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# COUNCIL OF CANADA MASTERS CRICKET

*The Home of Senior's Cricket in Canada*

## Host of IMC's Over-60s Cricket World Cup 2026



# GLOBAL CRICKETING ORGANIZATIONS

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**International Cricket Council**

<https://www.icc-cricket.com/homepage>



**International Masters Cricket**

<https://masterscricket.org/>



**Cricket Canada**

<https://www.cricketcanada.org/>



**Council of Canada Masters Cricket (CCMC)**

<https://www.ccmc.ca> (Under construction)

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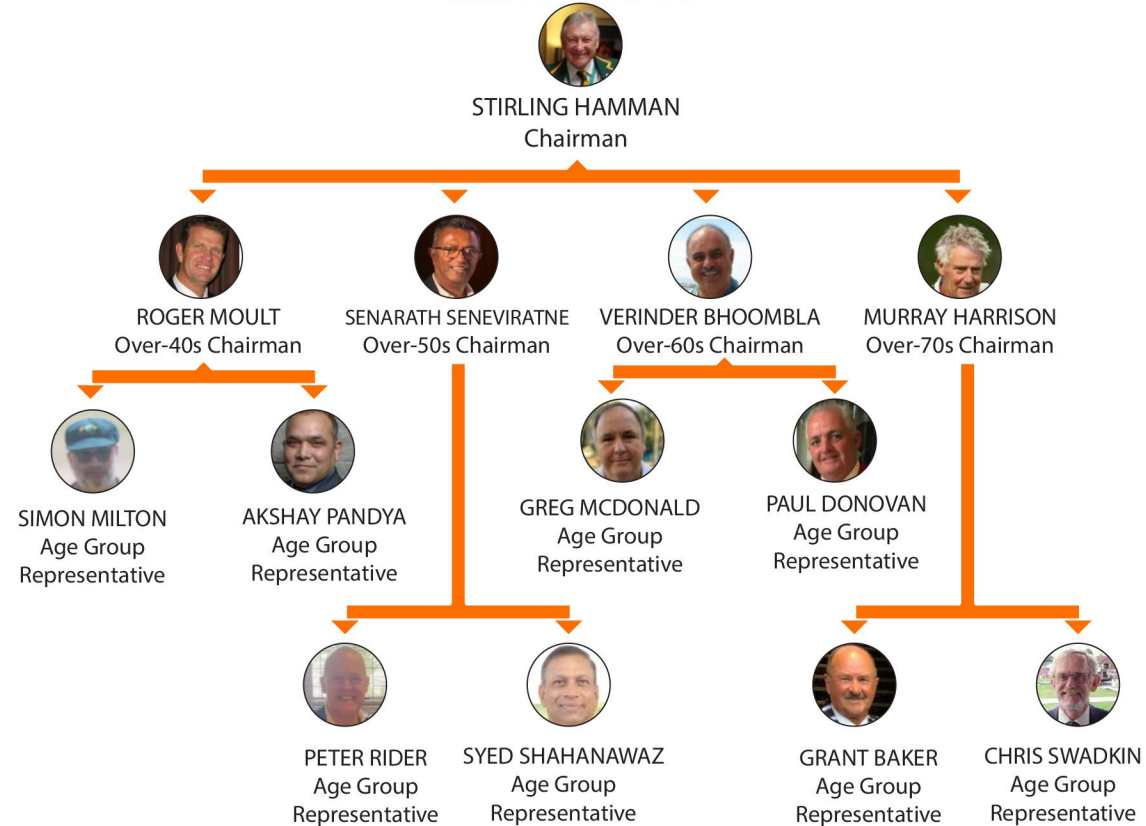
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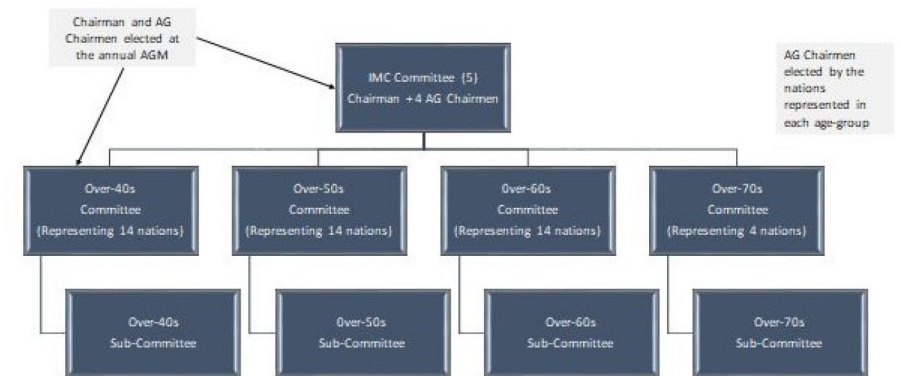
## IMC MEMBERS



## IMC BOARD



## IMC STRUCTURE



# ABOUT CCMC

Council of Canada Masters Cricket (CCMC) is a federal not-for-profit and self-funded organization that is officially sanctioned by Cricket Canada to develop and promote senior's cricket in Canada.

CCMC consist of members who participated in the inaugural Over50's Cricket World Cup held in Australia in 2018. After experiencing the inaugural competition in Australia, we realized what was required to play at this level. So, we came up with the strategic plan to adopt a model that many successful cricket playing nations are following. The key strategic initiative was to promote and develop seniors' cricket across the nation and with the blessing of Cricket Canada, we were the first to host a senior's cricket league in North America in 2019. This inaugural master's league paved a strong foundation for seniors' cricket development in Canada and since then our journey has been unstoppable.

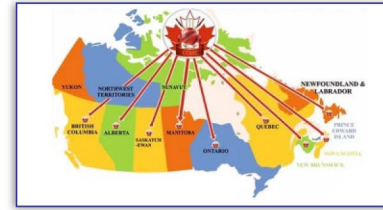
Our main goal is to provide seniors Over 40s a safe and conducive environment to play cricket, get physically and mentally active, share best practices, promote multiculturalism, diversity, and inclusion in community, and make connections with their peers. Engage them in various cricket, fitness, and community support initiatives by providing them suitable opportunities to use their experiences.







**CCMC**  
Home of Seniors Cricket in Canada



**FOUNDING MEMBERS:** Akshay Pandya, Nava Tharmalingam, David Mohammed

## CCMC BOARD MEMBERS



**AKSHAY PANDYA**  
VP & DIRECTOR OF CRICKET



**NAVA THARMALINGAM**  
SECRETARY



**NIZAR**  
TREASURER



**KANWAR SUKHUJA**  
DIRECTOR - LEGAL, REGULATOR  
AND COMPLIANCE



**ADAM VAUGHAN**  
DIRECTOR - PR & FUNDRAISING



**VENKY KULKARNI**  
DIRECTOR - NB



**ROHAN WEATHERSPOON**  
DIRECTOR - QUEBEC



**KIRAN PATIL**  
DIRECTOR - ON



**GARVIN BOODHOO**  
DIRECTOR - MB



**KAMAL PANDYA**  
DIRECTOR - SK



**NASIR**  
DIRECTOR - AB



**JAVED KHAN**  
DIRECTOR - BC

## CURRENT AGE GROUP COORDINATORS

040s



**SHAILESH PATEL**

050s



**JUDE VANNIASINGHE**

060s



**FAROOQ KIRMANI**

070s



**BERTRAM NARAIN**



## CCMC PROVINCIAL STRUCTURE



### CCMC ATLANTIC



- ▶ VENKY KULKARNI - PRESIDENT
- ▶ MANPREET TIWANA - VICE PRESIDENT
- ▶ AMIT JOSHI - CRICKET COORDINATOR
- ▶ SREEJITH T - TREASURER
- ▶ NITESH PRAMEDEEP - SECRETARY

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- ▶ KAMAL PANDYA - PRESIDENT
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- ▶ JIGAR PATEL - CRICKET COORDINATOR
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- ▶ NISHITH JANI - SECRETARY

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- ▶ ROHAN WEATHERSPOON - PRESIDENT
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- ▶ AJAY PATEL - TREASURER
- ▶ ROHIT ROY - SECRETARY

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- ▶ NIZAR PUNJANI - PRESIDENT
- ▶ EMAD SAJWANI - VICE PRESIDENT
- ▶ TAHIR HAMEED - CRICKET COORDINATOR
- ▶ YATIN PATEL - TREASURER
- ▶ NITIN SINGH - SECRETARY

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- ▶ KIRAN PATIL - PRESIDENT
- ▶ BHAV SINGH - VICE PRESIDENT
- ▶ FAROOQ KIRMANI - CRICKET COORDINATOR
- ▶ AKHLAQ RAO - TREASURER
- ▶ MATHY EASWARALINGAM - SECRETARY

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- ▶ DILLON CARFOOT - VICE PRESIDENT
- ▶ RIAZ DAWOOD - CRICKET COORDINATOR
- ▶ VIVEK PURI - TREASURER
- ▶ YATISH DABHOLAKAR - SECRETARY

### CCMC MANITOBA



- ▶ GARVIN BUDHOO - PRESIDENT

# SENIORS CRICKET DEVELOPMENT IN CANADA

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**2019**

Cricket Canada Masters Council founded in February and ran inaugural masters league in North America (OML)

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**2020**

Participated in Over50s World Cup in Cape Town, SA

**2021**

Hosted North America's First Over 50s Tri-Nation Tournament (The USA, West Indies, and Canada.

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**2022**

Won North America's First Over 60s Houston Cup Tournament. Over 50s team toured to Houston and Barbados.. Participated in Inaugural Over 60s World Cup tournament in Australia. Expanded East & West conferences in GTA

**2023**

Hosted Over 60s Australia-Canada Bilateral series, Four nation Canada Cup 2023 (Australia, England, The USA, and Canada) . Participated in Over 50s World Cup in Cape Town , SA



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# **OVER 60s WORLD CUP TORONTO CANADA 2026**



# A Historic Moment for Canadian Seniors' Cricket

-  Canada to Host the Over-60s Cricket World Cup – August 2026
-  A proud milestone for Canadian sport—and an unparalleled opportunity for Mississauga.
- The **International Masters Cricket (IMC)** has officially awarded hosting rights to the **Council of Canada Masters Cricket (CCMC)**.
- This will mark the **first time** in the Canadian Cricket history that the Over-60s World Cup will be held on **Canadian soil**.
- **14 international teams**, including **all test-playing nations**, will participate—making it the **most prestigious senior cricket tournament ever hosted in Canada**.
- Canada's leadership in Masters Cricket is globally recognized across **Over-40s, Over-50s, Over-60s, and Over-70s** divisions.

# Making Mississauga the Home of Seniors' Cricket In CANADA<sup>7.3</sup>

- **Why Mississauga?**
- A trusted, long-standing partner of the **Council of Canada Masters Cricket**.
- World-class infrastructure and accessibility make it an **ideal host city** for global sporting events.
- Deeply aligned with the values of **inclusivity, active aging, and cultural diversity**.
- Positioned to become the “**Home of Seniors Cricket**” in Canada, by hosting this landmark event.
-  **We believe Mississauga is the perfect stage to elevate Canada's presence in international senior cricket and to create a lasting legacy for generations to come.**

# Overview:

## Hosting the Over-60s Cricket World Cup in Mississauga

### **Key Benefits for the City of Mississauga:**

- **Economic Impact & Business Opportunities**
  - Increased tourism, hospitality, and local business engagement.
  - Media exposure and international foot traffic.
- **Community Engagement & Inclusivity**
  - Connects youth and seniors through cricket.
  - Promotes cultural exchange and social inclusion.
- **Promoting Health & Wellness**
  - Advocates for active aging and healthy lifestyles.
  - Aligns with Mississauga's wellness initiatives.
- **Global Recognition**
  - Showcases Mississauga as a world-class sporting destination.
  - Enhances the city's international profile in sports tourism.

# SOCIAL IMPACT

- Encouraging seniors to stay active through cricket fosters physical fitness, social interaction, and mental agility, promoting holistic well-being.
- By engaging seniors in cricket and imparting life lessons, they become role models for their families and inspire younger generations



## Strategic Alignment with City Vision

- **Enhanced Quality of Life**
- **Diverse and Inclusive Communities**
- **Active and Healthy Living**
- **Demonstrates civic pride and unity.**
- **Reinforces the city's role as a leader in sport development.**



# Request for City Support – Temporary Event Infrastructure

To support successful hosting of the tournament, we kindly request assistance with:

- **2 Mobile Change Rooms per ground**  
For use by international teams and officials.
- **Motorized Washrooms (Male & Female)**  
To accommodate players and visitors at outdoor venues.
- **Temporary Fencing (Cricket Pavilion Style)**  
For crowd management and venue aesthetics, matching the look and feel of international cricket standards.
- **Turf wickets, Boundary ropes, markers, and side screens, digital or manual score boards**
- **Spectators stands, chairs, tables**

# Facility images for illustrative purposes




**Mobile Container Change rooms**



**Portable Rest rooms**



# Financial & Partnership Support from Mississauga

- In addition to infrastructure, we seek Mississauga's potential support in the following areas:
-  **Financial Contribution Toward Temporary Structures & Amenities**  
Assistance with partial or full funding for rental and setup of:
  - Mobile change rooms
  - Washroom facilities
  - Fencing and crowd control equipment
-  **Marketing & Promotion**  
Help with promoting the event through city channels, including tourism platforms and social media.
-  **Strategic Partnership Opportunities**  
Co-branding, volunteer programs, and tourism engagement to maximize visibility and visitor experience.

# Let's Collaborate

We would appreciate the opportunity to:

- Meet with **City Council, Parks, and Tourism Mississauga** teams.
- Explore avenues for collaboration and community engagement.
- Plan logistical support and infrastructure needs.

***Thank You***