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Herefordshire & Worcestershire County Cup Parent Information

Firstly, congratulations on your child's selection for an H&W County Cup place.

We have decided to send you some general information about the County Cup events in terms of cost and captain and parent responsibilities.

All County Cups:

Once at the event the Captain will be responsible for your child as part of the team. He/she will organise the pre match warm up and have the responsibility for the pre match team talk along with individual talks with players both pre and post match.. Players and parents need to be aware that there is a squad at the event and no player should expect to play every match. On each day the Captain is entirely responsible for the selection of players, order in which they play and any doubles partnerships. This may mean that occasionally a player may not get to play during the course of the county cup. It is very important that the Captain and players work as a team throughout the weekend both on and off court.

The Captain welcomes parent support at the event but he/she needs as much time as possible with the players in order to create a good team spirit which can be vital in a team's success.

18U County Cup:

These are 3 day events and all players are expected to stay away with the team. They will share rooms with other team members and will be expected to have their meals together as a team.

Depending on the venue they usually stay away from the evening before the first days play.

The County cover the cost for all accommodation, breakfast and evening meal. Players will need to bring some money for lunch and snacks and for possible evening entertainment eg pictures or bowling.

Parents are expected to sort their own child's transport to and from the event.

The County will cover transport costs between the hotel and the tennis centre during the event.

14U, 12U, 11U, 10U County Cup: please note changes for this year

These are all 2 day events over a weekend and generally played at a local venue to H&W so players will travel daily to these venues.

Occasionally the venue is further away and if this is the case, the county will contribute towards the cost of one hotel room for you and your child. You will be informed of this when your child is invited to join the squad.

Parents are expected to sort their own child's transport to and from the event and be aware that the coach will not be responsible for your child when away from the Tennis Centre.

9U County Cup:

This is a one day event and parents are expected to sort their own child's transport to and from the event

County Clothing

We are in the process of changing our county clothing and we will be introducing additional items.

As a player (or non travelling reserve) selected for a team you will be required to purchase a playing top and a half zip top which will replace the hoodies.

We will then have other items which you can purchase should you choose to do so.

Further information will be out to all players in due course.

