

Women's and Girls recreational game update:

Oct 24- Sept 25

Our Women's and Girl's Indoor Leagues 2024/2025:

- Women Indoor League- Bristol 1
- Women Indoor league- Bristol 2
- Women Indoor league- Chelts/Cots
- Women Indoor league- GFOD
- Women Indoor league – Stroud
- Girls Indoor League- Under 11's North
- Girls Indoor League- Under 11's South
- Girls Indoor League- Under 13's North
- Girls Indoor League- Under 13's South
- Girls Indoor League- Under 15's

Our Women's and Girl's Summer leagues 2023/2024:

- 35 Overs
- T20 Division 1
- T20 Division 2 North
- T20 Division 2 South
- Soft Ball Division 1 North
- Soft Ball Division 1 South
- Soft Ball Division 2 South
- Soft Ball Division 2 North East
- Soft Ball Division 2 North West
- U18
- U15 Division 1
- U15 Division 2 North
- U15 Division 2 South
- U13 Division 1
- U13 Division 2 North
- U13 Division 2 South
- U13 Soft Ball
- U11 North
- U11 South
- U11 Soft Ball North
- U11 Soft Ball Central
- U11 Soft Ball South

Women's League Comparison over the last 5 years:

Comp/ Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
WEPL			3 X GLOS 3 X SOMERSET 2 X WILTS	4 X GLOS 3 X SOMERSET 2 X WILTS	4 x GLOS 3 X SOMERSET 2 X WILTS
35 OVER (HB)		1 X LEAGUE 6 TEAMS	1 X LEAGUE 8 TEAMS	1 x LEAGUE 10 TEAMS	1 X LEAGUE 11 TEAMS
T20 (HB)	2 X LEAGUES 11 TEAMS	2 X LEAGUES 10 TEAMS	3 X LEAGUES 18 TEAMS	4 X LEAGUES 19 TEAMS	2 X DIVISIONS 3 X LEAGUES 24 TEAMS
SOFTBALL	4 X LEAGUES 24 TEAMS	5 X LEAGUES 30 TEAMS	7 X LEAGUES 38 TEAMS	5 X LEAGUES 35 TEAMS	2 X DIVISIONS 5 X LEAGUES 36 TEAMS
INDOOR	5 X LEAGUES 29 TEAMS	6 X LEAGUES 36 TEAMS	6 X LEAGUES 40 TEAMS	5 X LEAGUES 38 TEAMS	5 X LEAGUES 38 TEAMS
100 CUP SB & HB		22 TEAMS	28 TEAMS	4 X COMPS 48 TEAMS	4 X COMPS 39 TEAMS
TOTAL TEAM	35 TEAMS	68 TEAMS	135 TEAMS	154 TEAMS	

Girls' League Comparison over the last 5 years:

Comp/ Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
U11'S	2 x LEAGUES 14 TEAMS	2 X LEAGUES 12 TEAMS	4 X LEAGUES 2HB, 2SB 21 TEAMS	4 X LEAGUES 2HB, 2SB 22 TEAMS	5 X LEAGUES 2HB, 3SB 24 TEAMS
U13'S	3 X LEAGUES 18 TEAMS	3 X LEAGUE 16 TEAMS	4 X LEAGUES 2HB, 2SB 22 TEAMS	5 x LEAGUES 3HB, 2SB 24 TEAMS	4 X LEAGUES 3HB, 1SB 24 TEAMS
U15'S	1 X LEAGUE 9 TEAMS	2 X LEAGUES	2 X LEAGUES 14 TEAMS	2 X LEAGUES 15 TEAMS	3 X DIVISIONS 16 TEAMS

		9 TEAMS			
U18'S				1 X LEAGUE 4 TEAMS	1 X LEAGUE 8 TEAMS
INDOOR	U11 X 2 (10T) U13 X 2 (7T) U15 X 1 (6T)				U11 X 2 (7T) U13 X 2 (10T) U15 X 1 (4T)
TOTAL TEAM	46 TEAMS	37 TEAMS	57 TEAMS	65 TEAMS	72 TEAMS

Key areas of work 2024/25:

Our W&G's committee-

The committee has undergone a restructure as of the end of the 2025 season. We have decided to bring the organisation/ running of the committee back in house in the hope we can continue to work towards wider strategic aims/ stay aligned to the visions of the GCF

County Women Seniors-

We started the first ever Women's Seniors team. We had an unbeaten season- with a squad of 24 players. They are ready for the 2026 season already- with hopes that we can persuade a couple more counties to join a league and give the ladies some real competition. (A huge thank you to Razi for all his support with this)

Club development-

We had 4 clubs apply and successfully gain county grant funding for creating welcoming environments within the Women's and Girls game. Both of which are still helping to create positive experiences for their club members and opponents.

Girls Summer Schools competitions-

The Girls Cricket Schools Programme was organised to address a clear gap in our youth cricket offerings and to encourage greater participation among young girls in the sport. The initiative was inspired by the numerous schools that approached me during our Lady Taverners competition over the winter, expressing interest in Girls only summer cricket programmes. Recognising this enthusiasm, I decided to develop and host a festival style tournament that would serve both as a competition and a community engagement event.

The competitions featured both softball and hardball cricket across four age groups: Under 12s, Under 13s, Under 14s, and Under 15s. A total of 30 schools participated in the programme, and over 70 fixtures were played across the age groups and formats.

- Hardball Competition- 11 festivals (all festivals included at least 3 games)
  - Total Schools: 10
  - Age Group Breakdown:
    - U12s: 6 schools
    - U13s: 10 schools
    - U14s: 6 schools
    - U15s: 7 schools
- Softball Competition- 21 festivals (all festivals included at least 3 games)
  - Total Schools: 21
  - Age Group Breakdown:
    - U12s: 17 schools
    - U13s: 20 schools
    - U14s: 16 schools
    - U15s: 9 schools