



Wellington Collegians Junior Cricket Club
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Hawke's Bay Cricket Camps 2012

The Hawke's Bay Cricket Camps were established in 1979 and have been organised by the Hawke's Bay Cricket Association since the 2001/2002 cricket season. They have been a very successful breeding ground for a number of first class and New Zealand cricketers with Shayne O'Connor, Chris Nevin, Jacob Oram and Matthew Sinclair to name a few.

The camps are held in the January school holidays. High emphasis is on enjoyment and participation for the children but there is also a large element based on coaching and development. They are seen as a huge part of the growth of cricket in the North Island.

Wellington Collegians Junior Cricket Club sends teams to Hawke's Bay each year, usually in every grade from Year 5 to Year 8 and frequently more than one team in each grade. This is a fantastic opportunity for keen young cricketers to develop their skills playing a concentrated spell of matches on excellent pitches in the Hawke's Bay region. Collegians players who attend often return year after year, such is their enjoyment.

Grades: note grades have been changed to School Year this season, in line with Cricket Wellington junior club grades. All tournaments are based on Term 4, 2011 teams.

Dates for the 2012 session are:

Boys Year 5:	Thursday 5 to Saturday 7 January 2012
Boys Year 8:	Sunday 8 to Wednesday 11 January 2012
Boys Year 6:	Wednesday 11 to Saturday 14 January 2012
Boys Year 7:	Sunday 15 to Wednesday 18 January 2012

Year 5 grade plays four games over three days (two nights in camp); all other age groups play six games of cricket over four days (three nights in camp).

Players, coaches and managers stay at Riverbend Camp in Hastings.

Prices for 2012 are:

Year 5	\$150 per player
Year 6-8	\$205 per player

Prices cover accommodation, meals (including a packed lunch), cricket balls and embroidery of club caps.

The Collegians club organises the selection of teams, but teams are self-managing both in travelling to and attending the tournament itself i.e. teams are coached and managed by parent help.

Registrations of player interest should be made directly from parents to your child's Grade Coordinator:

Year 5:	Andrew Sims andrew.sims@paradise.net.nz
Year 6:	John Chandler john.chandler@jccapital.co.nz
Year 7:	Andrew Dunford andrew.dunford@paradise.net.nz
Year 8:	Jon Munt jon@121training.co.nz

Further details are available at <http://www.sportsground.co.nz/hbcricketcamps>.

Any queries should be directed to our Hawke's Bay Coordinator, Grant Richardson grant@strikenz.co.nz.