League & Cup Information

- Boys Under 13 and Girls Under 15 born after 1st July in the year preceding the competition are eligible.

Premier League, Division 1 & Banoge Cup

- Hard ball cricket (4 ¾ oz) (Pink or Red)
- Pitch length 19.5 yards
- Max 20 overs per side
- Bowlers are limited to 1/5 of the agreed overs
- Batters must retire at 50 but can come back in once the last wicket falls. **This ruling is only for League fixtures.**
- Fielding circle 20 yards for Premier League and Banoge Cup matches (min of 4 fielders inside the circle)
- Max 40 yard boundaries
- Please refer to the NCU website for fixtures. All fixtures must be played on or before the date on the NCU website. For all League fixtures the final date to play will be the 13th August. If rained off a game must be arranged within 1 week and played within 21 days. In the case of a Cup fixture being called off a game must be arranged and played within a week of it being called off.
- All matches must reflect NCU Young Cricketer Directives (2018)
[http://www.northerncricketunion.org/database/thencu/Documents/Young%20Cricketer%20Directives%20\(2018\).pdf](http://www.northerncricketunion.org/database/thencu/Documents/Young%20Cricketer%20Directives%20(2018).pdf)
- **Rule on Wides in division 1** – No extra ball. 2 penalty runs. Except the last over.
- All fixtures to be played on time. Please contact your League or Cup Secretary if you can't complete a fixture.
- Where there are three league groups, the best runner up will be decided from their percentage of wins including walkovers however, if a team plays less than 50% of their fixtures, that team will be excluded from the league and their walkovers will be discounted from all results.

