

Bermuda Cricket Umpires Association

Established 1961 Registered Bermuda Charity No. 823

The Man in White is Always Right!

Cricket Umpire - Definition

Each umpire is the representative of the Cricket Authority and is authorized and required to enforce all of the rules.

An umpire must have a tough character, with endurance and the ability to keep his/her temper and self-control. He/she must be unimpeachably honest, courteous, impartial, and firm, and must compel respect from everyone!

Where do we find such a person?

YOU COULD BE THAT PERSON!

What does Umpiring offer me?

Umpiring Cricket is an excellent way to start or expand your involvement within the sporting community. It provides the opportunity to challenge yourself, both physically and mentally. Through Umpiring, you can develop many skills that have an application in areas other than Cricket. These skills include the ability to communicate effectively, demonstrate leadership, develop integrity and unbiased problem solving skills.

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Do I need to have a Cricket background to become an Umpire?

No. Although many Umpires have been involved with the game prior to officiating, it is not necessary. Success can be achieved through proper training and its implementation.

2. What equipment do I need?

The initial equipment requirements are quite minimal and most is provided by the Association. As you become more active in umpiring you will very likely purchase additional items.

3. How often can I umpire?

The demand for Umpires is increasing. You can work as it fits your schedule. You decide what works best for you.

4. Do I get paid for this?

Cricket Umpires are among the very few who actually get paid for their services. The amount varies between competitions and between different competition levels. Typical rates are between \$75 and\$200 per game.

5. How do I get started?

Contact the Bermuda Cricket Board at (441) 292-8958 or send an email message to the BCUA at <u>BCUA.Umpires@gmail.com</u>

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