



## **ROUNDERSFEST – KIRKLEES**

**SATURDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER**

**GREENHEAD PARK, HD1 4DT**

**10.30AM -4.30PM**

# RoundersFest – Kirklees

## Welcome to RoundersFest!

We look forward to welcoming individuals, community teams, school and college teams, and families from across the county and hope for a great day full of Rounders and smiles.

No bat, no problem!!

Rounders England will provide the umpires and all of the equipment you could need to play.

Fun for all the family!

Will you be walking away with your medal?

If you are unsure of the rules we will be playing, you can find them below.

Please find enclosed event details and should you have any questions beforehand please don't hesitate to get in touch:

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***In the event of adverse weather, Rounders England will make a call 3 working days prior to the event and get in touch directly with the Team Captain/Secretary. Please note, it is advised that players wear suitable footwear i.e. football boots or astro turf boots in adverse weather. Due to health and safety, if the weather becomes adverse during the event, unless all players have the appropriate footwear the event will be cancelled. Please find our refund policy here.***

### **Event Order of the Day (Approximately)**

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2019

10.30am	Registration
10.45am	Umpire and Team Captain brief
11am	Games Start
4pm	Closing Ceremony

### **Rules**

1. All rules to be played in accordance with [Rounders England Rules](#)
2. Umpires will be provided by Rounders England
3. Round Robin Tournament
4. 1 Innings of 20 good balls
5. 3 points for a win, 2 points for a draw
6. In case of a draw, Rounders difference will apply
7. Players to wear suitable footwear i.e. football boots or astro turf boots in bad weather
8. Equipment will be provided

### **The very basic rules are:**

- Teams can be a minimum of six players and a maximum of 15 players. Nine players are on the field for each team at any one time.
- If a mixed team – there should be no more than five male players.
- One team bats while the other team fields and bowls.
- The bowler bowls the ball to the batter who hits the ball forward on the **Rounders Pitch**. The batter then runs to as many posts as possible before the fielders return the ball to touch the post the batter is heading for.

- If the batter reaches the 2nd or 3rd post in one hit, the batting team scores  $\frac{1}{2}$  Rounder. If the batter reaches 4th post in one hit, the batting team scores a Rounder. If the ball is not hit and the batter reaches 4th post in one hit, the batting team scores  $\frac{1}{2}$  Rounder.
- A batter can be out if the fielding team catch the ball hit by the batter before it touches the ground or by touching the post the batter is heading to with the ball before the batter reaches it.