

From the Secretary's Desk 4th May 21

Hello All,

This should be my final communication before the season starts (weather permitting) and a few updates and notices to put in place.

NEW STUFF

Granted, it's a bit late for new, but we wanted to leave this bit as late as possible so as not to be out flanked by any late government or ECB declarations. Attached to this mail is a document detailing changes to the CCL rules to accommodate the ECB guidance on dealing with Covid-19. It's not much and it's not arduous, but please be aware of it to avoid confusion on Saturday. In essence it is just a relaxing of certain issues which are affected, but please pass it around your teams.

UPDATES

General Rules

Post sending them out to you on my last mail, we spotted a discrepancy in the rules regarding payments to umpires. This has been corrected in line with information given at the captains' meeting. The change appears in point 6.8 of the General Rules and the correct version is now on the website and attached for your reference.

A message from the Umpires' Secretary

Most weeks we have a small number of nominated umpires without a game. If your club has a team for whom you have no umpire (panel or club), for all or some weeks, and would like to be considered as an option for a panel appointment, please let the Umpires Secretary know. Please be aware that this will be first come first served and you will be required to pay the umpire the standard £45 fee.

REMINDERS

Player Registrations

Any further player registrations should be done directly onto the website rather than sent to the committee. You might just find that we haven't activated the Paypal yet, so if you're lucky, they might not cost you anything, but once it's up, it's £2 per player.

AND FINALLY



It's 86 weeks since we last played a proper League game. In that time, we have brought together two well established Leagues to produce one of the biggest League structures in the country. Welcome new and old friends to your grounds this weekend and above all

Enjoy.

Ian Murdoch General Secretary Cherwell Cricket League