

Anthony Axford
Bolton Cricket League

Junior's

For meeting Thursday 20th Sept 2007 @ Astley Bridge 8pm

MINUTES

Apologies

Jack Ashton, John Hutchinson and Shaun Lomax

Clubs Absent

Egerton, Farnworth, FSC, Kearsley, Greenmount and Westhoughton

Minutes of last meeting

The minutes of the last meeting had been received by all and were approved as a correct record.

Treasurer's Report

£7120 in coaching fund.

Presentation Evening

The date of the junior league presentation evening was set at Thursday 8th November at Horwich RMI Club 7.30 start. Ticket prices were set at £4 per adult and £2 per child. (U16's).

Lists were given out for clubs to fill in a get back to the secretary for names of winners from clubs.

Changes to Rule 2008

Several rule changes were discussed and the list is attached to these minutes.

Coach Education inc Winter Courses

A meeting of the coaching committee will be had within the next 2 weeks and clubs informed of programme.

Richard Dearden was asked to look into the league having are own UKCC1 and UKCC2 course having being told by the LCB that we couldn't.

A.O.B

Richard Dearden reminded clubs again about LCB nominations for trials the forms are attached to these minutes.

A small discussion was held on District Cricket about being pushed around on the Cricket Development Committee.

Their being no other business the meeting closed at 9.30pm

Date of next meeting Thursday 18th Oct 8pm @ Astley Bridge.

LANCASHIRE SCHOOLS CRICKET ASSOCIATION **2008**

NOMINATION FORM - UNDER

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Please identify in box either U11, U12, U13, U14, U15 or U16

PLAYERS NAME: _____ **D.O.B.** _____

ADDRESS: _____

POSTCODE: _____ TEL.NO.: _____

SCHOOL: _____ YEAR GROUP _____
Teams played for at school: _____

Performances of note: _____

CRICKET CLUB: _____
Teams played for at club: _____

Performances of note: _____

REPRESENTATIVE HONOURS: e.g. League XI, District XI etc.

DESCRIPTION OF PLAYING ABILITY
Please indicate clearly whether LH or RH Bat Opener/Middle or Late order
plus RA or LA Bowler Fast/medium/Spin or Wicketkeeper, along with MAIN STRENGTHS

NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY (Print Name) _____

POSITION _____ QUALIFICATION _____

Signed _____

Please give order of priority if more than one Nomination submitted _____

NOMINATION ENDORSED BY (Print Name) _____

POSITION _____ QUALIFICATION _____

Signed _____

NB. Any additional information to support this NOMINATION will be welcomed, including averages, reports, press details. These should be attached to the NOMINATION FORM

To be returned NO LATER THAN 31st OCT

Please Return form to : Richard Dearden, 13 Bury Old Road, Ainsworth,, Bolton, Lancashire , BL2 5PJ

Rules changes 2008

1. Revise the pitch length for U11's to 20 yards (could be covered using ECB Guidelines)
2. Revise the pitch length for U13's to 21 yards (could be covered using ECB Guidelines)

All junior cricket is played to ECB guidelines and directives, then add the above with an appendix and a note pointing out these could be liable to change after the Handbook goes to print.

3. To allow a club to have a "B" side in the same league if there is a place spare due to a club not entering that season.
4. General Rules 6: Remove "**may be played on artificial pitch**", in other words all games must be played on grass.

REASON, the only club is Greenmount and unfortunately their artificial has a very poor bounce and also gives them an advantage and they also have the best square in the league.

5. To allow U11's games not played on a Wednesday evening to be played on Thursday Evening.
6. Remove General Rule 27 "Replaying of Cancelled Fixtures".
7. Make U18's cricket one night (therefore freeing up a date for replaying of fixtures) 20 overs
8. In addition to the U18's League ONE DAY League have a 40 over mid week fixture program during school holidays with a maximum of 5 teams per group with a play off

It's time to move out of the 1970s and accept that most lads no longer leave school at 16 and start work

- 9 U13's cricket to be pairs cricket (10 a side) in the league competition and a full game in the cup competition.
- 10 Introduce an U11's cup competition.