

Minutes of Cherwell League Management Committee 17th January 2019 at BSA

Present: Brian Standish, Ian Murdoch, David Beck, Gary Murton, David Pryor, Len Payne, Neilsen Hinks, Lesley Pykett,

Apologies: Pete Toovey, Jim Howe, Dave Warner.

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed and signed.

Matters Arising

Letters to clubs regarding ground marks to be finalised and sent.

The Division 7 trophy has gone astray, DB will arrange a replacement and engraving.

The discussion on changing trophies will be at a later meeting.

Laptops for Divisions 5/6, training will be made available for those that need it and anyone who requires a refresher. (GM)

East Oxford have secured Lincoln College for 2019 season.

Correspondence

Email from East Oxford confirming ground.

Email from Thame CC requesting a contribution of £500 towards sightcreens for Lord Williams's ground, to be advised that CL only offer interest free loans and they could apply for this.

Email from Twyford regarding committee vacancy, they were thanked for interest but now filled.

Email from Richard Martin, regarding a pink Saturday for Breast Cancer, DB would forward to Clubs.

Email from R Berryman stating Oxford Downs were unable to use Cokethorpe School toward the end of the season as ground put to bed, Tew had offered their second ground.

A Grose informed that O&BN would be using Exeter College for the 2nd ground, this would be subject to inspection before approval given. IM/JH/DW

Finance

A number of clubs had paid the subscriptions, an email would be sent to chase those outstanding.

An interest free loan had been agreed to enable Stokenchurch to purchase a new mower.

Affiliation to Oxfordshire Cricket to be paid. LPa.

Club Matters

Letters to be forwarded to clubs regarding ground marks JH

Playing regs for Divisions 7-10 : a separate meeting would be held to finalise these, with an odd number of teams in Div 10, it was agreed that the first matches would be limited overs and the second time the teams played each other it would be timed. GM to update website accordingly.

Duckworth Lewis in Div 5/6, the home team would be responsible for this and the D/L score on the laptop would take precedence over the mobile app.

Sub Committees

Umpires – the request for umpire nominations had been sent out. The date for the umpires' meeting would be set, to tie in with Captains' meeting

Disciplinary Regulations – thanks to DB for producing and committee asked to read and amend as necessary, sending details to DB.

Rep games – ideally to plan in 3 rep games in the season and to get dates into dairies soonest (DW)

Grounds – no report

Social – Presentation evening, it was felt that the Oxford Belfry was most suitable with enough space, it had changed hands and hopefully would be more efficient. DB to make enquires to the hotel and enquire for a speaker for the evening.

Handbook – there was a lack of pictures from last season, to ask Clubs to send in any they have. Possibly reduce the amount of information to keep costs down.

Links to other Leagues

A discussion on how the CL would link with other leagues in the future. The need to keep dialogues open was crucial for the future of the game.

Website

Fixtures had been loaded and the points system tested. Thanks to GM

Any other business

It was noted that HCPCL have introduced coloured clothing for the 50/50 and T20 matches.

After discussion it was agreed to keep the ruling that 20 overs constitute a match.

Date of next Meeting

Thursday 21st February 7 30 at BSA