



Botswana Institute of Accountants (BIA) Six a Side Cricket Tournament 2007

This event was held at the Cricket ground on the 10th and 11th November 07. This annual cricketing event is held for the BIA members and employees of BIA recognized firms.

The much looked forward event was initiated and sponsored by Grant Thornton Acumen since 1993 for 14 years now ...

This is the first time that it is a day night cricket tournament. The organizers received immense interest this year with 12 teams registering for the tournament. The teams were grouped into four groups and the winner of each group, decided on point system, had to play the semi-finals and the finals.

The game was played with 5 overs for each side during the league games and 6 overs for the semi-finals and finals. The match was played this time with a WHITE BALL. Any wrong ball bowled cost the teams 4 runs with no extra ball to bowl. With the built up excitement what some teams managed to get even 90 runs out of 5 overs !

Eventually GRANT THORNTON ACUMEN "A" WON the tournament with a convincing victory over PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS "A" in the finals to clinch the ROLLING TROPHY.

The prizes were awarded to the winning team by Mr. Raja Ram President of Grant Thornton Acumen and Mr. Jay Ramesh, Managing Partner addressed the crowd and appreciated all the participants of the tournament and congratulated the accounting fraternity in keeping up the spirits of the game in spite of their busy work schedule. Ms. Priya Iyer, President of BIA spoke on behalf of BIA and congratulated the organisers Grant Thornton Acumen for managing this event so efficiently every year.

