



Burnham Cricket Club – Alcohol Consumption Policy

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Purpose

This policy outlines Burnham Cricket Club's rules and expectations regarding the consumption of alcohol on club premises. It is designed to promote a safe, respectful, and enjoyable environment for players, members, families, and visitors.

Policy Statement

Burnham Cricket Club strictly prohibits the consumption of alcohol brought from outside. Only alcohol purchased from the club's licensed bar may be consumed and must only be consumed within the clubhouse as per our licensing agreement.

Key Rules

1. No Outside Alcohol

- It is forbidden to bring any alcoholic beverages onto the club grounds from external sources.
- Any such alcohol found will be confiscated, and individuals may face disciplinary action or removal from the premises.

2. Club Bar Purchases Only

- All alcohol consumed at Burnham Cricket Club must be purchased from the official club bar, which is licensed to serve alcoholic drinks.

3. Clubhouse Consumption Only

- As per our club's alcohol license, alcohol must only be consumed within the clubhouse.
- Alcohol consumption outside the clubhouse—including on the field, in the car park, or around the spectator areas—is not permitted under any circumstances.

4. Private Events

- In the case of a private event hosted at the club premises, Burnham Cricket Club Committee kindly requests all members and guests to speak to the bar staff for any alcohol orders.
- No alcohol is to be served or consumed from outside sources, even during private functions, unless explicitly authorized by the committee and bar staff.

5. Responsible Drinking



- Individuals are expected to drink responsibly at all times.
- Drunken, disruptive, or anti-social behavior will not be tolerated. Bar staff and club officials have the right to refuse service or remove individuals exhibiting such behavior.

6. Junior Matches and Events

- During youth matches or junior-focused events, alcohol consumption will be further restricted and confined to designated areas within the clubhouse to maintain a family-friendly atmosphere.

7. Enforcement & Disciplinary Measures

- Club officials, bar staff, and stewards have full authority to enforce this policy.
- Violations may result in a verbal warning, ejection from club premises, suspension of club privileges, or termination of membership.

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