







Youth Cricket Academy News Letter



Get in to fun, Get in to Cricket

Al Khor community and Youth Cricket academy started the Cricket coaching programs in November 2016 under the theme of "Get in to Fun, Get in to Cricket". Since then Children from the Al Khor community has come a successful journey working with the Youth Cricket academy. We are proud to announce that 8 children from the community were selected for the under 19 Qatar national pool. We are expecting for more children to participate in the national level camps in the future.

"Enjoy your game and chase your dream. Dreams do come true" - Sachín Tendulkar.



Under 14 team Sri Lanka tour

Under 14 team from the academy successfully completed a tour to Sri Lanka in March. Students had a great opportunity to develop their skills while enjoying beautiful Sri Lanka. Tour consisted of 4 matches in 2 main cities Kandy and Colombo.

Students had good exposure playing in turf wickets and quality oppositions. Tour was aimed at developing team building skills, International touring experience and developing match experience on turf wickets.

Tour Participants

Ankur Patel (Cpt), Harshil Patel (vice Cpt), Dhyan Patel, Jainam Gandhi, Swethanshu Patel, Aditya Makadia, Nivid Patel, Mohammed Uzair, Siddharth Mavani, Aksh Patel, Harshil Rana

















Al Khor Community Ladies Cricket



Youth cricket academy has started ladies cricket at the Al Khor community. Practices are conducted every Friday mornings. It is a great opportunity to develop a career in cricket or to have fun and for fitness. Our consultant coach Mr. Aruna recently conducted a coaching camp for the AKIS ladies team. Hope to see ladies cricket also do well in the future.





My Experience with YCA



Hello!

My name is Ankur. I am presently studying in grade 10. It is a great pleasure being with the youth cricket academy. It is a place where I just didn't learn only batting and bowling but learned how to face the challenging situations in a real game. I am in this academy since it has started and just love going every week. This academy is the best place where I could start my cricketing career. It bought up my potential in this game. When I joined this academy I wasn't that good bowler but my coaches, coach Aruna, coach Suneth, coach Nuwan and coach Kasun worked with me regularly and improved my bowling. I have also toured Sri Lanka with the academy and it was indeed a informative tour, we got to learn a lot of things from this tour. At the end of this tour we

were confident enough to play any type of game. In this academy I just didn't learn cricket but I also learned moral values, attitude towards the game and respect for seniors apart from cricket learning in this academy is also fun I have many enjoyable moments in this academy . So now I just enjoy working with the academy and hope for better improvements in my performance in the future and also hope for another tour from the academy. Because experience is the teacher of all things. Thank you!!

Future Events

- 19th May Under 13 and Under 10 Qatar foundation tournament on 19th May
- 27th May YCA Certification ceremony
- Summer coaching sessions will be conducted at the indoor facility at AKIS senior school