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MESSAGE FROM THE HEADMASTER

A warm welcome to all players, officials, and families attending the St David's Prep T10 Festival. This exciting format brings a dynamic energy to the game, allowing players to showcase their cricketing skills while deepening their appreciation for this beloved sport.

This festival is a wonderful chance to reconnect with old friends and make new ones. Your shared passion for cricket may lead to future encounters and opportunities to play together on the same team.

St David's boasts a proud cricketing legacy, highlighted by our distinguished alumnus Temba Bavuma. Our well-established Cricket Academy features outstanding coaches, and many of our players are selected for various age-group teams in the region.

I extend my heartfelt thanks to everyone who worked tirelessly behind the scenes to make this festival possible, especially our Director of Sports Performance and Cricket, Mr Dave Nosworthy. I also appreciate all those who prepared our fantastic fields and pitches and those providing refreshments throughout the day.

Enjoy the festival - sports have a unique way of fostering relationships, so cherish each moment. Play hard, play fair, and remember the words of Shane Warne: "Cricket is not just about runs and wickets, it's about the emotions and memories it creates."

Yours in cricket,

Mr. Nick Clogg

Headmaster: Preparatory School

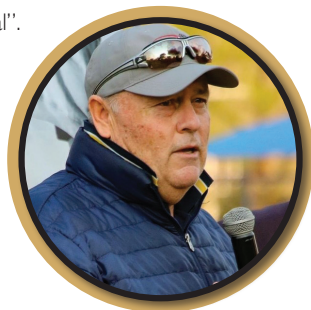




MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR OF CRICKET

Welcome to the "2025 St David's Cricket Company T10 Cricket Festival".

It is always a special time of year, as we welcome all of our Grade 6 Cricketers, and some Grade 5 Cricketers – to enjoy some 'under pressure participation limited overs cricket'. Once again, this year we have teamed up with The Cricket Company as our title sponsor and partner for this festival and would up front like to thank them sincerely as the leading specialist Cricket & Hockey suppliers not only in Johannesburg but also around the entire country.



One of the highlights of this T10 Festival is that all matches are played on our College's Main Cricket Fields, which is a privilege and a genuine experience for all the boys. They also get to play on quality grass pitches, and they get to experience much bigger fields than what they would normally experience. Let us also not forget that in just a few years, these very same boys could well be at St David's Marist Inanda in high school and could be playing on these same fields.

St David's Cricket at the Prep School is hugely important, and we spend a lot of time working with the boys. We have some seriously dedicated school masters, masters in charge of cricket, a professional cricket coach, a head of sport, and some very committed cricket specific coaches who all go about their business every afternoon so to ensure that we produce top young cricketers and good young men. Likewise at the College, cricket is a major sport and apart from the numerous St David's cricketers who have represented South African Schools and the CGL Provincial teams – we are extremely blessed to have no less than 35 players this year who attended the recent final CGL Trials in all the various age groups. For the first time ever, St David's Marist College is extremely proud to have had no less than FOUR cricketers who were selected into the official Lions CGL U18A team last year for their U19 Provincial Week – and we also had THREE boys selected into the SA U19 Team with one being the Captain...

Please enjoy the 2025 T10 Festival – let us all play it in the correct spirit and always ensure that we are growing and developing our young cricketers as they make their way in this great game. Please also remember to be grateful for our wonderful support staff in our umpires, scorers, catering staff, marketing staff, all other staff members, and especially our diligent ground staff - who go above and beyond in terms of ensuring our fields and pitches are always superb.

ENJOY

"The one who falls and gets up – is much stronger than the one who never fell."

Yours in cricket,

Mr. Dave Nosworthy

Director of Sports Performance and Cricket



MESSAGE FROM OUR SPONSOR

Dear Players and Parent's,

We at Cricket Company are very proud to be involved in this tournament for the third year in a row and wish to thank everyone for all of the hard work that has gone into making the he St David's Marist Inanda Cricket Company T10 Festival happen this weekend, we cannot wait to see everyone in action!

The Cricket Company is extremely passionate about our wonderful game. Not only will you look back in a few years' time and remember the runs you scored or the wickets you took but you will remember the journey and the friendships you have formed, which will last a lifetime!

Give it your very best on the field, play fair and create loads of memories. Above all, make the most of it and enjoy every moment of this amazing tournament.

Good luck to you all! Best wishes

Wayne Vincent

Cricket Company



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FIXTURES

FRIDAY - ST DAVID'S PREP T10 FIXTURES

Round	Fixture	Day	Time	Field
Round 1	St Davids Dynamite vs Rivonia Rangers	Friday	12:00-13:20	La Valla Oval
Round 1	St Peters Pirates vs Jan Celliers Chiefs	Friday	12:00-13:20	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 1	Saint Stithians Supermen vs Temba Bavuma Tigers	Friday	12:00-13:20	Gier Oval
Round 2	Montrose Meteor's vs Temba Bavuma Tigers	Friday	13:35-14:55	La Valla Oval
Round 2	St Davids Dynamite vs Jan Celliers Chiefs	Friday	13:35-14:55	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 2	St Peters Pirates vs Rivonia Rangers	Friday	13:35-14:55	Gier Oval
Round 3	Saint Stithians Supermen vs Jan Celliers Chiefs	Friday	15:10-16:30	La Valla Oval
Round 3	Rivonia Rangers vs Montrose Meteor's	Friday	15:10-16:30	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 3	St Davids Dynamite v Temba Bavuma Tigers	Friday	15:10-16:30	Gier Oval

SATURDAY - ST DAVID'S PREP T10 FIXTURES

Round	Fixture	Day	Time	Field
Round 4	St Davids Dynamite vs St Peters Pirates	Saturday	8:00-9:20	La Valla Oval
Round 4	Rivonia Rangers vs Saint Stithians Supermen	Saturday	8:00-9:20	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 4	Jan Celliers Chiefs vs Montrose Meteor's	Saturday	8:00-9:20	Gier Oval
Round 5	Jan Celliers Chiefs vs Temba Bavuma Tigers	Saturday	9:35-10:55	La Valla Oval
Round 5	St David's Dynamite vs Montrose Meteor's	Saturday	9:35-10:55	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 5	St Peter's Pirates vs Saint Stithians Supermen	Saturday	9:35-10:55	Gier Oval
Round 6	Rivonia Rangers vs Temba Bavuma Tigers	Saturday	11:10-12:30	La Valla Oval
Round 6	St Peter's Pirates vs Montrose Meteor's	Saturday	11:10-12:30	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 6	St Davids Dynamite vs Saint Stithians Supermen	Saturday	11:10-12:30	Gier Oval
Lunch	Maristonian Pavilion	Saturday	12:30-13:30	
Round 7	St Peter's Pirates vs Temba Bavuma Tigers	Saturday	13:45-15:05	La Valla Oval
Round 7	Saint Stithians Supermen vs Montrose Meteor's	Saturday	13:45-15:05	Temba Bavuma Oval
Round 7	Rivonia Rangers vs Jan Celliers Chiefs	Saturday	13:45-15:05	Gier Oval
Final 1 & 2			15:30-16:50	La Valla Oval
Play-off 3 & 4			15:30-16:50	Temba Bavuma Oval
Play-off 5 & 6			15:30-16:50	Gier Oval

17:00 - PRIZE GIVING ON LA VALLA OVAL



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FORMAT & PLAYING CONDITIONS

FORMAT

- All matches will be T10 Matches.
- Each team plays against each other once, which makes 6 x Rounds of matches, with a 7th Round for 'Play Off Positions'.

THE POINTS SYSTEM

- Win = 2 points
- Incomplete/rain match = 1 point
- Loss = 0 points
- Tied Match = 1 point
- If teams are TIED on the final points table, their positions will be determined by using a 'Net Run Rate' calculation.

PLAY OFFS

- Play-off fixtures will be based on teams' finishing position in accordance with their points scored in the first 6 Rounds as follows:
 - 1st vs 2nd
 - 3rd vs 4th
 - 5th vs 6th
 - 7th – Unfortunately, this team will not make the 'Play Off' rounds and will finish in 7th position.
- If any team ends on the same number of points after the 6 Rounds are concluded, their positions will be determined by the number of SIXES hit and then the number of FOURS hit if necessary. If teams are still on the same points after boundary counts, there will be a coin toss by the Coaches.

UMPIRES AND SCORERS

- Umpires and Scorers will be supplied for this Festival, and their decisions are final.



PLAYING CONDITIONS

1. 10 overs per team per match – total of 20 Overs maximum in a match.
2. Matches will be played with 11 Players vs 11 Players, however across the 1st Round of matches before the Play Off round – each and every boy in your Squad of 13, must have played at least 2 x Matches.
3. Matches will be played in accordance with the 'ICCT20 Playing Conditions' – but with there being NO powerplays and NO fielding restrictions – other than always having a minimum of 4 x Fielders in the circle/inner ring, excluding the bowler and wicket keeper:
4. Matches need to all be completed within 80 minutes with just a 15-minute break in between matches to get to the next field.
5. At least 8 different bowlers to be used in a match, with no more than 2 overs per bowler. No over will last more than 8 balls, before an over is ended, except in the last over of every match. 6 legal deliveries must be bowled in the last over.
6. The 2 batsmen who did not bowl must bat in the Top 4.
7. The wicketkeeper cannot bowl and must be in place for the entire innings (unless there is an injury).
8. 4 x Overs constitute a match if it is affected in any way, with a simple runs per over 'highest run rate' determining the winning team.
9. ONLY ONE new Pink Ball (supplied by St David's) shall be used per match, meaning the team that bowls first gets a 'new ball' and the team that bowls second gets a 'used' ball.
10. Failure to adhere to the Playing Conditions can incur 'penalty points' on the Festival Points System.



SPIRIT OF THE GAME

The way the matches are played and the 'spirit of the game' is paramount at St David's Marist Inanda. Coaches are required to not adopt a 'win at all costs' attitude and are asked to refrain from shouting and screaming across the fields of play. The festival is specifically pitched as a Participation Festival, so that the boys can all enjoy their challenges and grow their game against quality opposition.

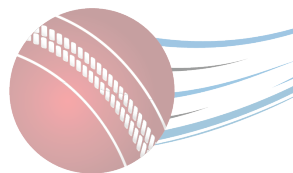
FESTIVAL LEAD COMMITTEE AND MAIN ROLES:

Festival Director: Mr. Dave Nosworthy

Final Points Adjudicator & Statistician: Mr. Keagan Moore

Cricket Prizes Convenor: Mr. Andre Van Der Merwe and Mr Keagan Moore

Operations Manager: Mr. Keagan Moore





TEAMS



JAN CELLIERS CHIEFS



MONTROSE METEOR'S



RIVONIA RANGERS



ST DAVID'S DYNAMITE



ST PETER'S PIRATES



ST STITHIAN'S SUPERMEN



**TEMBA BAVUMA
FOUNDATION**



TEMBA BAVUMA XI TIGERS



HISTORY

The St David's U 12 Cricket Festival began in 2016. It has been held every year since then, except for when COVID hit in 2020. The original idea of the festival was to give coaches and prospective 1st XI players an opportunity to prepare for the forthcoming year's cricket through 50 over and T20 matches. In the course of its history, the festival has undergone several changes to its format, but it has always included a 'Carnival Day'. This was a day of cricket where the boys could enjoy quick-format, stress-free cricket. Originally the 'Carnival Day' was a 6-a-side competition. The T10 format was introduced in 2018. This format proved to be very popular and thus 2025 will see the 7th edition of a T10 tournament.

Past Winners

2018	Cornwall Hill
2019	Jan Celliers
2020	COVID 19
2021	Jan Celliers
2022	Montrose
2023	Montrose
2024	Montrose





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IMPORTANT DATES FOR ADMISSIONS Grade 8, 2027

SPORTS EXPERIENCE:
Tuesday 13 January 2026

OPEN DAY:
Saturday 7 February 2026

ENTRANCE ASSESSMENTS:
Tuesday 10 February 2026 or Thursday 12 February 2026
Tuesday 24 February 2026 or
(Late Applicants Thursday 26 February & Thursday 5 March 2026)

SPORT SCHOLARSHIP ASSESSMENTS:
Monday 16 February & Tuesday 17 February 2026

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP EXAMS:
Tuesday 10 March & Thursday 12 March 2026
(Thursday 12 March for SDMI Gr 7 boys to write)



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WHAT TO LOOK FOR WHEN CHOOSING A CRICKET BAT?

I'm sure you are already aware, choosing the correct cricket bat is crucial for any player who wishes to continuously improve their cricket performances. There are four key criteria's to consider when choosing a bat, they are: Size, Weight, Profile and Willow Quality.

SIZE – The size of the bat that is required is determined by the height of the player. Bat sizes range from size 0 to Short Handle. Any good cricket shop should have a size/height chart which allows you to make an informed decision. Size 0 to Harrow are junior bats with Short Handle being considered a bat for seniors

WEIGHT – I'm sure everyone has been told by their coach at some point to 'Not buy a bat too heavy' Excellent advice! The misconception is a heavy bat will hit the ball further but if the bat is too heavy for the player they are not able to swing the bat in time therefore resulting in a poor connection with the ball defeating the whole purpose. A young player may be tall and require a short handle length bat. However, transitioning between a junior bat and senior bat can sometimes be problematic and every effort should be made to source a 'light' short handle on these occasions.

PROFILE – Profiles between bats can vary, some have a low profile which gives the bat a heavier 'pick up'. Generally the higher the profile of a bat, the lighter the pick-up. Low profiles are more suitable for a player who likes to play on the front foot and drive etc. Higher profiles suit the player who likes to cut and pull off the back foot. Other factors to keep in mind are if the player bats high up the order or lower down the order. For example, an opening batsman will face a new ball which will bounce more and the ball will get softer and bounce less as you make your way down the batting order.

WILLOW – General rule is the more grains, the better the initial response. The majority of people will be looking for a bat with lots of grains. However, a bat with fewer grains will become as good as a bat with lots of grains over a period of time, therefore sometimes resulting in a better longevity. A bat with 6-8 grains should provide a good balance between performance and endurance. Sometimes a more affordable bat will have as good a response as its more expensive counterpart, when making a purchase, ask to knock the bat with a bat mallet and compare the responses of the bats you are considering.

The above is a general guide and will help to provide you with an 'educated guess' the next time you are looking for a cricket bat. There is also an element of luck as you will only really know how it performs and how you adapt to it when you get out 'in the middle!' Cricket Company would welcome the opportunity to answer any other questions you may have.

Wayne Vincent - Cricket Company



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