



KALGOORLIE METRO CUP (STATEWIDE TWENTY20)

HOSTING OF STATEWIDE QUALIFIERS & FINALS

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POLICY:

- The purpose of this policy is to ensure that host venues for the 'Statewide Qualifier' stage of the Kalgoorlie Metro Cup, and the Final, are played at facilities that meet a minimum standard that reflects on the competition in a positive light.
- The host venues for the 'Statewide Qualifier' stage and the Final will be ratified by the WACA (in association with the WA Country Cricket Board and/or CricketWest, where applicable).
- The election of venues should take into consideration the criteria set out in this policy and be administered using rule 2:6:1 of the WADCCI Rules as a guide.

CRITERIA:

Host Venue Selection – The two District clubs with the best playing record and Net Run Rate from the qualifying stages will be offered the opportunity to host Statewide Qualifier Round matches. The winner of the Country Cup competition will be offered the opportunity to host matches and the winners of the Cricket West Cup will also be offered the chance to host matches as well in the Statewide Qualifiers. Should a team be unable to host these matches, then the team with the next-best record in their qualifying competition will be offered the opportunity to host, and so forth until all venues are confirmed.

Sponsor Needs – KMPG banners (to be provided) are to be displayed at qualifying matches, at the 'Statewide Qualifier' matches and at the Final. Bullseye targets (to be provided) to be set up at the 'Statewide Qualifier' matches and the Final with rewards to team and player. Umpires are to wear coloured shirts with the KMPG logo.

Travelling Teams – The WACA District Cricket Administrator will communicate with the host location with regards to the preferred accommodation for visiting teams (where necessary) and also how the teams will be transported from the airport to their hotel and the host venue.

Venue – A ground with a turf wicket is required.

Match Day Manager – The host team/venue is to provide personnel to service off-field facilities.

Catering – The host venue must be able to cater for all players and officials on the day. The WACA will subsidise the cost of catering to a maximum of \$1000.

Changing Rooms – The changing rooms must be able to be opened for all teams and umpires, as well as secured when they are left unattended (e.g. whilst sides are fielding).



Sight-screens – The ground must have adequate sight-screens (preferred but not compulsory).

Boundary Markers – The ground must be roped off or marked clearly according to the prescribed boundaries of the particular competition being played.

Fielding circle – The curator must be able to clearly mark an inner circle according to the prescribed requirements of the particular competition being played.

Equipment – The following requirements need to be met:

- The availability of a grounds person (particularly in the event of wet weather).
- The availability of equipment for the sweeping, rolling and marking of pitches.
- The availability of suitable covers to facilitate play in the event of wet weather.
- The availability of stumps, bails and bowler's markers and correctly marked creases.
- The availability of a scoreboard (the minimum requirement is a portable scoreboard)

Personnel Required and their Roles:

Match Day Manager

1. Liaise with the WACA regarding fixtures.
2. Co-ordinate ground staff with specific details pertaining to matches (i.e. ground markings, covers, etc.).
3. Organise catering staff
4. To ensure that adequate scoring facilities.
5. To ensure that adequate change room facilities are accessible for players and umpires.
6. To ensure that adequate standby medical procedures are in place (i.e. ambulance access, adequately-stocked first aid kit).
7. To ensure that changing rooms are secured when they are not in use and provide security for players and officials' belongings.

Curator

1. Organise covers for the possibility of rain affecting the fixture.
2. Ensure that the grounds are correctly marked.

Procedure for the Allocation of Venues:

1. The WA Country Cricket Board is to advise the WACA District Cricket Administrator of the confirmed city or town to host the Statewide Qualifier round of matches, as well as the ground to be used.
2. CricketWest is to advise the WACA District Cricket Administrator of the association who will host the Statewide Qualifier round of matches, as well as the ground to be used.
3. The WACA District Cricket Administrator will, where possible, include the confirmed country venue into the fixture which is printed in the WADCCI Fixture Book.
4. The WACA District Cricket Administrator to determine the District clubs to host matches in the Statewide Qualifier Round based on the ladders at the end of the qualifying rounds.
5. The WACA District Cricket Administrator will announce the scheduled matches and venues for the Statewide Qualifiers as soon as is practical after the Country, CricketWest and District qualifying rounds have been completed.