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## THE ICC EUROPEAN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The ICC European Development Program started in 1997 and in Europe now involves 12 Associate and 18 Affiliate member countries as well as 12 Prospective member countries. The program is run by six staff at the ICC Europe headquarters at Lord's Cricket Ground in London and has four strategic goals.

ICC's mission statement is complemented by a Vision of Success and Values for the sport. As the international governing body of cricket, the International Cricket Council will lead by:

- Promoting and protecting the game and its unique spirit
- Delivering outstanding, memorable events
- Providing excellent service to Members and stakeholders
- Optimising its commercial rights and properties for the benefits of its members.

**“As a leading global sport, cricket will captivate and inspire people of every age, gender, background and ability while building bridges between continents, countries and communities.”**

Our values:

### ● Cricket: a strong sport getting stronger

- Elite performances in an elite environment
- Prestigious events
- A traditional game which adapts
- Integration of women's cricket
- Increased competitiveness
- Heroes and role models

### ● Performance with integrity

- Ethical behaviour
- Unity and shared purpose
- No corruption
- Operational Excellence
- The unique Spirit of Cricket

### ● Quality member and stakeholder services

- Meeting and responding to Members needs
- Helping members to help themselves
- Member's charter
- Membership structures

### ● Sustainable growth

- Financial strength and security
- Strengthening of ICC's regional operations
- Quantity and quality of participation
- Meaningful competition
- Cricket in commercial demand

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## MESSAGE FROM THE ICC REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT MANAGER – EUROPE

Welcome to the ICC European Division 2 Championship which is taking place in Guernsey from 18<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

Six teams will battle it out in a round robin tournament for the ICC European Division 2 Championship crown and potential promotion to Division 1. Croatia is making its Division 2 debut, after finishing top of Division 3 and overcoming Israel in a Division 2 play-off in 2007. The Croatians will join France, Germany, Gibraltar, Guernsey and Jersey all of whom have competed in the competition before, but only Gibraltar has managed to take away the trophy in 2000 and 2002. Since then Italy and Norway have finished top and both now play in the Division 1 Championship.

As part of the ICC World Cricket League the European Championships help to determine the placing of teams in the global league structure, which is of particular importance to these teams who all except for Jersey, do not currently hold a place in the WCL tables, and will be looking to stake a claim for a WCL spot.

The Guernsey Cricket Board has put a tremendous amount of organisation and planning into this event and the players will enjoy playing in excellent facilities around Guernsey. There are many people who have contributed much to this event not least the Tournament Organiser John Wood to whom myself and ICC are truly grateful. In addition the match officials – referee, umpires, scorers and web manager; groundsmen; match managers; and many other volunteers have made all this possible and we are very grateful to them for taking the time off.

Good luck to all those involved and enjoy the cricket!

Richard Holdsworth  
ICC Regional Development Manager - Europe



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## WELCOME FROM THE GUERNSEY CRICKET BOARD

On behalf of the Guernsey Cricket Board I would like to offer a very warm welcome to the five visiting sides from Croatia, France, Germany, Gibraltar and Jersey. Many of the players and officials from the other sides came here last year for the Under-23 tournament but this is Croatia's first visit and we are delighted that yet another new country can experience Guernsey hospitality on our beautiful island.



It is a great privilege for Guernsey to get the opportunity to host this senior ICC tournament and we are fortunate to have a fantastic team of people working hard behind the scenes to assist John Wood with the tournament organisation. The work that goes on during the planning stage is enormous and we are extremely grateful to them all.

A very big thank you on behalf of all of the competing countries to Wave Telecom who have very generously sponsored this tournament. All 6 countries receive significant benefit from Wave's sponsorship and it is very greatly appreciated.

Last year's Under-23 tournament was quite badly affected by rain and as a result we sought to invest in extra protection from the elements. Due to the tremendous generosity of Investec Private Bank we have been able to invest in a second set of brand new covers for each of the three grounds, as well as "water hogs", although we naturally hope that none it will prove necessary and that perfect cricketing weather will be with us all week.

Here's wishing all six sides a week of high quality, enjoyable, competitive cricket in glorious surroundings.

David Piesing  
Chairman  
Guernsey Cricket Board

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## WELCOME FROM WAVE TELECOM

On behalf of everyone at Wave Telecom, I'd like to wish all players, officials and spectators a warm welcome to what we all hope will be the first of many senior ICC tournaments held in Guernsey. I'm sure all five of the visiting teams will experience the friendly hospitality our island extends to all visitors - let's hope that the weather is as kind.



We are proud to be an official partner for the tournament and are grateful for the opportunity to assist with staging this event. These are exciting times for all involved with Guernsey cricket, and the progress made to date is a testimony to the hard work and vision of those in charge of the sport in the island. In addition to the sterling work of David Piesing and his fellow GCB board members, Guernsey's Culture and Leisure Department have provided the necessary support to offer the wonderful facilities that will host the tournament's fixtures - a fantastic team effort that has resulted in our island being granted Associate Status as an ICC member. Wave Telecom recognises the benefits that cricket provides the island and it is particularly encouraging to see how strong the next generation of Guernsey cricketers is looking. We are delighted to be involved at this exciting stage of development for the game in Guernsey.

I'd like to wish all the teams the very best of luck for the tournament - I'm sure the tournament will produce fierce competition, some fantastic performances on the pitch and some lasting friendships off it.

Tim Ringsdore  
Managing Director

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## Guernsey Cricket Development

The Guernsey Cricket Board currently has four full time coaches, three of which work with youngsters throughout primary school and secondary school. The other is a Performance Coach who works with our elite Island players aged fifteen right up to senior squad level.

The Guernsey Sports Commission and the GCB work closely together to raise awareness of sport and the importance of healthy lifestyles. Events such as the Year Four Sports Morning help in doing this. Children across the Island get the chance to have taster sessions of different sporting activities, including cricket, in order to get more children involved in local sport.



Primarily our aim is to increase awareness and participation of cricket for both boys and girls at a young age. We make this possible by visiting schools throughout the year and coaching them the basic skills needed to play cricket such as, throwing, catching and bowling through a variety of games and drills. These skills are also important in many other sports and help with the children's development. Currently all 22 of our Island Schools are afforded this opportunity and the majority have embraced our Development Programme.

Each summer we run junior and secondary cricket competitions which are widely supported by the schools. These competitions enable the children to put into practice what they've been learning during the sessions at school.

In 2007, approximately 3,000 children were regularly playing cricket in schools with roughly 600 of those already GCB registered players. These registered players participate in summer leagues for their age group and also a variety of coaching initiatives run throughout the year.

Hannah Mechem

GCB Community Cricket Development Coach

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## TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS



**John Wood** - Organiser



**Phil Hudson** - Director



**Richard O'Sullivan** - Referee



**Ken Amos** - Umpire Manager

## UMPIRES



**Richard Eames**



**Bent Nielsen**



**Keith Smith**



**Lindsay Horne**



**Ron Graham**



**Erno Ruchtie**



**Michael Carpenter**



**Trevor Magee**



**Dave Bray**

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KGV Playing Fields



Rovers AC playing fields



Elizabeth College Playing Fields



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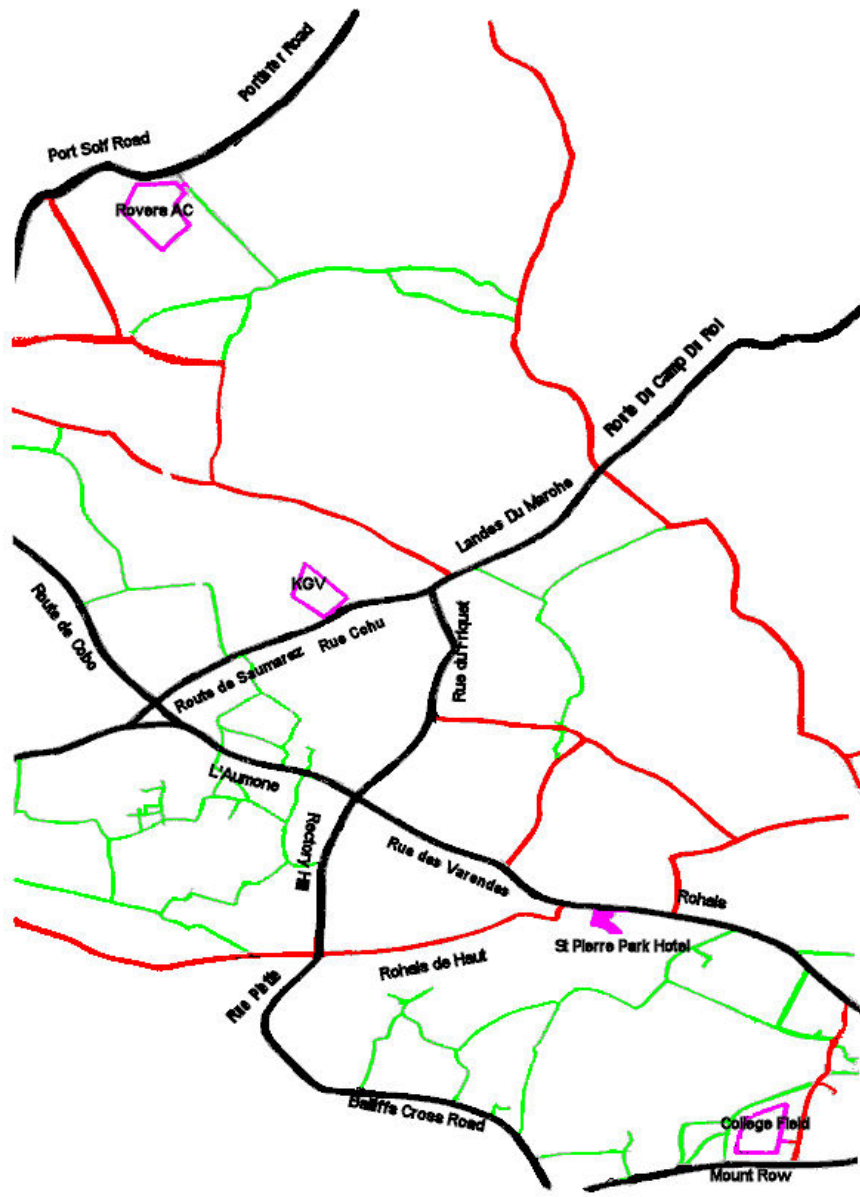
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## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

### MATCHDAY 1 – MONDAY 18 AUGUST 2008

	Match 1	Match 2	Match 3
Venue	KGV	College Field	Port Soif
Fixture	Germany v France	Jersey v Croatia	Gibraltar v Guernsey
Match Manager	Hannah Mechem	Brian Le Prevost	Jonny Orme

### MATCHDAY 2 – TUESDAY 19 AUGUST 2008

	Match 1	Match 2	Match 3
Venue	KGV	College Field	Port Soif
Fixture	Gibraltar v Croatia	Germany v Guernsey	Jersey v France
Match Manager	Hannah Mechem	David Piesing	Jonny Orme

### MATCHDAY 1 – WEDNESDAY 20 AUGUST 2008

	Match 1	Match 2	Match 3
Venue	KGV	College Field	Port Soif
Fixture	Gibraltar v Jersey	Guernsey v France	Croatia v Germany
Match Manager	Jeremy Sharratt	Hannah Mechem	Brian Le Prevost

### SCHEDULED RESERVE DAY THURSDAY 21 AUGUST 2008

### MATCHDAY 4 – FRIDAY 22 AUGUST 2008

	Match 1	Match 2	Match 3
Venue	KGV	College Field	Port Soif
Fixture	Guernsey v Croatia	Gibraltar v France	Jersey v Germany
Match Manager	Jonny Orme	Jason Shambrook	Mike Fooks

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## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

MATCHDAY 5 – SATURDAY 23 AUGUST 2008

	Match 1	Match 2	Match 3
Venue	KGV	College Field	Port Soif
Fixture	Guernsey v Jersey	Germany v Gibraltar	France v Croatia
Match Manager	Mike Fooks	Hannah Mechem	Jonny Orme

## TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS AND CONTACT DETAILS

Referee	Richard O'Sullivan	07911-785347
Director	Phil Hudson	07911-785366
Organiser	John Wood	07911-785348
Umpire Manager	Ken Amos	07911-746108
Webmaster1	John Elder	07911-785367
Webmaster2	David Potter	07911-746107
Duckworth-Lewis Manager	Sean Whelan	07911-718990

## COUNTRY MANAGERS

Croatia	Zdenko Leko	07911-785369
France	David Bordes	07911-785371
Germany	Dhushan Ekanayake	07911-785373
Gibraltar	Tom Finlayson	07911-785372
Guernsey	Dave Hearse	07911-785370
Jersey	Christopher Minty	07911-785368

## HOTELS

St Pierre Park	01481-728282
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## VENUES

College Field	01481-725651
King George V Playing Fields	01481-256617
Port Soif	01481-251764

## OTHER

Tourist Information	01481-723552
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## COUNTRY PROFILES

### CROATIA



MANAGER	Zdenko Leko
ASSISTANT MANAGER	Michael Grzinic
COACH	David Lambasa
PHYSIO	Martina Rasic
PLAYERS	
John Vujnovich (Captain)	36yrs
Pero Kastelan	40 yrs
Sinisa Vodopija	37 yrs
Paul Vujnovich	38 yrs
Zdenko Leko	41 yrs
Ivan Bilic	35 yrs
Paul Musin	33 yrs
Jasen Butkovic	38 yrs
Anthony Govorko	37 yrs
Christopher Pivac	29 yrs
Jeffrey Grzinic	34 yrs
Phillip Siljeg	31 yrs
Mate Jukic	31 yrs

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## COUNTRY PROFILES

### FRANCE



MANAGER

David Bordes

COACH

Dave Szumowski

ASSISTANT COACH

David Young

PLAYERS

Waseem Bhatti (captain) 30yrs

Arun Ayyavooraju (vice captain) 22yrs

Ali Akbar 31yrs

Logith Alagaratnam 26yrs

Christopher Bartlett 36yrs

Andy German 33yrs

Sulanga Hewawalandanage 24yrs

Jonathan Houghton 18yrs

Rameez Ihsan 20yrs

Shahid Malik 26yrs

Tahir Saeed Mohammad 38yrs

Abdul Rehman Qureshi 31yrs

Rajani Sithambaranathan 31yrs

Ramesh Sithambaranathan 29yrs

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## COUNTRY PROFILES

### GERMANY



#### MANAGER

Dhushan Ekanayake

#### COACH

Keith Thompson

Brian Fell

#### PLAYERS

Abdul Salan Bhatti (Captain) 44 yrs

Satyanarayana Srinivas 29 yrs

Mian Ehsan Latif 23 yrs

Barkatullah Masoud 36 yrs

Intikhab Hussain 35 yrs

Rana - Javed Iqbal 33 yrs

Imran Chaudhry 27 yrs

James Eggleston 36 yrs

Zaheer Malik 35 yrs

Surya Narayanan 33 yrs

Mohammad Ayoob Pasha 45 yrs

Kashif Haider 30 yrs

Farooq Ahmed 34 yrs

Pankaj Bedi 20 yrs

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## COUNTRY PROFILES

### GIBRALTAR



MANAGER	Tom Finlayson
COACH	Richard Askew
ASSISTANT COACH	Andrew Chipolina
PLAYERS	
Christian Rocca (Captain)	43 yrs
Kieron Ferrary	19 yrs
Chris Phillips	22 yrs
Chris Allan	23 yrs
Steven Gonzalez	26 yrs
Iain Latin	24 yrs
Rex Purnell	43 yrs
Mark Bacarese	22 yrs
Ross Harkins	21 yrs
Kabir Mirpuri	20 yrs
Ian Farrell	25 yrs
Christopher Watkins	40 yrs
Karan Aswani	20 yrs
Richard Buzaglo	42 yrs

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## COUNTRY PROFILES

### GUERNSEY



#### MANAGER

David Hearse

#### COACH

Andrew Cornford

#### PLAYERS

Stuart Le Prevost (Captain)	30 yrs
James Nussbaumer	21 yrs
G H Smit	32 yrs
Blane Queripel	22 yrs
Stuart Bisson	28 yrs
Peter Le Hegarat	19 yrs
Timothy Ravenscroft	16 yrs
Justin Ferbrache	37 yrs
Kristoffer Moherndl	22 yrs
Gary Rich	44 yrs
Lee Savident	31 yrs
Benjamin (Lee) Ferbrache	20 yrs
Jeremy Frith	30 yrs
Matthew Oliver	28 yrs

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## COUNTRY PROFILES

### JERSEY



MANAGER Christopher Minty

COACH Peter Kirsten

#### PLAYERS

Mathew Hague (Captain) 34 yrs

Christopher Jones 32 yrs

Anthony Wilfred Kay 18 yrs

Robert Minty 28 yrs

Peter Gough 23 yrs

Ian Crocker 26 yrs

Jonathan Gough 23 yrs

Nigel Crocker 31 yrs

Andrew Dewhurst 24 yrs

Samuel James De La Haye 17 yrs

Bradley Vowden 36 yrs

Thomas Minty 22 yrs

Samuel Stephen James Dewhurst 21 yrs

Ryan Driver 29 yrs

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