## FLCA MASTER BLASTER (8/9) PLAYING CONDITIONS 2023/2024

Game Type: Twenty20
Ball: Kooka Super Softa Ball Level Intermediate
Time: $\quad 120$ mins ( 2 hrs ) - this game can be completed in 2 hrs with time saving strategies in place.

Boundary: Max 40 metre measured from batter's end stumps

## Pitch type

and length: Synthetic surface -16 m length stump to stump
Overs: 20 overs per team (120 balls)
Team: 7 players per team** (10 per team is maximum and balls faced reduces accordingly)
Innings
1 innings of 20 overs each per team
Batting
Each player will retire at 17 balls (based on 7 players)
If there is an extra ball to be bowled, the batter facing at the time will face the extra ball (i.e. 17 balls faced $\times 7$ batters $=119$ )
All balls regardless of whether wides/ no balls will be included in the batter's ball count. Batter to swap ends following a dismissal. If there is a run out the not out batter should face the next delivery.

| Bowling: | Max 6 balls per over |
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| All players to bowl minimum 2 overs |  |
| Coaches should rotate the opportunity to bowl 4 overs each week |  |
|  | Each Wicket keeper is to bowl one over each minimum |
| Bowlers to bowl from one end (for entire game) |  |
|  | Wicket keepers encouraged to rotate |

Fielding: If more than 7 players are present at a match, they should rotate onto the field each over. ONLY 7 MAXIMUM ALLOWED ONFIELD FOR FIELDING TEAM
Rotation of fielders is recommended to ensure all players experience all positions.
No fielders within 15 metres of batter or each other (except wicket keeper) to encourage singles and safety

Dismissals: Unlimited dismissals (each player will face the nominated number of balls each) 4 runs per wicket will be added to the opposition total at the end of the innings.
No LBW

## Minimum \&

Maximum
Players and
Impact: The optimum team size is 7 players; however, it is understood that teams often contain additional players in community setting to cater for kids being away, ill or with clashes in commitments
Minimum 5 players per team required to play the game.
Maximum 10 players allocated to a team (only 7 on field).
The number of players impact the players' opportunity in the game, for example;
5 player team -5 players bowl 4 overs; batting retirement 24 balls
6 player team - 2 players bowl 4 overs; 4 players bowl 3 overs: batting retirement 20 balls
7 player team -2 players $\times 4$ overs, 2 players $\times 3$ overs, 3 players $\times 2$ overs batting retirement 17 balls.
8 player team -4 players $\times 3$ overs, 4 players $\times 2$ overs: batting retirement 15 balls 9 player team -2 players $\times 3$ overs, 7 players $\times 2$ overs : batting retirement 13 balls 10 player team -10 bowlers $\times 2$ overs each : batting retirement 12 balls
If a player falls ill and cant finish a bowling spell, please use another player or may have finished his spell so the game can be completed.
Equipment: 2 sets stumps with base and bails *Minimum 1 set of portable springloaded stumps Measuring tape or string to measure Pitch length and boundary Boundary markers
Chalk or tape to mark crease. Please don't paint a modified crease.
Coach
Umpires: Please give clear signals and make sure scorers acknowlege the signals. This format is designed as a learning process for everyone to enjoy. Make sure scorers are always up to date and allow time for scorers to reconcile before continuing play.

