

# **T8 CRICKET LEAGUE 2025**

FIFTH EDITION

#### **RULES AND PLAYING CONDITIONS**

DATE	22 <sup>nd</sup> November 2025	TIME	7:00 am – 10:00 pm
VENUE	Boulevard Cricket Ground, Salmiya, Kuwait		

Sr. #	Rules and playing conditions		
1	Tournament to be held with a tennis ball (hard) at Boulevard grounds, Salmiya.		
2	A total of 10 teams will participate in the tournament. Refer to the tournament link to view the tournament format ( <a href="https://www.cric-ten.com/series/home/T8L2025">https://www.cric-ten.com/series/home/T8L2025</a> ).		
3	Matches will have 6 overs per inning. Minimum of 4 bowlers must be used, with 2 bowlers who can bowl 2 overs each and 2 bowlers can bowl 1 over each per match.		
4	Total Duration of each match must not exceed 75 minutes. Matches will be held from one side of the ground only.		
5	A 5-minute break after each innings will be given. Teams must be ready to take field as per schedule.		
6	Each team can select all 14 to be a part of the playing 11 with the exception that only 11 players can be on the field at any given point and only 11 players will be allowed to bat (10 wickets maximum). Other 3 selected players can be utilized for batting or bowling during the match.		
7	Substitute can replace injured player who cannot continue playing due to the injury. See also Rule #6 above.		
8	All Players must wear their respective team jersey provided to them. Jersey must be visible. Players are not allowed to wear uppers or jackets during the match. All Players must wear black sports pants only (pants are not provided by organizing committee or company). Balls for the matches will be provided for the matches		
9	Players must reside in the team dugout area and must not enter the field during play.		
10	Captains and players must adhere and respect the decisions taken by on field umpires without any arguments. Any comments or arguments regarding the umpires' decision will no be entertained.		
11	Team captains must ensure to follow given timelines (match time, breaks, substitute changes etc.). A penalty of 1 over deduction for every 5 minutes delay will be applied during the matches.		



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12	No member, apart from the 14 players and coach (if applicable) may reside within the playing area, dug outs. The organizing committee will instruct on the same.		
13	Each team and/or player must carry their own kit bags, bats, gloves, shoes and other required equipment or gear. The organizers are not responsible of providing any gear or shoes.		
14	There will be a designated First Aid area to handle any injuries or basic first aid.		
15	NO SUPER OVER will be played in the event when a match concludes in a TIE. In case of a tie or equal runs scored by both teams, winner will be decided based on (a) higher number of boundary count per side. In case the boundary count is equal, the winner will be decided based on (b) the lesser number of wickets fallen for each side. If the wicket count is also the same, then the winner will be decided (c) based on a bowl-out.		
16	Captains must ensure teams play in the spirit of the game and respect opponents, umpires, and the organizing committee members.		
17	Family, children, and other persons who not a part of the tournament will have to kindly remain in designated area outside the ground. Children are strictly not allowed after a designated point including field and officials' area to avoid any injuries, collisions and to ensure their safety.		
18	Schedule will be circulated to the team captains. It is the responsibility of captains to communicate the same to players and other members. The 4 teams scheduled to play in the first two matches must report at 6.30 AM sharp at the venue.		
19	Teams must report 30 minutes before the game. Toss will take place 15 minutes before each scheduled match. For the toss to take place, it is mandatory that at least 9 players from each team to be present in the ground.		
20	NO LBW and runs scored off LEG BYES will be counted; BYES will also be counted.		
21	NO BALL will be declared when, (i) the bowler's front foot oversteps the front line or back leg touches sideline, (ii) the delivery rises above batsman's shoulder height and (iii) a full toss is bowled over batsman's waist height. NO BALL will gain 1 extra run for the batting team and an extra delivery must be bowled which will be a FREE HIT. FREE HIT will be given for all kinds of NO BALLS.		
22	WIDE ball delivered will gain the batting side 1 extra run and ONE extra delivery must be bowled.		
23	Fielding Restrictions – Maximum of two fielders allowed outside the circle in the power play. Thereafter, a minimum of 4 fielders, excluding the bowler and the wicket keeper, must be		



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	inside the circle. 6 over per inning games will have 1 over power play and 8 over per inning games will have 2 overs power play.
24	Captains and vice captains are responsible for waste disposal. No littering strictly in any parts of the grounds. Players dug out must be clear and clean before the end of every match.
25	Food is strictly not allowed within the ground, staircase, or seating area. No food consumption in any part of the premises.
26	Food or meals will NOT be provided by the organizing committee. Only refreshments such as water will be given per team per match. Juice will be provided per individual.
27	Presentation to be held within the same day, there are individual trophies for best batsman, best bowler, and best all-rounder.
28	There is no reserve day for the matches.
29	All participating team members are required to be available for the presentation ceremony to collect their participation medals. Only the available players on ground can participate in the raffle draw.