



Name	Josh Clarkson
DOB	21/01/1997
Nationality	New Zealander
Player Status	Available
Playing Role	Batting All-Rounder (Seam)
Batting Style	RH Middle Order Bat
Bowling Style	RA Medium Fast
Entry Route	
Coaching Qualifications	ECB Core Coach

Josh Clarkson is arguably one of New Zealand's hottest batting prospects. A tall, powerful batter who doubles as a sharp medium-pacer, Clarkson is treading the right path towards national honours.

The former New Zealand Under-19 player made his first-class debut for Central Districts in October 2015 but has since only played 15 Plunket Shield matches.

However, he has become an integral member of the Stags' white-ball sides and, courtesy of his explosive hitting has generated national recognition with inclusion (October 2019) to play England for the New Zealand XI side.

Clarkson boasts a tremendous record across the three domestic formats - Plunket Shield (FC), Ford Trophy (List A), and Super Smash (T20) competitions, where he averages 32.61, 33.91 and 29.16, with strike rates of 72.02, 100.48, and 150.97, respectively.

He has been a stand-out in the Ford Trophy, in particular, hitting season tallies of 273 runs at 54.60 (2016/17), 216 runs at 43.20 (2017/18), 278 runs at 34.75 (2018/19), 172 runs at 19.11 (2019/20), 308 runs at 44 (2020/21), 195 runs at 32.50 (2021/22), and 197 runs at 27.57 (2022/3) striking at over a run-a-ball.

He has struck magnificent centuries in Ford Trophy cricket, namely 103 (95 balls) and 111 (107 balls), both against an Auckland attack that featured the likes of Mitch McClenaghan and Tarun Nethula.

The Nelson-based batting all-rounder is clearly a star for the future who has also enjoyed success abroad, both in Australia (PINT in Darwin - 2019: 651 runs at 47.31), and England (Preston Nomads in Sussex - 2023: 305 runs at 33.89 and 19 wickets at 22.37).

A highly-rated cricketer and someone who we suspect will absolutely dominate cricket globally in due course.

Overseas Statistics

Team (Season)	Mts	Inns	NO	Runs	HS	Ave	Ovs	Runs	Wkts	BB	Avg
Preston Nomads (2023)											
PINT (2019)	14	16	0	757	125	47.31	81	343	17	5/42	20.18

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