

THE CHERWELL CRICKET LEAGUE Management Meeting Minutes

Thursday 26th July 2012. At Bicester North Oxford Cricket Club

Present C Ricks D Ward L Payne K Arnold G Murton P Tubb

Apologies R Giles S Brain D Pryor N Pykett

Minutes of last meeting accepted as a true record and signed

Matters arising all covered later in the meeting.

Correspondence Responses have been received from the two clubs involved in a late finishing game. They pointed out that they believed this may have occurred in some lower division games due to the poor weather and therefore a sanction was not justified. No sanction imposed on this occasion. CR will circulate a reminder on this issue. GM suggested and it was agreed that this will include a warning that sanctions (eg slow over rate points deduction) will be imposed if the league is aware of a late finish in future.

Finance £21585 in current a/c £938 in business reserve £1362 in paypal a/c £1200 owed by debtors including £600 in fines issued for defaulted games.

Discipline 4 matches were discussed .CR to ring chair of one club to discuss future conduct. Warning emails but no further action in two cases and no further action in one case, partly due to lack of clear evidence. CR (one case) and PT to feed back to umpires.

Presentation dinner – Saturday 13th October .Hawkswell House Hotel.

The detailed menu to be circulated asap to clubs by CR. DW given budget for trophies from Allsports. Clubs to be reminded in CR club circular to engrave trophies by end of September when they will be retrieved. DW to mc the evening.

AGM date set for Thursday Nov 22nd at 7.30 pm at Bicester & NOCC. Nominations from clubs for positions on the management team (there will be one current member not re-standing) by Sept 15th and proposed playing regulations and constitution changes to be in by 29th September so AGM details can be issued by RG by October 6th.

Website - 90,000 visits this season with 1.3 million hits. Details of sorting of league placings if points equal are now on the tables pages of website and will reappear in regulations next season. Possible promotion/ relegation scenarios also now on website. GM to explore including basic scorecards in website for 2013 in top divisions.

Sub committees Umpires - nothing to report

Cricket - A return to points deduction on a sliding scale for defaulting teams was proposed. Proposal to re-introduce leg side wides will be discussed at forums (possibly divs 1 to 4) Proposed playing regulation changes will then be voted on at AGM

AOB CR reviewing status of two clubs from OCA interested in joining Cherwell League in 2013. CR proposed change to constitution allowing management group to decide on new clubs as delaying final decision to AGM could leave a team in limbo and club votes on this issue can be influenced by how it affects their team placements. Management group keen to ensure the attendance of all captains at next captains' meeting to discuss discipline expectations.

Rules forums Sept 17th (Buckingham CC) and 18th (Tiddington CC)

Future management meetings BNOCC 27th Sept 8th November

