

2nd July 2024

Minutes of the Executive Meeting

Held at Tonge C.C.

Apologies; Becki Slinger, Kevin Boyle, Mike Bridges, Tracey Brooks and Andy Scambler.

Present; FH, KK, GM, BS, RT.

Matters Arising; Reports are awaited on Barrowford's ground.

Finance; There is £12,600 at the bank. The invoice has been paid to the LCF for ground inspections, and clubs will be invoiced £75 later this month. Reminders have been sent to two clubs regarding outstanding invoices.

Umpires; Ten teams will be taking part in the Axford Indoor KO on the four Sundays in January. The matter of umpires for third team matches was brought up at the Umpires' meeting. Concern was expressed about umpires' being challenged about decisions when players have viewed the match on live stream. Clubs should remind themselves about the ECB Guidelines https://play-cricket.ecb.co.uk/hc/en-us/article_attachments/19459457479069

Rule 13 in the Handbook regarding re-starting in the rain is incorrect, but is correct on the website.

Discipline; There have been 6 x Level one offences, 8 x Level 2, 1 x Level 3. KB is to speak to an experienced Disciplinary Officer to take over as Discipline Adjudicator.

Juniors; No report.

Grounds; Issues raised by players and officials have been forwarded to AS. There is just one outstanding issue regarding the grounds survey and funding.

Cup Final Venues; It was agreed a coin toss between the two finalists would determine the Hamer Cup final venue. The T20 semis and final will be played at Lostock on 21st July.

Registrations; Two issues have been resolved to the satisfaction of all parties.

EDI and Safeguarding; No report.

Match v MCC at Read; Bill Slinger will be Match Manager on the day, with Matt Seigne responsible for co-ordinating selection.

Handbook; The date on the cover has caused some confusion and it was suggested it is emphasised the League was formed in 2023 on future books etc. as it appears at first sight that the current Handbook is from 2023.

Hamer Cup Draw; It was agreed that as competition sponsor Frank Hinks should have been present when the draw was made live.

Old Cricket Balls; It was agreed balls from previous seasons could still be used in second team matches.

Dates of Future Meetings; Executive 6th August, full meeting 13th August. Both 730pm at Brinscall C.C.