

**Darlington Building Society**  
**North Yorkshire & South Durham ECB Premier Cricket League**

**Minutes of Management Meeting held at the Springboard Centre, Stokesley**  
**on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

**PRESENT**

President C W West (CWW), General Secretary S Storey (SS), Fixtures Secretary N Hutchinson (NH), Results Secretary G Smith (GS), Treasurer D Stanwix (DS), Umpire Co-Ordinator D S Oliver (DSO), Committee Members A B Bainbridge (ABB), J Crowther (JC), S Gill (SG), T Briddock (TB), S Donlan (SD), M Jobling (MJ) (12)

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Received from S. Brenkley (SB)

**CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

The president re-affirmed as required under recommended governance procedures, that where any committee member has a perceived conflict of interest in any matter coming before the committee they should declare such.

**MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minutes of the last LMC meeting held on the 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018 were approved to be signed as a correct record other than a point raised by ABB - S. Reeves was shown in the minutes as English Qualified professional when in fact he still remains as an overseas professional.

**Amendment agreed.**

**MATTERS ARISING**

**Child Welfare Officers**

Confirmation of all is now virtually complete – just one or two more outstanding who will be contacted direct for an update.

**MATCH PLAY COMMITTEE**

As in previous seasons a Match Play Sub-Committee has been established to deal with matters that arise in between meetings which are match related and require immediate attention. The committee is comprised CWW, SS, NH, GS, DSO.

**Resolved: Sub-committee ratified**

**REPORT FROM FIXTURES SECRETARY (NH)**

All Ray Bell Cup group games have now been rescheduled.

Division 2 - Sedgefield v Barnard Castle moved from Sunday 20th May to Monday 28th May

Division 3 - Marton v Shildon moved from Sunday 5th August to Sunday 3rd June

Sunday Conference South - Marske v Thornaby fixtures reversed to 3rd June at Marske, 29th July at Thornaby

Ray Bell Cup Group B - 13th May Wolviston v Hartlepool rearranged to be played at Hartlepool due to Village Cup (Wolviston actually conceded the game)

Correspondence received from Norton advising that they will have to resign their under 17 team from the Junior League. **All clubs in JLN directly affected will be notified, however all clubs should note the resignation applies to the Junior League North, the Junior Cup North, the Junior Plate and the Junior Fifteens.**

#### **KERRIDGE CUP FINAL VENUE**

Marton CC will be the host of the Kerridge Cup Final which is due to be played on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August.

#### **TEESSIDE UNIVERSITY MACMILLAN CUP T20 FINALS DAY**

Due to the timings between the finals venue being decided and the date of the final it has often been difficult for the host club to secure somebody to provide suitable music at short notice. In view of this the League have made the booking in advance to alleviate this problem for the host club. Teesside University require to be made aware of the venue as soon as the quarter-finals are completed on the 31<sup>st</sup> May.

**Resolved: SS to confirm with them should CWW remain indisposed at that time.**

#### **VITALITY U19 CLUB T20 BLAST**

All contacts details have been submitted to Durham County CC and all the balls have now been distributed to the relevant clubs competing in this competition.

#### **REPORT FROM RESULTS SECRETARY (GS)**

##### **Result not entered on play-cricket within 24 hours (£10 per offence)**

29/4 Ray Bell Norton  
3/5 Ray Bell Guisborough  
5/5 D3 Bishop Auckland  
5/5 D2 Bedale  
5/5 D1 Saltburn

##### **Full card not entered on Play-Cricket within 3 working days (£10 per offence)**

9/5 Ken Welsh Preston

##### **Umpires report no scorer provided (£20 per offence)**

12/5 D3 Norton  
12/5 D3 Shildon Railway

##### **Concessions**

28/4 D3 Guisborough £50  
3/5 Ray Bell Guisborough £25  
5/5 D3 Guisborough £50  
6/5 Ray Bell Stokesley £25  
6/5 Ray Bell Guisborough £25  
8/5 Sanders Thornaby £25

12/5 D2 Marske £50  
12/5 D3 Guisborough £50  
13/5 Ray Bell Wolviston £25  
13/5 Ray Bell Stokesley £25  
15/5 Readman Marske £50

4/5 Junior Cup South Great Ayton

**Resolved – In line with previous practice, no fines are issued for conceded u-17 games.**

### **Scoring Incentives**

The Play Cricket application is seeing many clubs live scoring. GS identified that many teams are complying with the 11pm deadline and will shortly produce tables indicating which clubs are being most successful.

### **REPORT FROM THE TREASURER (DS)**

A balance of £35,658.20 was reported.

This includes the £3500 sponsorship from Teesside University and £3450 direct payment towards the tickets for the 125 celebrations on the 18<sup>th</sup> May at Chester Le Street. (£1400 was passed on at the meeting by CWW from payments made directly to him by cheque or cash).

Recent expenditure had been as follows: - 125 entertainment and technical £600, Art work for the handbooks £792.

To be paid are circa £6000 for the 125 day, £900 to Andy Fothergill and £1600 for the new league ties.

**All clubs have now been invoiced for their subscriptions and those who have not paid are reminded that payment is due by 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018.**

### **REPORT FROM UMPIRE CO-ORDINATOR**

DSO reported as follows:

**Late Captains Reports (£10 on each occasion)**

Date	Home	Away	Division	Club at fault	Date Completed
28.04.18	Darlington	Barnard Castle	Prem	Darlington	7/5
28.04.18	Hartlepool	Middlesbrough	Prem	Hartlepool	16/5
28.04.18	Seaton Carew	Marske	Prem	Marske	8/5
28.04.18	Stokesley	Thornaby	Prem	Stokesley	7/5
28.04.18	Blackhall	Darlington RA	One	Darlington RA	9/5
28.04.18	Guisborough	Saltburn	One	Guisborough	9/5
28.04.18	Richmondshire	Norton	One	Norton	7/5
05.05.18	Richmondshire	Hartlepool	Prem	Hartlepool	16/5

### **MCC Laws Query**

DSO had raised a query with Lords Law makers following an incident in a recent match where a bowler, having been given a first and final warning for a high full toss, then bowled a second high full toss, however the ball was also a front foot no ball. The bowler was removed from the attack on this occasion but the umpires then checked with DSO to ascertain if the action had been correct. This caused some scratching of heads at the MCC also and they have decided currently that the front foot no ball was the sanction and therefore that the second-high full toss under these circumstances

should be discounted. They also went on to state that they would be raising this at their next meeting, so their stance may change. A ruling will be sent out to all leagues following this meeting. For now, should this rare set of circumstances be repeated then the front foot no ball will be the course of action. DSO has sent the judgement to all umpires.

### **Umpire Appointments**

DSO expressed his concern at the continued shortage of umpires with most Saturdays during June showing shortfalls of on average 8.5, meaning that lower divisions would see games continue to be single-manned.

DSO also added that there are 2 new umpires on the list who are not in the League Handbook their details are supplied to clubs in case they are allocated a fixture and the fixture is cancelled.

Dale Metcalfe contact details 07581 085445 and [d-metcalfe@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:d-metcalfe@hotmail.co.uk)

Andy Unsworth contact details 07837 453898, 01642 615169 and [akunsworth7@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:akunsworth7@yahoo.co.uk).

**Clubs please note details in handbooks**

### **GUISBOROUGH**

Officials of Guisborough had been invited to attend the meeting to discuss in more detail the problems they were clearly experiencing in fielding teams. Mr C Norminton attended on the Club's behalf.

It was felt by the Club that in the longer term their problems would be overcome with several factors put forward for the present issues.

After lengthy discussions it was determined the Club should be allowed time to resolve the problems, but would be required to provide a written update by early June with the position to be reviewed in full at the next meeting.

**Resolved: Club to be written to and provided with clear details on the strategy proposed.**

### **PLAYER REGISTRATIONS SANCTIONED**

#### **Overseas Professionals**

BARNARD CASTLE Ranasinghe DUMINDU

#### **Paid Employees**

RICHMOND Matthew COWLING - Coach

RICHMOND Craig MARSHALL - Coach

STOKESLEY Andrew WEIGHELL - Groundsman

THORNABY Paul ALLEN – Bar staff

GREAT AYTON Mitchell DAVIS - Groundsman

#### **Overseas Amateurs**

MARSKE Ben Van RENSBURG

BISHOP AUCKLAND Jacob DINGER

#### **Transfers**

SEDGEFIELD Phil WEARS from SALT BURN

SEDGEFIELD Lewis FORTUNE from PETERLEE

BLACKHALL Stephen BRETT from SOUTH HETTON  
NORTON Usman KHALID from BILLINGHAM  
NORTON Marutha SANAKA from PETERLEE  
NORTON Andrew TYRELL from BILLINGHAM  
NORTON Qasir Ayubi HUSSAIN from BILLINGHAM  
ROCKLIFFE PARK Waheed MUGHAL from WILLINGTON  
ROCKLIFFE PARK Drew CHARLTON from DARLINGTON  
ROCKLIFFE PARK Reece HUGHES from COCKERTON  
SHILDON Thomas WICKENS from NEWTON AYCLIFFE  
MIDDLESBROUGH Mian Ali RAZA from YARM  
MARSKE Tom HALES from HULL ZINGARI  
MARSKE Richard BARRITT from LOFTUS  
STOKESLEY Matthew SMITH from NEW ROVER  
STOKESLEY Shrikant WAGH from DARWEN  
STOKESLEY Matthew GAUNT from SESSAY  
MALTBY Richard STRINGER from STOKESLEY  
MALTBY William RENWICK from YARM  
MALTBY Farooq DIN from WOLVISTON  
REDCAR Syed SHERAZI from SWMCC  
DARLINGTON Lee HUTTON from DARLINGTON RA  
DARLINGTON Joseph KNOWLES from TADCASTER MAGNETS  
BILLINGHAM Henry MOORE from YARM  
YARM Marcus BURNETT from MIDDLETON TYAS  
THORNABY James MANNERS from BILLINGHAM  
DARLINGTON RA James BRAMLEY from WEST PARK RA  
DARLINGTON RA Joe KENNEDY from SALT BURN  
DARLINGTON RA Rohan SIVAJOTI from KIRK DEIGHTON  
DARLINGTON RA Matthew THOMAS from NORTON  
WHITBY Corey HART from SALT BURN  
WHITBY Kobie BOOCOCK from FYLINGDALES  
WHITBY Mark ESTILL from FYLINGDALES

WHITBY Peter HINCHLIFFE from FYLINGDALES

WHITBY Justin MAYNE from FYLINGDALES

WHITBY Christopher SHRIMPTON from FYLINGDALES

NORTHALLERTON Steve DONLAN from GUISBOROUGH

MARTON Luke MIDDLEMISS from GUISBOROUGH

MARTON Scott MIDDLEMISS from GUISBOROUGH

MARTON Martin HOOD from GUISBOROUGH

MARTON Nicholas HOOD from GUISBOROUGH

MARTON Matthew HOOD from GUISBOROUGH

GUISBOROUGH John BOND from SALTBURN

GUISBOROUGH Aiden REID from HAUGHTON

HARTLEPOOL Chris HARRISON from STOCKTON

### **Amateur Special Registration**

GUISBOROUGH Dan MAYNARD – awaiting Managed Migration confirmation.

### **U17 Registrations**

Sanction provided for Harry Peirson and Lewis Myers to play U17 cricket (only) for Normanby Hall as their parent club Marske do not have an under 17 team. Marske have agreed to the arrangement.

### **CORRESPONDENCE**

No correspondence since last meeting.

### **DISCIPLINE**

#### **Cautions**

Darlington RA – M Wheeler	No appeal	Fine paid.
Whitby – K Morris	Pending	

#### **Seaton Carew**

A misconduct report had been submitted by umpires D.Kirby and K.Moss relating to the behaviour of S. Lobb during the Premier League match at home to Barnard Castle on the 12<sup>th</sup> May. In accordance with procedures laid down in the league rules, the DRC had reviewed the report and determined that the alleged offence was a level 1 infringement, however the same player had received a level 1 caution in September 2017 which escalated the level of offence to 2.

In accordance with procedures laid down in league rules, Seaton Carew had been asked to consider taking their own disciplinary action and had since notified the League that the player had been suspended by the club for a period of 14 days commencing on 16th May

**Resolved: Seaton Carew's actions accepted.**

#### **Level 1 reports – High Full Tosses**

There had been a string of level 1 reports in the opening weeks relating to bowlers delivering 2 high full tosses and being removed from the attack. The umpires were correct in submitting the reports

as now required by the new MCC Laws, however the LMC decided that these would not be classified as level 1 disciplinary offences (unless the actions were deemed deliberate).

**Resolved: Reports to simply be held on file. If any one player is reported repeatedly then the club would be asked to try and assist with corrective coaching.**

### **125 LUNCH**

Everything is in place for the lunch, all the guests are confirmed and all car parking passes have been distributed.

### **PERFORMANCE OF THE MONTH**

The performance of the month awards will be starting with the first award for a joint April and May time period, due to the postponement of the first week's fixtures. The League would be paying for the awards under the new arrangements with DBS, and after being given a choice had determined that salvers similar to those previously provided by DBS would be the appropriate award – these to be ordered through the League's trophy supplier on a monthly basis.

### **REPRESENTATIVE CRICKET**

#### **Under 17**

The Under 17 team played their first Joe Lumb trophy match at Marske on 6<sup>th</sup> May losing from a potentially winning position against the York League. Although they lost the game there were some excellent performances and the team was very competitive. Thanks were extended to Marske for their hosting of the match.

The next fixture is against the Huddersfield League at Stokesley on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May.

#### **Under 21/23**

The South Yorkshire Premier league have requested a U21 or U23 representative fixture against the NYSD to be held in August. They have offered to host the fixture either in North Lincolnshire or South Yorkshire and will provide a choice of dates shortly.

### **CUP PRESENTATIONS**

All fixtures have now been allocated to a member of the LMC to be present to present the trophies and individual awards.

### **HALL OF FAME**

All clubs previously identified have been written to regarding submitting the nominations.

### **HANDBOOK 2018**

There have been no reported errors in this year's handbook to the LMC.

### **ECB**

#### **Annual Criteria Return – May 2018 – Fixed Fee Payment**

Due at the end of May with details of all category 3/3E players registered, details of current Premier Umpires and a summary of the major rule changes in 2018.

**Resolved: DSO (umpires) and GS (Category 3/3E) to provide lists to CWW by 21<sup>ST</sup> May. CWW to complete rule change summary and then complete return.**

#### **ECB PL Criteria – PRFP**

As part of the conditional and discretionary funding in 2018 Premier Leagues, in conjunction with their County Boards, must declare which priorities they plan to promote, support and/or drive in 2018 using a template provided by the ECB. This to be completed by the end of May.

**Resolved: CWW to progress with the CB's (NYSD must progress with both Durham and Yorkshire)**

### **COUNTY BOARDS**

Durham Cricket Board held their annual meeting in early May attended by the president. Key matters affecting NYSD clubs:

- The ECB will be running a Managed Migration Workshop in July at the Riverside.
- Durham have requested nominations for their OSCA's.
- Austin Trophy draw – Barnard Castle at home to Hetton Lyons and Bishop Auckland away to Hunwick
- DCCC and DCB 'merger' – EGM planned for September.

### **ABU DHABI CLUB COMPETITION**

There is to be a Yorkshire clubs competition in Abu Dhabi in February 2019. Further details will become available in due course and Yorkshire clubs circulated with the information.

### **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

#### **Data Protection**

SS to be the NYSD DP Compliance Officer – list to be drawn up of identified tasks shortly.

**Date of next meeting – Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2018**