



LITTLE HALLINGBURY CRICKET CLUB
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The England and Wales Cricket Board (ECB) has published details of further steps it will take to make cricket more inclusive in response to the June 2023 report by the Independent Commission for Equity in Cricket (ICEC).

In conjunction, the LHCC Committee would like to go on record with its unequivocal support for the ECB's response, recognising the need for significant change throughout the game in order to achieve that aim.

The report covered all aspects of inclusion, racial discrimination, female participation and class barriers. Although we are only a small club, we believe everyone can play their part and make a difference. To that end we will always:

- Make village cricket and the club's facilities available to local players and their families irrespective of race or background.
- Strive to maintain a committee and team leadership group that reflects a diversity of backgrounds and the community we serve.
- Continue our work developing colts and young players, particularly encouraging female participation and offering an opportunity for female players within our senior teams.
- To build on our links with state schools and ensure we facilitate participation from those for whom cricket may be an expensive and subsequently prohibitive game.

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