



The Bassetlaw & District Cricket League

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LMC MEETING – AGENDA

Date	Tuesday 09 April 2019
Time	7.00 pm
Venue	Worksop Cricket Club

- 1 Apologies for absence**
- 2 Acceptance of the minutes of the March 2019 Meeting**
- 3 Matters Arising**
- 4 Finance / Sponsorship**
- 5 Child Welfare and DBS Matters**
- 6 Correspondence**
- 7 Club Consultation Plans 2019/2020**
 - **Rules Committee Update**
- 8 Any other business**
 - **Updates from other relevant meetings**
 - **Update on divisional structure/proposed NPL division 2**
 - **2019 Annual Dinner Arrangements**
 - **Any further matters raised at the meeting.**

Meeting Dates 2019 Workshop Cricket Club @ 19:00 hrs	
January 2019	Tuesday 08
February 2019	Tuesday 12
March 2019	Tuesday 12
April 2019	Tuesday 09
May 2019	Tuesday 14
June 2019	Tuesday 11
July 2019	Tuesday 09
August 2019	Tuesday 13
September 2019	Tuesday 10
October 2019	Tuesday 08
November 2019	Tuesday 12
December 2019	Tuesday 10

Other Diary Dates 2019	
Season Start	Saturday 20 April
Mallen Trophy Rounds	Sunday 23 June
Mallen Trophy Final	Sunday 30 June
Ball Collection Day (1)	
Ball Collection Day (2)	
Feeder Leagues 20-20 Final	Tuesday 2 July
Season Finishes	Saturday 14 September
Pre-AGM Meeting	
Proposed Team Entries 2020	-
League Dinner	Saturday 16 November
League AGM	Sunday 24 November
New Season Detail Form 2020	31 January 2020

Meeting Attendance Log

League Management Committee													
Record of Attendance: 2019 Meetings													
Venue: Workshop Cricket Club													
X = Present A = Apologies N = Not in attendance (no correspondence received)													
Name	Position	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
R Swann (RS)	President	X	X	X									
A Vollans (AV)	Vice President	X	X	X									
G Jones (GJ)	Chairman	X	X	A									
N Fenwick (NF)	Secretary	X	X	X									
T Munro (TM)	Treasurer	X	A	X									
J Leaning (JL)	Umpire Appointments	X	X	A									
G Bardill (GB)	League Management Committee	A	X	X	A								
M Bonsall (MB)		X	X	X									
M Cuthbert (MC)		X	X	X									
D Flowers (DF)		X	X	X									
M Hall (MH)		X	X	X	A								
T Haywood (TH)		X	X	X									
B Hicklin (BH)		A	X	X									
B Norris (BN)		X	X	X									
D Parnham (DP)		X	X	X									
P Rice (PR)		A	X	A									
S Roberts (SR)		X	X	X									
A Rossington (AR)		X	X	A									
G Venables (GV)		X	X	A									

Minutes of the LMC Meeting held on	Tuesday 12 March 2019
Venue	Worksop CC, Central Avenue
Start time	19:00 hrs
Closure time	20:05 hrs
1. Apologies for absence	T Munro

Additional attendees: Andrew Wilson, Nottinghamshire CCC Development Officer

In the chair: David Parnham

2. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the meeting held on **Tuesday 12 February 2019** were accepted as a true and accurate record of proceedings.

3. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING

3.1 Nottinghamshire CC Club Forums. A Wilson reported that three meetings had been held during March, with the meeting at Cuckney being the best attended. Mike Aplin (representing IOG) and Sue Redfern from the ECB were also present at each of the meetings.

The NCB officers involved are now in the process of collating feedback from the meetings and will disseminate the findings to league clubs.

AW asked that clubs get in touch with him (andrew.wilson@nottsccc.co.uk) with any suggestions for topics/issues for discussion at the next round of club forums.

4. FINANCE & SPONSORSHIP

4.1 TM distributed the current balance sheet which showed total league funds of £9768.65.

To date, approximately half of our clubs have paid their annual subscription to the league; the remainder are due by 31 March 2019.

TM asked if the BDUA would like some financial assistance towards the purchase of the new updated laws of cricket books. GB undertook to discuss this offer with BDUA officers, although it is believed that the new law books may be already available at a discounted rate via the ECB-ACO.

NF reported that a bid for funds has been submitted to the NPL management committee; the bid is focussed on support for development of the BDCL web site and new/replacement IT equipment.

5. CHILD WELFARE AND DBS MATTERS

- 5.1 A Wilson reported that the recent round of club welfare officer training courses held at Trent Bridge and Edwinstowe CC have now been completed.

It was noted that there were some deficiencies in CWO training/compliance at Everton and South Normanton CC and at some of our league clubs in South Yorkshire.

AW again stressed the importance of full compliance with respect to the appointment and training of CWO's; and that failure of any club to comply is likely to result in a suspension from league cricket. Further CWO training courses (SPC and Safe Hands) will be arranged in the immediate future if required.

GB reported that the new on-line DBS system was working very well for umpires and will minimise delays with renewals in future. It was pointed out that some DBS applicants weren't sure who their nearest DBS verifier was; AW undertook to find out if a list of current local DBS verifiers could be compiled and circulated to league clubs.

6. CORRESPONDENCE

- 6.1 NF reported receipt of an e-mail from Everton CC stating that due to a shortage of players they had been left with no option but to withdraw their second eleven from the league. The affected league fixtures have been expunged from the league web site and removed from the 2019 handbook, JL has reallocated appointed umpires as appropriate.

There is no fine levied on a club for withdrawing a team prior to the start of the season; however, the prescribed league subscription for that particular team still needs to be paid in full. TM undertook to check if Everton have yet paid their 2019 subscription and report back at the April LMC meeting.

- 6.2 Lea & Roses CC. NF reported receipt of several e-mails from the Chairman of Lea & Roses CC (Stuart Menzies) regarding issues with their grounds and in particular Lea Park. The final e-mail stated that as a result of these concerns they had no option but to play their third XI fixtures at Marshalls during the 2019 season. The 2019 League handbook has been updated accordingly. Lea & Roses CC have undertaken to keep the LMC updated on their ongoing consultations over the future availability of their current playing facilities.

7. CLUB CONSULTATION PLANS 2018 (RULES COMMITTEE)

- 7.1 SR reported that both Gary Bardill and Martin Cheshire have stood down as members of the rules committee. Both Peter Rice and Carl Lake will continue; and Mick Bonsall will replace Gary Bardill. The suggestion that Mark Dean of Clumber Park CC be approached to join was endorsed by the LMC, SR to pursue this matter.

The first meeting of the new rules committee is planned for Wednesday 3 April 2019 at Edwinstowe CC.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

8.1 Proposed NPL Division 2. NF reported that there had been no update regarding the proposed NPL division 2 at the last NPL management committee meeting; the next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday 20 March 2019.

8.2 NF reported that the Mallen Trophy fixtures are now visible both on play cricket and in the draft league handbook and will be visible on the BDCL web site when available.

TM to check on the quantity of pink coloured match balls still in stock from last season, and to discuss further supplies for this season with Mad Dog Sports who had kindly provided the balls for the 2018 competition. Additional balls will be provided for use during the first round of fixtures being held at Anston CC.

NF to advise the clubs competing in the competition of arrangements for distribution of the balls once confirmed.

8.3 BDCL Readers Ball collection. Discussions are ongoing between Anston CC and Owzat Sports to arrange a collection evening at Anston CC, this is likely to be between 4 and 11 April 2019. TM to contact Owzat sports to confirm the date which will then be circulated to league clubs.

8.4 2019 League Dinner. The LMC agreed that an approach would be made to South Forest to move the event to the upstairs dining room, which would restrict guest numbers to approximately 140. TM to contact Julie English at South Forest to discuss this arrangement and report back at the next meeting.

8.5 Umpires. GB reported that paired umpire appointments have been allocated down to Division 4, and that 5 new umpires have registered with the league over recent weeks.

A stage 3 umpires' course is being staged at Edwinstowe over a four week period commencing Monday 11 March; this is the first Stage 3 course to be held in Nottinghamshire.

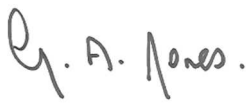
It was noted that the next umpires meeting will be on Saturday 6th April.

8.6 Brian Rivington Trophy for fair play. This will be purchased by Jean Rivington on behalf of the BDUA and be awarded to a Championship or Division 1 club at the end of the 2019 season. Umpires will evaluate clubs throughout the season; a pro forma will be used to provide a consistent format for the evaluations.

8.7 Captains meeting. It was agreed to hold a pre-season captains meeting, this will be at a venue to be confirmed on Thursday 11 April commencing at 7.30 pm. The BDUA will provide a speaker at the meeting, with their main emphasis being a discussion on the revision of law 41.7. BDCL input will include a review of the rule changes agreed at the 2018 AGM.

- 8.8 2019 League Handbook. Clubs were thanked for participating in the recent on-line survey to ascertain how many league handbooks clubs they will require this season. 600 copies will be ordered, it is anticipated that these will be available for umpires to collect at their meeting scheduled for 6 April. Clubs will be notified separately of a collection date and venue; however, handbooks and team-cards should also be available for collection at the Captains meeting on 11 April 2019.
- 8.9 BDCL Web Site. NF reported that the web site was close to completion but was not yet available to publicly view on line. Following discussions, the LMC asked the league secretary to contact *B46 IT* to ascertain progress and agree a date for completion prior to reporting back at the next LMC meeting.

END OF PROCEEDINGS

Signed:	
Position:	CHAIRMAN
Date:	26 March 2019