



CRICKET NSW

CRICKET CENTRAL
Events and Facilities

WHAT WOULD CRICKET HEAVEN LOOK LIKE?

Well, obviously, no-one knows for sure, but we reckon that if the Don, Warney, Victor Trumper, Keith Miller and the rest are playing an eternal test match somewhere, then they are playing in facilities pretty much like the ones we've got here at Cricket Central.

Sound a bit boastful?

Well, let us take you on a tour of our state-of-the-art facilities and then we'll talk.

THE PITCH

Opened in August 2022, this \$60 million, custom-built cricket centre has an array of facilities unmatched by anywhere else on earth.

They include: -

- An International Cricket Council compliant sized oval for elite level matches.
- 43 outdoor turf lanes
- 15 indoor nets
- State-of-the-art gym
- Superb Sports Science Sports Medicine facility including medical rooms, physio, rehab area and aquatic recovery
- 16 state of the art meeting rooms
- First-class café - 'The commons' serving delicious food to suit all tastes
- Memorabilia library housing a collection of books and memorabilia from cricket's illustrious past.
- Amphitheatre and lecture theatre
- CNSW offices

THE TEAMS

And then of course, there's the teams that call Cricket Central home. Six professional teams, including the NSW Breakers and Blues, Sydney Thunder and Sydney Sixers, BBL and WBBL teams.

But don't think for a moment that these facilities are just for the heavenly elite who play the game at the top level. Cricket Central is open to one and all. From die-hard cricket tragics, weekend warriors, casual fans and everything in between.

Cricket Central provides:

- Dedicated year-round cricket training, coaching and administration
- Facilities for junior cricket group training including school programs, social matches and Big Bash League fan days

TEAM MEETING

But Cricket Central isn't just all about cricket. We also boast an impressive array of modern and comfortable meeting rooms, amphitheatres and lecture theatres that are ideal for corporate events, client meetings, even your next big bash.

PLAY ON

So, if you'd like to know more about Cricket Central, then dive into the brochure and find out why it's quite simply, cricket heaven right here on earth.





OPENING PAIR

Let's kick this innings off with the opening pair of your dreams.

NO.1 - ICC OVAL

At no.1 we've naturally decided to showcase our very best. In this case, a magnificent full-size International ICC Compliant oval.

Immaculately kept and gloriously picturesque, this oval is used for first-class, elite level matches such as Sheffield Shield, WNCL, One Day Cup, WBBL and is enjoyed by both players and spectators alike.



NO.2 - INDOOR CENTRE

Able teaming up the oval, we have our amazing state of the art indoor centre at no.2.

This fabulous set up is perfect for the odd rainy day (OK frequent rainy day). It features 15 indoor nets and pitches with retractable netting on either side, allowing would-be batters and bowlers to sharpen their skills even on the wettest and windiest Sydney days.

Nine of these nets are available for hire by the public, with the rest being reserved for high performance teams.

When it's not being used to hone the next Glenn McGrath or Steve Waugh, this whopping 2617 metre space can also be used as a perfect venue for larger functions (up to 1,000 people) such as exhibitions, trade shows, banquets, team building exercises etc.



NO.3 – THE COMMONS FIRST CLASS CATERING

Cricketers aren't just hungry for success. They're hungry full stop. And that's why they need copious amounts of refuelling.

Thankfully, our amazing café, 'The Commons' is a solid performer in this department and regularly knocks their hunger for six.

But, as the name would suggest, The Commons isn't just for the players. It's open to one and all, and, thanks to the capable folks at Create Catering, can whip up anything from sandwiches to sirloins, canapes to caviar.

In addition, Create can provide on-site catering for functions and events ranging from conferences to cocktails, seminars to ceremonies.

So, if you're looking for stunning food in equally stunning surroundings, then The Commons is sure to be a big hit.



NO.4 – ALAN DAVIDSON BOARDROOM

Now it's time to bowl you over with some of the other amazing facilities we have at our disposal. Like the impressive Alan Davidson Boardroom.

Named after one of Australia's finest opening bowlers, we can't help but think that Alan would have been a big fan of this stunning set up with its purpose-built retractable window and picturesque views over the immaculately kept oval.

But there's more to this setup than just great views. At 68.27sqm and a capacity for 36 people, this multi-purpose boardroom is perfect for meetings, as a classroom, theatre, cocktail or banquet venue.

Oh, and in case you're wondering, yes, all the windows facing the oval are made of shatterproof glass. Just in case there's a future David Warner or Brad Haddin occupying the crease!

Room features

- Wireless presentation
- In-built audio
- IPTV
- Built-in whiteboards
- Teams integration
- Table and chairs
- A/C



NO.5 - RINA HORE MEETING ROOM

Coming in at no.5 we have one of our most dependable performers. A hardworking, practical, yet still stylish boardroom.

Named in honour of the indefatigable Rina Hore, who served as executive director of the Bradman Museum, VP of Australian Women's Cricket and the first woman ever elected Director to NSW cricket, this 33 sqm room with 18 person capacity is ideal for meetings and corporate team building events.

It also boasts spectacular bird's eye views of the oval. So don't blame us if your audience spend all their time staring out the window.

This room can also be opened up to make a larger shared space in conjunction with the Brian Freedman meeting room.

Room features

- Wireless presentation
- IPTV
- Teams integration
- Table and chairs
- A/C



NO.6 - BRIAN FREEDMAN MEETING ROOM

At no. 6 we have the hard-working and ever-dependable Brian Freedman meeting room.

Brian Freedman has been a devoted and long-serving servant of cricket for many years. Beginning his innings as a 14-year-old scorer for Bankstown Cricket Club's second grade team, he later went on to be club president from 1982-2006 and a delegate to the Sydney Cricket Association

for 30 years. Somehow, he also found the time to be a board member of CNSW and Cricket Australia and managed the Australian under-19 men's team.

The eponymous 32.9 sqm boardroom with 18 person capacity boasts stunning views of the oval and can be used for all manner of corporate events and meetings. It can also be paired up with the Rina Hore meeting room for bigger functions.

Room features:

- Wireless presentation
- IPTV
- Teams integration
- Table and chairs
- A/C



NO.7 – COMBINED RINA HORE & BRIAN FREEDMAN MEETING ROOMS

What a pair. When the Rina Hore meeting room slides back its retractable dividing wall and merges with the Brian Freedman meeting room, get ready for big things!

Combined, the two rooms boast an impressive 65.9sqm, 36 person capacity which is plenty big enough for most corporate events, meetings, training seminars and functions.

The a/v equipment in both rooms is state of the art and, as for the view, well that's state of the art as well, with stunning views across the glorious expanse of the oval.

Room features:

- Wireless presentation
- IPTV
- Teams integration
- Table and chairs
- A/C



NO.8 - AMPHITHEATRE

Looking like something lifted straight from the uber-cool Google HQ, this stylish, 116.025 linear sqm amphitheatre offers a stunning venue for all manner of events including lectures, presentations, school groups, seminars and the like.

But don't let the looks fool you. This amphitheatre is the perfect all-rounder, comfortably seating 232 people with standing room for an extra 80 and the option of additional chairs.

Room features

- Town Hall stairs/auditorium
- Can add additional chairs
- Projector and Projection screen,
- Microphone and lectern
- 232 seated 80 standing
- 116.025 linear sqm



NO.9 – THE CRICKET CENTRAL LIBRARY

Do you love cricket? We mean *really* love cricket, i.e. you enjoy looking through the annals of cricket's past and digging up all sorts of interesting (or not so interesting if you are not a cricket fanatic) facts?

Then you're going to love our library. It's stacked to the gills with all sorts of useful historical documents, books and memorabilia from cricket's storied and illustrious past (including a signed bat from the Don, scorebooks from classic Ashes matches, artworks and much more).

You could spend days in here (bit like a 5-day test match really) so don't blame us if your family bans you from ever coming here again.

The 70.1 sqm room can also be used as a boardroom and can seat up to 12 people.



NO.10 - LECTURE ROOM

This spacious 45.2 sqm lecture room is set up to ensure you give the perfect delivery on every lecture, speech or talk.

Holding up to 35 people in classic in-built theatre style, this disability friendly, soundproof facility is sure to be a big hit with lecturers and public speakers Australia-wide.



NO.11 - OUTDOOR TERRACE

Last, but most certainly not least, we have our stunning outdoor terrace.

Capable of holding up to 300 people, this 496 sqm area overlooks the outdoor turf lanes and provides a bird's eye view of some of Australia's finest cricketers in action.

It's also the perfect spot to catch up with friends, partake in a wine or three or even host an al fresco event such as a cocktail party, barbecue or sit-down meal (all catered for through Create Catering).



SUNDRIES (Extras)

This amazing custom-built facility also offers:

- Ample parking for 100 cars, free of charge.
- Council parking free of charge.
- Close proximity to trains and buses.

The Cricket Central facility is a fully covid-compliant facility.

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The Cricket NSW Foundation is our charitable arm and exists to enrich communities and improve lives through cricket by enabling access to the game for all within NSW. Through the Cricket NSW Foundation, we are raising philanthropic funds to invest in programs that allow everyone to experience the benefits that the game of cricket provides. The Cricket NSW Foundation is seeking the support of individuals and businesses alike to support our fundraising goals of raising \$10 million dollars by 2025. If your organisation would be interested in making a tax-deductible donation to the Cricket NSW Foundation you can find out more information at <https://www.cricketnsw.com.au/foundation> or you can contact our Head of Foundation via email; Jake.Balnave@cricketnsw.com.au

