

# Bowling Machine Use Agreement

## Bowling Machines Are Dangerous – THINK SAFETY AT ALL TIMES!

By commencing your booking, you and your fellow players agree to abide by these basic guidelines to ensure you and those around you have a safe net session. It is a condition of hire and those not adhering to this agreement may have their booking terminated.

You agree:

1. That at least one of the hirers is over the age of 18yrs
  2. All batters must wear full protective equipment as for a match:
    - **Batting Gloves**
    - **Pads**
    - **Cricket box – where appropriate**
    - **Cricket helmet including face guard**
    - **Forearm Guard (if practicing short pitched deliveries)**
  3. **All batters are over the age of 12yrs**
  4. That only the batter and the machine operator are in the net and all spectators are on the viewing platform
  5. All users will take time to familiarise themselves with the machine and assimilate the speed and bounce of the delivery before delivering to a batter
  6. **The hire will not tamper with the machine or remove any screens or safety guards**
  7. That all adjustments of speed or length are done with the knowledge of the batter
  8. Speed and length are set to suit the individual batter
  9. Batters must clearly signal when ready before each ball is fed into the machine
  10. **ONLY** bowling machine balls will be used in the machine
  11. The hire will report any damage to the machine to: 07970491784
  12. The hirer will satisfy themselves that the machine is safe before using it
  13. **The hire understands that there is no first aider on site and that they are using the machine entirely at their own risk.**
- The first aid kit located by the main entrance.
  - The local A&E is:
    - Broomfield Hospital Court Rd, Broomfield, Chelmsford CM1 7ET
  - In the case of an accident please contact Writtle Cricket Centre Ltd immediately on: **07970 491 784**