



Cherwell League Management Meeting Minutes

Thursday 28th November 2013 at BNOCC, Akeman Street, Bicester.

Attendees – Steve Brain (Vice Chairman), Richard Giles, Len Payne, David Pryor, Gary Murton, Nick Pykett, Stuart Misseldine, Les Addison, Tony Lord

Apologies – Clive Ricks

Meeting began at 7.30pm

The meeting had been called to discuss the situation regarding Shipton under Wychwood's (SuW) desire that their first eleven be allowed to play in the Home Counties Premier League (HCPL) in 2014.

Steve Brain, as Vice Chairman, opened the meeting and because of his obvious conflict of interest handed over the Chairmanship of the meeting to Len Payne.

LP outlined in detail, as per the Rules & Regulations and the Constitution, of the Cherwell Cricket League (CCL) the position of SuW and their desire to play in the HCPL in 2014.

After a long discussion it was agreed that the Management Committee (MC) would recommend to the member clubs that SuW 1st X1 be allowed to play in the HCPL in 2014. The Secretary was asked to contact all member clubs outlining the recommendation of the MC and pointing out that if ten or more clubs registered their disapproval of the MC's recommendation then an EGM would be called as per the Constitution of the CCL.

The meeting then went on to discuss the effect of SuW's possible promotion and it was decided that three teams would be promoted and one relegated from all divisions in 2013. That is except Division 10 where no relegation exists. It was also recommended that Division 10 would have blank weeks scheduled to allow for the reduced number of teams in that division and to try and assist in enabling teams to fulfil fixtures on historically difficult weeks such as Bank Holidays etc..

The meeting closed at 9.36pm and the date of the next meeting was scheduled for 9th January but this would be dependent on the outcome of the notification to the clubs.