

## **URGENT APPEAL FROM BRINSCALL CRICKET CLUB – ALL STARS & DYNAMOS 2025**

Dear Parents & Guardians,

We need your help! Our All Stars & Dynamos cricket programs are a fantastic way for kids to get active, learn new skills, and have fun—but we can't run them without volunteers.

Each year, around 40 All Stars (ages 5-8) and 30 Dynamos (ages 8-11) take part, and ECB guidelines require at least one qualified Activator and two adult volunteers per 20 children. That means we need at least four Activators and four volunteers—but the more we have, the better we can support the kids with smaller groups.

Unfortunately, we've lost six Activators this year due to personal commitments. While some new volunteers have stepped forward, we still need more qualified Activators to ensure we meet ECB and Clubmark safeguarding requirements.

### **What's involved?**

No cricket experience is necessary! The activities are simple and pre-planned—all you need is enthusiasm. To become an Activator, you'll need to attend a short training course to learn the basics.

We need to confirm volunteers by Friday, 14th February—if we don't have enough, we may not be able to run the program this year.

We also welcome new children to come along and give cricket a try! The All Stars & Dynamos programs are a brilliant way for kids to make friends, build confidence, and have fun in a safe, supportive environment. No experience or equipment is needed—just bring energy and a smile!

If you're interested in volunteering or bringing your child along for a trial, please contact me directly. Your support would make a huge difference!

Many thanks,

Gregory Bolton

Youth Chairman

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