



We are very proud to have been re-accredited with the Clubmark award in October 2019. Clubmark accreditation recognises cricket clubs that are safe, effective and child friendly when it comes to delivering junior cricket.

## Why Clubmark?

***“Clubmark shows that a club is sustainable, well run and provides the right environment for its members. Clubmark accreditation also means your club is recognised as a safe, rewarding and fulfilling place for participants of all ages, as well as assuring parents and carers that they are choosing the right option for their young people.”***

### **What does Clubmark stand for?**

- Higher standards of welfare, equity, coaching and management in community sports Clubs
- Making sure the nation's sports Club infrastructure is safer, stronger and more successful
- It shows that a Club provides the right environment which ensures the welfare of members and encourages everyone to enjoy sport and stay involved throughout their lives.
- An accredited Club is recognised as a safe, rewarding and fulfilling place for participants of all ages as well as helping parents and carers know that they're **choosing the right Club for their young people**

### **Benefits of Clubmark**

- The development of clear goals and objectives can be communicated to all Club members and the wider community. This highlights the Club's focus and ambition for the future and provides a solid foundation for all Clubs wishing to grow
- The analysis of the current workforce ensures all training is up to date and the Club is operating at its best
- Adopting more organised systems and structures will help the Club run more efficiently and effectively
- Addressing issues such as equality and child protection should **increase parents' confidence when choosing the correct Club for their child**
- Updating policies, training and systems shows confidence and increased productivity. This in turn attracts schools and local authorities who must ensure quality and child friendly systems and procedures
- Clubmark provides recognition for high quality Clubs
- Members can be sure their club is a well-managed Club, striving to offer the best in coaching and sports development