# A Guide to Wides, No Balls and Unfair Play for Evening League 3

## **WIDE BALL**



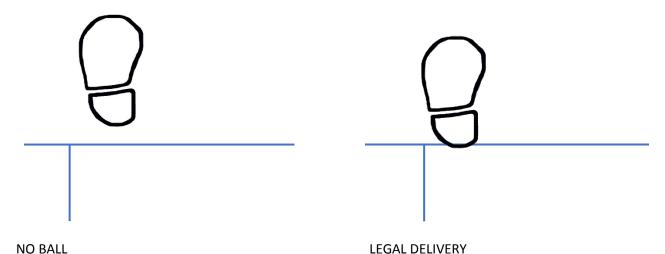
White line marked, running parallel to edge of mat is the wide line, one is marked for either a right (RHB) or left-handed batsman (LHB).

**ANY** ball passing wide of this, and not making contact with either the bat or pads of the batsman in his normal stance, shall be called a wide and signalled accordingly.

The line is disregarded when assessing a wide ball if the ball passes behind the legs of the batsman in his normal stance. **ANY** ball passing behind the legs of the batsman, and not making contact with either the bat or pads of the batsman, shall be called a wide and signalled accordingly.

If the batsman moves across his crease then ignore the lines and make the call on the ability to hit the ball from the position taken.

# **NO BALL**



The bowlers front foot MUST be over the line to be called a NO BALL. If some part of the heel is on or behind the line (either grounded or in the air) at the point of delivery it is a fair delivery.

## **UNFAIR PLAY**







#### **Ball DOES NOT bounce**

Passes ABOVE waist of batsman in normal stance

Decision = NO BALL

Warn bowler and advise his captain. If repeated at any time in match again NO BALL and suspend bowler from bowling again in match.

If in the first instance it is deemed <u>deliberate</u> and dangerous suspend bowler from bowling again in match immediately.

#### Ball DOES bounce

Passes over shoulder of batsman in normal stance

First occasion in over = advise batsman/bowler 'one for the over'

If repeated in same over = NO BALL

Warn bowler and advise his captain. If repeats two in one over at any time in match again, second = NO BALL and suspend bowler from bowling again in match.

If in any instance it is deemed <u>deliberate</u> and dangerous suspend bowler from bowling again in match immediately.

#### Ball DOES bounce

Passes ABOVE head of batsman in normal stance

First occasion in over = WIDE

If repeated in same over = WIDE

Warn bowler and advise his captain. If repeats two in one over at any time in match again first = WIDE and second = WIDE and suspend bowler from bowling again in match.

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