



## SA CRICKET UMPIRES & SCORERS ASSOCIATION

### **Premier Club – SACUSA Group Scorer Membership Offer**

Dear Club Secretary,

Scorers are a critical part of the Match Officials Team as the game of cricket does not proceed without them. SACUSA are committed to supporting scorers and have been working for well over 10 years to develop and implement initiatives that will assist scorers in both Premier and Community Cricket to undertake their scoring duties, but also importantly, gain the recognition they deserve.

#### Background and Progress to Date

To that end, SACUSA initiated a Scorer sub-committee over 10 years ago, which has been expanded to a joint working group with SACUSA representatives and SACA's match official Manager in recent years. The group meets regularly to facilitate key scorer initiatives which to date have included;

- Publication of the SACUSA Scorer Handbook (provided free to SACUSA scorer members), soon to be revised and re-released.
- Scorer training (pre-season/match official sessions run in September each year),
- Scorer recognition (SACUSA's Buckett/Hammond Scorer of the Year Award as well as total games scored published in SACUSA's Annual Report),
- Identification and implementation of a scorer pathway to allow progression to higher levels,
- Provision of opportunities for scorers to participate in List A Cricket Australia matches,
- Developed and implementation of the Level 1 scorer accreditation (now available),
- Development of a Level 2 scorer accreditation (being conducted in the 25-26 season for the first group of scorers, and to continue into the future),
- Provision of scorer related training material at SACUSA General meetings, held monthly from September to March each season.

#### SACUSA Executive Committee Scorer Representation

Lesley Quaini, SACUSA Executive Committee member and Woodville DCC, 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Scorer, is the prime interface to our scorer sub-committee. Other scorer sub-committee members are 1<sup>st</sup> class and Test scorers Neil Ricketts and Mick Harper as well as Lynton Donisthorpe from SACUSA.

Given the significance of the scorer role as well as current and future initiatives, we believe that Premier Cricket scorers, at all levels, benefit significantly from being SACUSA members.

#### Club Scorer Costs

The Premier Cricket "Group Scorer Member Offer" gives clubs the opportunity to join scorers at a reduced rate if they join more than one scorer. (Note: a SACA Scorer Registration Fee of \$10/pp is also applicable). We have maintained the revised cost structure we implemented last season, which is shown in Table 1 below.



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Table 1 – Scorer Member Costs

Club Scorer Members	SACUSA Membership (Per Member)	SACA Reg. Fee (Total)	Total Amount
1	\$110 *	\$10	\$120
2	\$75	\$20	\$170
3	\$55	\$30	\$195
4	\$55	\$40	\$260
5	\$55	\$50	\$325

\* Full SACUSA Membership Fee.

### Membership Relationship to Scorer Remuneration Recommendations

SACUSA would like to reiterate that there is no direct relationship between Club Scorer Membership and Scorer recommended remuneration (that SACUSA publish each season), nor is there any obligation on club's who join the club scorer programme, to pay the recommended rates. While SACUSA would like to see scorer remuneration aligned to the recommendations, the remuneration arrangements between clubs have with their scorers is a matter of agreement between the scorers and their Premier Club and has nothing to do with SACUSA.

### How to Join

If your club would like to support your scorers by taking advantage of this offer, please complete your details into the following form [SACUSA Club Scorer Membership Details Form](#) and pay the account (for the relevant number of Scorers) attached to the email.

If you would like more information or clarification on any item, please feel free to contact one of the following:

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Kind regards,

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