Umpire Development

Roles and Responsibilities

Appointment to Matchday

- Accept Appointment
- Contact Colleague
- Time of Arrival
- Kit Colour
- Bag Check
- Route & Journey Time.
- Laws & Playing Regulations.

Arrive at the Ground

- Kit in Dressing Room
- Meet Colleague
- Boundary Walk
- Confirm Site Screen correctly positioned and the boundary correctly marked for any change of Screen position.
- Meet Scorers & Captains
- Decide on Time Piece
- Acquire Match Balls / Spares

The Toss

- Meet and Greet the Captains / Scorers in the middle
- Collect Captains Team Sheet
- Confirm New Laws & Playing Regulations
- Mankad
- Wides
- Saliva
- Drinks Breaks
- Slow Play
- Captains Responsibilities

Last Minute Checks

- Confirm Communications with Colleague.
- Last minute check of items you should have.
- Advise Captains & Scorers of any revised Playing Conditions due to Over Reduction. i.e. Timing, Bowler Reductions etc. if necessary

Let Play Commence

- Ring The Bell 5 Mins to Start Time.
- Make your way to the Middle. Which end?
- Set Stumps and Bails. Provide Bowlers Marker.
- Confirm Bowlers action, Inform Striker, Give Guard, Check Scorers in Position, Check Colleague in Position, Batters are Ready, Start Time is reached...Call PLAY.

To Control the Match as required by the Laws & Playing Regulations

- Team Work
- Communication
- Rapport
- Respect
- Concentration
- NO SUPRISES

Post Match

- Thanks to Scorers, Groundsman etc.
- Captains meeting.
- Any Reports
- Reflect on your Performance