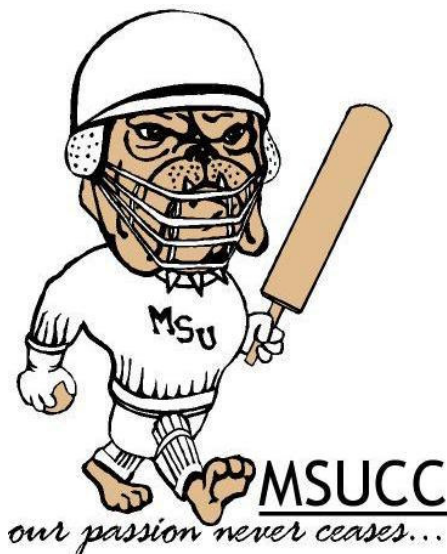


BULLDAWG CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY- 05

Only Annual Mega-Cricket Tournament for Universities in USA
MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY CRICKET CLUB

"our passion never ceases ..."



8 teams

15 matches

2 full days of cricketing action

2 trophies

Date: July 2, 3

Attractions:

The event would be covered by newspapers, radio and television.

Live Commentary @ the venue in English and Hindi at the venue.

Ball-by-ball LIVE coverage from web cam.

High probability of FREE accommodation for visiting teams at premier hotels.

Tournament report would be posted on USA Cricket Association website.

Come feel the heat of the fast and furious cricket at Mississippi State.

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The MSU Cricket Club is proud to announce the BULLDAWG CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY-05 on the Independence Day weekend of July 2nd and 3rd, 2005. After 3 years of existence, the MSU Cricket club, a full member of USA Cricket Association is becoming a force to reckon with in the Southeastern United States, and to commemorate this we are conducting the second annual mega **taped tennis ball** cricket tournament for the Universities in the United States of America.

This tournament is in line with the first ever mega cricket tournament for the Universities conducted by MSUCC in August 2004. USA Cricket Association had confirmed that the MSUCC's Bulldawg Championship trophy 04, held in Aug 2004 as the first mega annual college cricket tournament. A total of six Universities had participated in this event. The event was widely covered by press with reporters from different TV stations coming to the venue to cover the event for the news, radio stations announcing the event all over the Southern United States and as many as five newspapers carrying the articles about the Bulldawg championship trophy 04.

MSUCC with the support of the sponsors at MSU, will be coordinating all the organizational activity for this event. This will be a good opportunity for all of you to represent your respective universities in a befitting manner. Radio, newspaper and television would cover the event in a big way along with the live commentary on field in both English and Hindi.

The tournament aims at playing eight solid cricketing powers in the southeastern United States against one another in a battle of never-before-seen magnitude. Teams from three to four states will be competing for the championship, many for the first time in this area. This in itself is a major incentive for all the participating teams. Some of the rules of cricket are modified to make it further more exciting and thrilling.

MSUCC is bringing in sponsors from Comfort Suites, Hampton Inn, Microtel Inn & University Inn to attempt to provide **FREE accommodation for visiting teams in the best hotels in Starkville, MS**. We are also trying to get food supplied to you at a nominal rate. We will keep you updated on any developments in this regard.

We look forward to meeting all of you and playing some fun cricket. Please do contact us if you have any questions. The tentative schedule of matches is included in this brochure. We will have the final schedule of matches up on our site and sent to you by email as soon as we get a confirmation of the teams. Please do confirm your arrival dates so that we may arrange accordingly. A registration form at the end of this brochure should be completed and submitted to MSU Cricket Club by **June 3rd, 2005 5:00pm.**

Tournament Schedule

Bulldawg Championship Trophy - 05				
Schedule of Matches				
Date	July 2nd		Saturday	
SI.NO	Time		Match	Umpires
	Start	End		
1	8:00AM	11:00AM	A1 Vs A2	B3, B4
2	8:00AM	11:00AM	B1 Vs B2	A3, A4
3	11:00AM	2:00PM	A3 Vs A4	B1, B2
4	11:00AM	2:00PM	B3 Vs B4	A1, A2
5	2:00PM	5:00PM	A1 Vs A4	B2, B3
6	2:00PM	5:00PM	B1 Vs B4	A2, A3
7	5:00PM	8:00PM	A2 Vs A3	B1, B4
8	5:00PM	8:00PM	B2 Vs B3	A1, A4
Date	July 3rd		Sunday	
SI.NO	Time		Match	Umpires
	Start	End		
9	8:00AM	11:00AM	A1 Vs A3	B2, B4
10	8:00AM	11:00AM	B1 Vs B3	A2, A4
11	11:30AM	2:30PM	A2 Vs A4	B1, B3
12	11:30AM	2:30PM	B2 Vs B4	A1, A3
Semi 1	3:00PM	6:00PM	Pool B (1st) Vs Pool A (2nd)	TBA
Semi 2	3:00PM	6:00PM	Pool A (1st) Vs Pool B (2nd)	TBA
Finals	8:00PM	11:00PM	Championship Match	TBA

Bulldawg Commentary

Our commentary team entralls the audience by blending cricket with great sense of humor. They have left the audience asking for more every time they are in action. Teams who have visited MSU earlier have enjoyed our LIVE commentary on field and have requested for it every time they travel to the home of MSState. Our main aim is to promote cricket to American and International audience who would turn up in huge numbers as part of the student orientation during the tournament. We have attracted big audiences who come to watch our home football games.

Miss State has the tradition of extending the invitation to the visiting team players to be a part of the Bulldawg commentary box. Please let us know if any of your players having excellent English and/or Hindi oratory skills who may want to join our expert, ever enthusiastic commentary team to share the commentary box during the tournament. If you do not have anyone who would want to volunteer for commentary, do not be surprised if you are pulled into the commentary box for a brief question and answer session to share few words about their respective teams.

Rules of thumb for commentary:

- Commentary team has to be neutral in their comments
- Name calling and use of offensive and/or abusive words are not allowed
- They should be willing to explain the game of cricket in simple words to the spectators
- Slots for commentary would be assigned ahead of time, and the person in charge should be present during his/her scheduled time at the commentary box.
- Commentary rules would be explained at the beginning of the tournament.

Directions

MSUCC wishes the visitors a comfortable journey to and fro for the tournament. Some of the driving directions from major cities are indicated below. The destination address is given below. You may either the postal address of MSUCC or MSUCC president's house address to get the driving directions to Starkville, MS where the tournament is being held.

Postal Address:

MSU Cricket Club

Surya Saha

Dorman 117, Box 9555

Mississippi State MS 39762

www.msstate.edu/org/mcc

OR

Surya Saha (President of MSUCC)

1120, East Lee Blvd, Apt 115

Starkville, MS-39759

Ph: 662-312-7129 (cell)

Ph: 662-320-9165 (res)

Teams from/via Huntsville, Birmingham, Auburn, Georgia

Directions from Birmingham, AL (Birmingham International Airport)

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| 1 | Start going towards the AIRPORT EXIT on TRANSPORTATION AVE - go < 0.1 mi |
| 2 | Turn Left on MESSER AIRPORT HWY - go 0.9 mi |
| 3 | Turn Right to take I-20 WEST/I-59 SOUTH towards DOWNTOWN/TUSCALOOSA - go 57.8 mi |
| 4 | Take the AL-69 NORTH/I-359 NORTH exit towards TUSCALOOSA , exit #71B - go 2.2 mi |
| 5 | Continue on AL-69 NORTH - go 0.3 mi |
| 6 | Continue on US-43 NORTH - go 2.7 mi |
| 7 | Turn Left on US-43 NORTH/US-82 WEST - go 1.0 mi |
| 8 | Continue on MCFARLAND BLVD - go 3.1 mi |
| 9 | Continue on US-82 WEST - go 1.1 mi |
| 10 | Continue on US-82 WEST/US-82 W - go 4.5 mi |
| 11 | Continue on US-82 WEST - go 46.7 mi |
| 12 | Continue on US-45 SOUTH/US-82 WEST - go 3.5 mi |
| 13 | Continue on US-82 WEST - go 16.4 mi |
| 14 | Take the US-82 WEST exit - go 0.5 mi |
| 15 | Continue on US-82 WEST - go 1.0 mi |
| 16 | Turn Left on E LEE BLVD - go 0.4 mi |
| 17 | Arrive at 1120 E LEE BLVD, STARKVILLE |

Teams coming from/via Memphis, Arkansas

Directions from Memphis, TN (Memphis International Airport)

- 1 Start going towards the **AIRPORT EXIT** on **BAGGAGE CLAIM** - go **0.2** mi
- 2 Continue on **TERMINAL ACC** - go **0.1** mi
- 3 Continue on **AIRPORT EXIT** - go **0.1** mi
- 4 Continue on **AIRPORT EXIT/WINCHESTER RD** towards **AMR COMBS/EAST WINCHESTER/WILSON AIR CENTER** - go **0.1** mi
- 5 Continue on **AIRPORT EXIT** towards **EAST WINCHESTER/WILSON AIR CENTER** - go **0.1** mi
- 6 Continue on **WINCHESTER RD** - go **3.0** mi
- 7 Continue on a local road - go **0.1** mi
- 8 Continue on **LAMAR AVE** - go **4.3** mi
- 9 Continue on **US-78 EAST** - go **86.7** mi
- 10 Take the **US-45 SOUTH** exit towards **TUPELO**, exit **#86A** - go **12.8** mi
- 11 Continue on **US-45-ALT SOUTH** - go **31.6** mi
- 12 **US-45-ALT SOUTH** becomes **US-45-ALT SOUTH/US-45-ALT N** - go **5.1** mi
- 13 Continue on **US-45-ALT SOUTH/US-45-ALT S** - go **1.9** mi
- 14 **US-45-ALT SOUTH/US-45-ALT S** becomes **US-45-ALT SOUTH** - go **6.1** mi
- 15 Take **US-82 W** towards **STARKVILLE** - go **6.4** mi
- 16 Take the **US-82 WEST** exit - go **0.5** mi
- 17 Continue on **US-82 WEST** - go **1.0** mi
- 18 Turn Left on **E LEE BLVD** - go **0.4** mi
- 19 Arrive at **1120 E LEE BLVD, STARKVILLE**

Teams coming from/via Mobile, AL

Directions from Mobile, AL (Mobile Airport)

- 1 Start at **AIRPORT BLVD, MOBILE** on **WESTERN AMERICA DR** - go **< 0.1** mi
- 2 Turn Left on **S BELTLINE HWY** - go **< 0.1** mi
- 3 Make a Hard Right Turn on **AIRPORT BLVD** - go **0.3** mi
- 4 Take **I-65 NORTH** - go **5.0** mi
- 5 Take the **US-45 NORTH** exit towards **CITRONELLE**, exit **#8B** - go **0.2** mi
- 6 Bear Right on **ST STEPHENS RD** - go **14.6** mi
- 7 Continue on **US-45** - go **40.5** mi
- 8 **US-45** becomes **US-45/US-45 S** - go **19.1** mi
- 9 **US-45/US-45 S** becomes **MISSISSIPPI DR** - go **2.4** mi
- 10 Continue on **US-45 S** - go **0.3** mi
- 11 Continue on **US-45 S/US-45 N** - go **11.1** mi
- 12 **US-45 S/US-45 N** becomes **US-45 S** - go **8.6** mi
- 13 Continue on **US-45 NORTH** - go **36.8** mi
- 14 **US-45 NORTH** becomes **US-45 NORTH/US-45 N** - go **13.3** mi
- 15 **US-45 NORTH/US-45 N** becomes **US-45 NORTH** - go **47.8** mi
- 16 Continue on **US-45-ALT NORTH** - go **18.5** mi
- 17 Turn Left to take **US-82 WEST** - go **6.4** mi
- 18 Take the **US-82 WEST** exit - go **0.5** mi
- 19 Continue on **US-82 WEST** - go **1.0** mi
- 20 Turn Left on **E LEE BLVD** - go **0.4** mi
- 21 Arrive at **1120 E LEE BLVD, STARKVILLE**

Teams coming from/via Florida

Directions from Airport Drive, Tallahassee (Tallahassee Airport)

	Start at AIRPORT DR, TALLAHASSEE on JACKSON BLUFF RD going towards AIRPORT DR, MURAT ST - go 0.5 mi
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2	Turn Right on AUSLEY RD - go 0.4 mi
3	Turn Left on W PENSACOLA ST - go 0.4 mi
4	Turn Right on WHITE DR - go 0.4 mi
5	Turn Left on W TENNESSEE ST - go 2.3 mi
6	Bear Right on a local road - go < 0.1 mi
7	Bear Right on CAPITAL CIR NW - go 1.5 mi
8	Turn Left to take I-10 WEST - go 65.3 mi
9	Take the US-231 exit towards COTTONDALE/PANAMA CITY , exit #130 - go 0.3 mi
10	Continue towards US-231 NORTH/COTTONDALE - go 0.1 mi
11	Turn Right on US-231 NORTH - go 118.4 mi
12	Continue on US-82 WEST/US-231 NORTH - go 12.5 mi
13	Turn Left on E SOUTH BLVD - go 3.9 mi
14	Continue on W SOUTH BLVD - go 1.5 mi
15	Take I-65 NORTH - go 81.5 mi
16	Take the I-459 exit towards ATLANTA/GADSDEN/TUSCALOOSA , exit #250 - go < 0.1 mi
17	Continue towards HOOVER/TUSCALOOSA - go 0.8 mi
18	Merge on I-459 SOUTH - go 14.6 mi
19	Take the I-20 WEST/I-59 SOUTH exit towards TUSCALOOSA - go 34.9 mi
20	Take the AL-69 NORTH/I-359 NORTH exit towards TUSCALOOSA , exit #71B - go 2.2 mi
21	Continue on AL-69 NORTH - go 0.3 mi
22	Continue on US-43 NORTH - go 2.7 mi
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Club Information

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662-320-9165 (res)

Registration fee: \$120.00 per team

Event Sponsors and supporters as of May 22, 2005

**we are still looking for other sponsors too to make this a megaevent*

MSUCC would like to thank all our sponsors and supporters who have helped to organize this event.

S. No	Sponsor
1	Department of Recreational Sports
2	Student Association
3	International Services Organization
4	Holmes Cultural Diversity Center
	Many more to come...