

Perth Scorchers Women's League FAQ's

What is it?

The Perth Scorchers Women's League is a competition designed for women of all experience levels to have a go at cricket. Targeting women new to the sport or those returning to the game, this competition has modified formats to provide an environment conducive to fun and learning and is centred around a participation focus. The Perth Scorchers Women's League (PSWL) has bridged the gap between social cricket and the Premier Cricket women's competitions.

When does it run?

The PSWL games run on Sunday afternoons at 2:30pm beginning mid-October and ending before Christmas (in alignment with School holidays). The second competition begins again early February and is finished by the end of March. As we run a split season competition to allow teams to enter over the Summer holidays, there are two competition periods, both of which run for 8 weeks. Each team will either play a home or away game and are required to set up the grounds if it's a home game, or make their way to the grounds if it is hosted by another Club.

How do we create a women's team?

The WACA currently organise and administer the women's league competition and can support your club in promoting and establishing a women's side. We can provide the Club with the following:

- Promotional material (editable flyers and including the Club's name on any WACA promotions)
- Competition rules and playing conditions (administrative information)
- Coaching support (depending on availability)
- Development opportunities for players

What is the registration process?

Currently, registration for the PSWL is done via a form which is sent out to all interested Clubs, and must be returned to the Competitions Manager prior to season start. The cost involved is outlined below:

- \$250 per competition per team
- \$300 for the entire season (2 competitions one prior to Christmas and one after Christmas)

This payment is made via credit card online or via bank transfer.

What do the Club have to provide?

The Club are responsible for the following:

Organising a coach for the ladies



- Running training/s
- Organising uniforms
- Providing a home ground (and a back-up home ground)

What do the WACA provide?

The following things are included in your registration cost, which the WACA will provide and oversee:

- Umpires for every match
- Match balls (provided at the start of the season)
- Trophies and awards
- End of season functions
- Information sessions
- General support and feedback opportunities

Who do I talk to if I want more information?

If you have any questions or require any help in beginning a new women's side, or building an existing team, please don't hesitate to contact the WACA for further support.

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