



## Scorers Match Day Checklist

### Before Each Match

- Confirm match details particularly start time, location, parking details, catering arrangements
- Ensure aware of scoring method for the match
- Ensure you have all of the equipment required
  - Scorebook or scoresheets
  - Pens and Pencils
  - Rules and Eraser or correction fluid
  - Notebook
  - Clock or watch
  - Binoculars
  - Chair
  - iPad or Laptop
  - Printer
  - Printer paper

### First Day of Match

- Arrive at the ground well before the scheduled start of play and introduce yourself to your fellow scorer and to the umpires. Ensure the umpires are aware of your scoring position.
- As a scorer you should always make sure your scoring position has a clear view of the entire ground, but especially the pitch and umpires. If you are outside try to find somewhere protected from the weather (wind, sun, rain).
- If you are the 'home' scorer let your fellow scorer know where the scoring position is and the location of the toilets, canteen, etc. The two scorers must sit together during the match.
- Check with your Coach/Captain and write down a list of your team's players (preferably in batting order) and provide a copy to your fellow scorer. They will do the same for their team. Write this list in your pad/note book and not in the scorebook/scoresheets at this stage. Record who has won the toss and whether they have chosen to bat or bowl.
- Make yourself comfortable in your scoring position and complete the headings in the scorebook e.g. BLACKCAPS v AUSTRALIA, Date, Umpires, Scorers, 1st Innings of BLACKCAPS, etc.
- Test scorer's light for signalling umpires (if available)

### At Completion of Match

- After score sheets / score book has been checked and completed provide to appropriate person.