



**BlowFly Bulletin – Winter Edition**  
**9<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

# Bunnings BBQ's



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## UPCOMING:

- Sunday 18th June 2023
- Sunday 16th July 2023
- Sunday 13th August 2023
- Sunday 10th September 2023
- Sunday 8th October 2023

If you are able to spare some time on one or more of these dates, please let Mark know ([blowflycricket@y7mail.com](mailto:blowflycricket@y7mail.com)) Your help is greatly appreciated!



# Winter Cricket Registrations are now OPEN!

Cost = \$50/player or family

For those who have already paid, please reach out to Mark Rushton for a refund of \$50.

Where: NDCC Indoor Centre, Mark Taylor Oval, Waitara

Time: 5:30-7:30pm

(**Excluding**: Mothers Day, School holidays, and Monarch's Official Birthday (June 12) weekend.)

Registrations **MUST CLOSE** on 30/6/2023, so please click the below link to register NOW!

<https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/4e3a3c>



The Sydney Disability Expo is on again this year on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August at Sydney Showground, Sydney Olympic Park.

For more information, to register to attend or see who the exhibitors are, please click on the below link.

[https://sydneydisabilityexpo.com.au/?gclid=Cj0KcQjw98ujBhCgARIsAD7QeAiXcIWcpeRkz8WLPVZpNDcw9CukM5\\_rcffPD59N4R6V7XyjVXD0vagaAt9NEALw\\_wcB](https://sydneydisabilityexpo.com.au/?gclid=Cj0KcQjw98ujBhCgARIsAD7QeAiXcIWcpeRkz8WLPVZpNDcw9CukM5_rcffPD59N4R6V7XyjVXD0vagaAt9NEALw_wcB)



## Our 2023 Prize list is reaching new heights!

With your help we intend to change the world! We aren't being grandiose; we have seen what can be achieved and firmly believe that the Focus on Ability Short Film Festival – an event that showcases the ability of people with disability - is a powerful instrument for change. The Focus on Ability Film Festival is for people of all talent levels with many first time film makers taking out major prizes. Need an incentive to get the camera rolling? Our [2023 prize list](#) is taking shape and it is incredible! A brand new car, cash prizes, money can't buy industry experiences, acting courses and much much more.



Entries close 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023

Questions? Hit reply and send them through, we are here to help. Need some idea inspirations? Check out our [back catalogue](#) which contains over 2,500 previous entries.

# Australian Sports Foundation – 2023 Uncoachables Program Fundraiser

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BlowFly Cricket actively develops our 'Uncoachables Coaching the Uncoachables' coaches, firstly through the completion of the Cricket Australia Accredited Community Course (formerly Level 1) and then ongoing mentorship and experiential learning at various BlowFly Cricket Coaching Clinics held at: Sony Foundation School Holiday Respite Camps, Wheelchair Sports NSW Childrens School Holidays Camps, various specialised and mainstream schools and also Inclusive Sports Days held at public schools supported by local councils and various bodies.

With more and more experience and exposure our coaches develop increased levels of self-esteem, self-confidence, self-belief, assertive skills and maturation. Not to overlook the monetary payments for their time and effort.

COVID-19 has had a significant impact on all parts of the community, especially regarding physical contact and interaction. This project is in light of the need for online aspects of coaching training and development, which also includes safe infection control and hygiene practices, and in response to our growing number of centres and increasing need for more incredible coaches.

Through the club's fundraising partnership with the Australian Sports Foundation, donations over \$2 are tax deductible. So please show your support by donating today!

You can donate through the link below, or by clicking on the Australian Sports Foundation link on the BlowFly Cricket website.

All donations \$2 and over are tax deductible, through the Australian Sports Foundation donation link below. With your support we can make sure Blowfly Cricket and these kids have a great future ahead.

<https://asf.org.au/projects/blowfly-cricket/the-uncoachables-coaching-the-uncoachables-2020-2023-seasons>



I asked my next door neighbour to take my bin out as I wouldn't be home...  
He definitely went above and beyond.



**As an American, it's sad to see that nothing is made in the USA anymore.**

I just bought this new TV and it says "Built in Antenna." I don't even know where that is.

If the Earth was flat, Cats would have pushed everything off of it by now.



# Joke Corner

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WE'RE  
**COVID**  
SAFE

Help us raise funds with  
**RETURN** and **EARN**



BlowFly Cricket Return and Earn Fundraising Every week our one and only Dougal Graham collects between 700-1200 cans and bottles for BlowFly Cricket's Return & Earn fundraising. Thank you Dougal as you are a legend!

Thank you to Gordon Golf Club, Castlecove Golf Club, North Turramurra Golf Club, West Pymble Bicentennial Club, Lindfield Sports Club and those lovely people residing at "Gordon Gardens" 803- 805 Pacific Highway, Gordon for your ongoing support with this fundraising initiative for our BlowFly Cricket community.

Additionally, we now have several fine individuals & families on board, collecting hundreds of cans and bottles to help out with this initiative including Hannah & Anthony Beard; the Buczek family, Uncle Snake & Nana Audrey; Jan & Jock Brock; Azaan Husain & Shabana Hakim; Rie Iwabuchi; the Jones family; Morwenna Landers; Amanda "Vivienne Nissen"; Brendan Price; Phil Smith; Akiko Tomita; & Sandy Wall.



If you would like to help with this fundraising initiative, please contact Marnie at [blowflycricketfundraising@gmail.com](mailto:blowflycricketfundraising@gmail.com)





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