

Proposal for Bolton Junior Cricket League Under 18's

- Following the last junior meeting it was obvious that a change to the way Under 18's cricket was to be played was needed. Two-night cricket is difficult for most clubs to manage when players are taking National examinations. Proposals to change at the last A.G.M were defeated, however all clubs voted for change. But we were left with stalemate and the old rule remained.
- This idea would be to play 20/20 cricket in the first half of the year and two-day 35 over cricket in the later part of the summer after examinations have been completed. In order to do this, two groups of teams would play the 20/20 competition with the group winners playing each other in a play off final to decide the league winner. The same would then take place but with different groups, based geographically (to cut down travelling difficulties) with a 35 over two-night competition. Cup competition remains the same.

One night 20/20 Competition

Played using current Under 15's rules.

Played on Wednesday evenings, however, could if raining on that day try again on the Thursday.

Round 1 – to 7 on a Wednesday Evening up to end of June

+ Play off Final Date to be decided

Group One

1. Egerton
2. Bradshaw
3. Greenmount
4. Horwich
5. Little Lever
6. Walkden
7. Westhoughton

Group Two

1. Kearsley
2. Farnworth Social Circle
3. Farnworth
4. Heaton
5. Astley Bridge
6. Tonge
7. Eagley

Two-night 35 Over Competition

Played using current Under 18's rules.

Played on Wednesday & Thursday evenings, however, like now if raining on Wednesday play 20/20 game the following night, Thursday.

Round 1 – 7 Wed/Thur Starting first week of July to end of Aug.

+ Play off Final Date to be decided

North Group

1. Heaton
2. Astley Bridge
3. Tonge
4. Eagley
5. Egerton
6. Bradshaw
7. Greenmount

South Group

1. Kearsley
2. Farnworth Social Circle
3. Farnworth
4. Horwich
5. Little Lever
6. Walkden
7. Westhoughton

- As the groups have an odd number of competitors you will notice in the fixtures that each week has a game involving a team from each group, this will count as the 7th fixture in each of the groups.

20/20 Competition

Group 1

Round 1 –

Egerton v Kearsley

Bradshaw v Westhoughton

Greenmount v Walkden

Horwich v Little Lever

Round 2 –

Astley Bridge v Little Lever

Walkden v Horwich

Westhoughton v Greenmount

Egerton v Bradshaw

Round 3 – 2

Bradshaw v Farnworth Social Circle

Greenmount v Egerton

Horwich v Westhoughton

Little Lever v Walkden

Round 4 –

Tonge v Walkden

Westhoughton v Little Lever

Egerton v Horwich

Bradshaw v Greenmount

Round 5 –

Greenmount v Farnworth

Horwich v Bradshaw

Little Lever v Egerton

Walkden v Westhoughton

Round 6 –

Eagley v Westhoughton

Egerton v Walkden

Bradshaw v Little Lever

Greenmount v Horwich

Round 7 –

Horwich v Heaton

Little Lever v Greenmount

Walkden v Bradshaw

Westhoughton v Egerton

Group 2

Round 1 –

Egerton v Kearsley

Farnworth Social Circle v Eagley

Farnworth v Tonge

Heaton v Astley Bridge

Round 2 –

Astley Bridge v Little Lever

Tonge v Heaton

Eagley v Farnworth

Kearsley v Farnworth Social Circle

Round 3 –

Bradshaw v Farnworth Social Circle

Farnworth v Kearsley

Heaton v Eagley

Astley Bridge v Tonge

Round 4 –

Tonge v Walkden

Eagley v Astley Bridge

Kearsley v Heaton

Farnworth Social Circle v Farnworth

Round 5 –

Greenmount v Farnworth

Heaton v Farnworth Social Circle

Astley Bridge v Kearsley

Tonge v Eagley

Round 6 –

Eagley v Westhoughton

Kearsley v Tonge

Farnworth Social Circle v Astley Bridge

Farnworth v Heaton

Round 7 –

Horwich v Heaton

Astley Bridge v Farnworth

Tonge v Farnworth Social Circle

Eagley v Kearsley

Two-night 35 Over Competition

North Group

Round 1 –

Heaton v Kearsley

Astley Bridge v Greenmount

Tonge v Bradshaw

Eagley v Egerton

Round 2 –

Little Lever v Egerton

Bradshaw v Eagley

Greenmount v Tonge

Heaton v Astley Bridge

Round 3–

Astley Bridge v Farnworth Social Circle

Tonge v Heaton

Eagley v Greenmount

Egerton v Bradshaw

Round 4

Walkden v Bradshaw

Greenmount v Egerton

Heaton v Eagley

Astley Bridge v Tonge

Round 5

Tonge v Farnworth

Eagley v Astley Bridge

Egerton v Heaton

Bradshaw v Greenmount

Round 6

Westhoughton v Greenmount

Heaton v Bradshaw

Astley Bridge v Egerton

Tonge v Eagley

Round 7

Eagley v Horwich

Egerton v Tonge

Bradshaw v Astley Bridge

Greenmount v Heaton

South Group

Round 1 –

Heaton v Kearsley

Farnworth Social Circle v Westhoughton

Farnworth v Walkden

Horwich v Little Lever

Round 2 –

Little Lever v Egerton

Walkden v Horwich

Westhoughton v Farnworth

Kearsley v Farnworth Social Circle

Round 3–

Astley Bridge v Farnworth Social Circle

Farnworth v Kearsley

Horwich v Westhoughton

Little Lever v Walkden

Round 4

Walkden v Bradshaw

Westhoughton v Little Lever

Kearsley v Horwich

Farnworth Social Circle v Farnworth

Round 5

Tonge v Farnworth

Horwich v Farnworth Social Circle

Little Lever v Kearsley

Walkden v Westhoughton

Round 6

Westhoughton v Greenmount

Kearsley v Walkden

Farnworth Social Circle v Little Lever

Farnworth v Horwich

Round 7

Eagley v Horwich

Little Lever v Farnworth

Walkden v Farnworth Social Circle

Westhoughton v Kearsley