

**Meeting, May 2021 – Sports Operational Meeting – Cricket – 12th
May 2021**

Present

Grahame Davies – Veterans Cricket – Administrator

Greg Kellett – Veterans Cricket – President

Ben Middlebrook – Tamworth District Cricket – President

Blake Mammarella- TRC- Acting Sport and Recreation Development Officer

Adam Jones – TRC – Outdoor/Sports Precinct Supervisor

Apologies

Damian Henry – Tamworth Junior Cricket – President

Discussion topics

TRC

Blake

- Conducted key review with present members – both Ben and Graham signed in/out their keys. Will need to follow up with Damian and Dan (umpire) to have their keys sighted.
- Spoke about the grant application being made to the Stronger Country Community Fund with the intention of upgrading No.1 Oval Pavilion.
- Spoke about the cricket covers and storage situation. It has been decided that Tamworth Cricket will need to be responsible for the purchase and ownership of covers.
- It is proposed that to contribute, Council will build a storage area for them and potentially a trailer with rollers to transport them to other fields. Blake will confirm this with sport & recreation manager.
- Spoke about the parking at No.1 Oval. An email was sent by a cricket member to Council, concerned with double standards regarding AFL members/spectators being allowed to park on the grassed areas on No.1 Oval but cricket members/spectators could not. Blake confirmed that neither sporting groups should be parking in this area and fines could be issued if it continues.
- Gave a reminder that the TRC app is updated regularly with which fields are open.

Cricket

Ben

- Now that there is an update regarding the cricket covers, asked if it was possible that Blake could write grant application. Blake said would need to check with manager to see if this is possible.
- Asked if project officer could pass on quotes for rollers to Cricket?

Greg

- Greg wanted to confirm that fee waiver for state champs would need to be in by June 30th before the new council is elected

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Actions

TRC

Blake

- Follow up with Damien Henry and Dan O’Conner to have keys sighted
- Continue to provide updates regarding grant application
- Confirm with sport & recreation manager that Council will build storage and supply for trailer with rollers on it
- Ask sport & recreation manager if it’s ok to apply for grant on Tamworth Cricket’s behalf.
- Ask project officer to pass on quotes for cricket covers/rollers to cricket.

Next Meeting

TBD

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