

WAMS Cricket League

12 March to 25 May 2018

Cricket is the second most popular sport in the world. Howard County students can learn to play the game by participating in the WAMS Cricket League, which is the first middle school cricket league in the USA. In 2016, the team from Bonnie Branch Middle School won the Championship Game, which was featured on Fox TV news. Here is the link to that story: <http://www.fox5dc.com/sports/143605765-story>

Each child that participates in the tournament will receive a cricket T-shirt and a cricket medal. The Best Batsman (batter) and Best Bowler (pitcher) on each team will receive trophies.

Cricket practices and matches against other schools will be done in the evening during the week: either two practices per week or one practice and one game per week. Parents will be responsible for taking their kids to and from practices and matches. Practices and matches will be at your child's school. 12 - 14 players are needed for one team. Players will be accepted on a "first come, first serve" basis.

Dates: 12 March – 25 May 2018

Practices: 6:00pm – 7:30pm either Mon/Wed or Tues/Thur, or Wed/Fri depending on the availability of the coach.

Matches: 6:00pm – 8:00pm, either Monday or Tuesday with Wednesday and Thursday as backup in case of bad weather. Matches against other schools will be played at home and away. First there will be two weeks of practice followed by 4 first round matches, then the playoffs.

Cost: \$75 per player, which includes the cost of the cricket t-shirt and participation medal. All money collected goes towards paying for cricket equipment, uniforms, medals, trophies, insurance coverage, and other stuff needed to run the program. The cricket program is run solely by volunteers.

Registration Deadline: 16 February 2018

The 14 spots will go fast. To register your son or daughter for the WAMS Cricket League, please send an email with the following information to cricket@bbgc.com:

Name of School:
Student's name:
Grade:
Gender: Boy or Girl
T-Shirt Size: (Adult/Youth, Large/Medium/Small)
Parent's Name:
Parent's Email Address:
Parent's Phone Number:



Please do not return the flyer to the school. Simply email the info to cricket@bbgc.com

Questions: If you have any questions or need further information, please send an email to Sham Chotoo, Cricket Commissioner, Bowie Boys & Girls Club, cricket@bbgc.com

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