

CCL AGM 2008  
**JOLLY'S DRINKS**  
**CORNWALL CRICKET LEAGUE**  
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The **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** of the Cornwall Cricket League was held in the Council Chamber of the New County Hall, Truro on **WEDNESDAY 23rd JANUARY 2008** at 7.30pm.

**SCROLL DOWN FOR RESULT OF PROPOSED RULE ALTERATIONS 15 carried and 11 failed**  
**New Chairman elected – Vic Hassell**

**7 Election of Officers 2008-**

*(2007 Officials in brackets – Nominations as per League Rule 3.3)*

Nominations

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|-----|--|--|--|
| (a) | President                              | (WM Buzza)   | -                                      |
| (b) | Life Members                           |  | -                                      |
| (c) | Vice Presidents                        |  | -                                      |
| (d) | Chairman                               | (Mike Buzza standing down)   | <b>(1) Vic Hassell</b> (by LMC )       |
| (e) | Vice Chairman                          | (Vic Hassell nominated Chairman)   | no nominations                         |
| (f) | Honorary Secretary                     | (M Evans)  | <b>All re-elected unopposed</b>        |
| (g) | Honorary Asst. Secretary               | (K Goldsmith)  | -                                      |
| (h) | LMC Minutes Secretary                  | (J Nance)  | -                                      |
| (i) | Honorary Treasurer                     | (J Spry)   | -                                      |
| (j) | Hon. Asst. Treasurer                   | (P Moores)   | -                                      |
| (k) | Results Secretary - Premier / County 1 | (M Evans)  | -                                      |
| (l) | Results Secretary - West               | (M Evans)  | -                                      |
| (m) | Results Secretary - East               | (N Banks)  | -                                      |
| (n) | Registration Secretary                 | (M Evans)  | -                                      |
| (o) | Honorary Auditor                       | (B Davey)  | -                                      |
| (p) | Vinter Cup Secretary / Treasurer       | (M Evans)  | -                                      |
| (q) | Hawkey Cup Secretary                   | (M Cundy)  | -                                      |
| (r) | Management Committee Members (10)      |  |  |
|     | Seeking re-election :-                 | J Buddle, A Kent, S Nicholls, A Thomas,<br>P Lidgley, AJ Barbary (co-opted 2007)   | <b>(4 vacancies)</b>                   |
|     | Not Seeking re-election:-              | B Chappell, K Davis, B Lewis, S Snell (co-opted 2007)  |  |
|     | Nominations (2):-                      | Paul Caldwell (by Perranporth CC), Mike Jelbert (by Newquay CC)  | <b>elected</b>                         |
|     | Ex-officio LMC members:                | Umpires Association Reps - Dr D Hawker & R Osborne<br>Grounds Committee Rep - D Codd   |  |
| (s) | Grounds Committee                      |  |  |
|     | Seeking re-election :-                 | West (4) D Codd (Chairman), B Johns, (2 vacancies)<br>East (4) N Banks, J. Shepley, R Scaife, (1 vacancy), Umpires (2) C Polkinghorne, B Riddle, |  |
|     | Not Seeking re-election:-              | B Chappell (W),  | <b>Nomination (1):</b> Steve Snell (W) |

*Phil Johns is not seeking re-election as **East Registration Secretary**. It is proposed that Mike Evans now takes responsibility for all registrations.*

**8 Alterations and Amendments to Rules -**

**Voting**

Voting will be by a show of hands but a paper ballot will be conducted for any 'contentious issues'.

**Proposals 1 to 16 to be voted on by all clubs - 2 or more teams 2 votes, 1 team 1 vote**

**(1) Rule 3.4.7 Create new rule: CARRIED**

The LMC may arrange for a postal ballot that can address LMC proposed administrative changes throughout the year. *The LMC seeks the approval of the Clubs to establish the principle of a postal ballot that can address LMC proposed administrative changes throughout the year rather than at the already busy AGM. The AGM will therefore be reserved for club proposals only. "*

*The right of the Clubs or the LMC to call an EGM remains unchanged but the postal ballot will ease congestion at the AGM and allow progressive admin changes through the year subject always to clubs approval. The first postal ballot therefore will establish the requirements of the postal ballot.*

LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

**(2) Rule 9.3.1.11 Add to existing rule: CARRIED**

Failure to submit a result card by the end of September: 50 pounds.

TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB

- (3) **Rule 11.1.5.2** **Create new rule: CARRIED**  
At the discretion of the LMC a club is permitted to have more than one team playing in the lowest division, provided the lowest division is not overborne with teams and it does not prevent another team from entering the league.  
TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB
- (4) **Rule 12** **Amend the following to read: CARRIED**  
12.1.5.1 the team gaining the most points from the games played between the two teams, or if still the same;  
12.1.5.2 the most wins, or if still the same;  
12.1.5.3 the most bonus points, or if still the same;  
12.1.5.4 the most 'away' wins, or if still the same;  
TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB
- (5) **Rule 12.1.2** **Amend rule to read: CARRIED**  
The Cornwall Cricket League Championship shall be awarded to club that finishes top of the Premier League table in accordance with the format adopted in 18.1.3  
TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB
- (6) **Rule 12.1.5.3** **Delete rule: WITHDRAWN see 4 above**  
If teams are equal on points the most away wins comparison should be deleted.  
WADEBRIDGE / PAUL CRICKET CLUBS
- (7) **Rule 14.2.1** **Add to existing rule: WITHDRAWN wording unsuitable**  
Overseas amateur players shall be limited to one per team, exceptions may be made upon application to the League Management Committee, via assistant secretary, in cases of overseas nationals living in the county or temporary resident in the county where they are in possession of work permits issued by the immigration and nationality directorate of the Home Office or a working Holidaymakers Visa issued by the British Embassy or High Commissioners Office in their own Country and provided:  
TRURO CRICKET CLUB
- If proposal 7 is carried proposal 8 to be withdrawn*
- (8) **Rule 14.2.1.3** **Create new rule: WITHDRAWN wording unsuitable**  
Clubs to be limited to one seasonal overseas player per team. Delete 14.3.1.1 from Rule 14.4.1.  
Seasonal overseas player definition - a player that spends less than 12 months in Cornwall from April to September within same year  
LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- (9) **Rule 14.2.1.3** **Create new rule: WITHDRAWN**  
All such players are to be registered annually with the assistant secretary and such registration will lapse at the end of the current playing year season.  
LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- (10) **Rule 15** **Amend the following (single proposal): CARRIED**  
**15.1.1.3 ADD** Clubs may utilise the online registration system on their Club Play Cricket site to register players throughout the year.  
**15.1.2 REMOVE** – Age band- **ADD** – and date of birth of all players. – **LEAVE** – if under 18 school being attended.  
**15.1.6 ADD** - All clubs are to review their existing league registrations annually and confirm to the league registrations secretary the accuracy of their registrations list. Any deletions, amendments to players addresses or other details should be advised at the time of the annual confirmation and such notification should be received by the league registrations secretary before the commencement of the season's fixtures. Any Club failing to make this annual confirmation return may result in a fine being imposed by the League. The annual confirmation return form may be found on the Cornwall Cricket League website.  
**15.1.7 ADD** – In order to facilitate the transfer of the League's existing registrations onto the Play Cricket Database to ease and assist with the administration processes of the Cornwall Cricket League, ALL Clubs are to either input their existing registrations onto their Club Play Cricket site or they must contact the League's Play Cricket Registrations Administrator who will assist in the transfer of these details onto the Play Cricket system. Any club that requires assistance with the registration of players online at their Club's Play Cricket site may be requested at any time of the year from the League's Play Cricket Registrations Administrator.

- (11) Rule 15.1.5** Add to existing rule: **CARRIED**  
Players so registered must remain with that club for the rest of the season.  
LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- (12) Rule 15.1.6** Create new rule: **CARRIED**  
All requests for information relating to inquiries and /or concerns regarding new and current registrations and rules thereof are to be made in writing to the appropriate Registration Officer (East or West) who will make a written reply within 7 days of receipt.  
LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- (13) Rule 17.8.2** Add to end of rule: **CARRIED**  
Notification of matches cancelled by weather, to the appropriate Results Secretary, can be done either via result sheet in the normal manner or by e-mail or over the phone. The same time frame for informing of all results applies.  
TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB
- (14) Rule 20** Create new rule: **FAILED**  
**New Rule for Division 2 East and West Clubs only.**  
20.8. Match Balls for Division 2 East and West only  
20.8.1 Each side shall provide one new quartered leather ball as required by 17.7.  
20.8.2 Both balls to be lodged with the umpires before the commencement of the match.  
20.8.3 The ball used first in the match shall be deemed to be that supplied by the home side.  
20.8.4 The side fielding second shall have the option to use the second new ball (supplied by the away side).  
20.8.5 If this option is not exercised, the original ball, or that substituted for it during play, must be used throughout.  
20.8.6 Two good used balls must also be available (provided by the home side) at all such matches.  
TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB
- (15) Rule 20** Create new rule: **CARRIED**  
Create **Match Playing Conditions – Standard Tier** Copy all new 20 into **new 20a** for Standard Tier and move all subsequent rules down the numbering order  
*To create separate sections (20 & 20a) for the Playing Conditions of Intermediate & Standard Tiers respectively*  
TIDEFORD CRICKET CLUB
- (16) Rule 21.3.2** Create new rule: **FAILED after a ballot 52-64**  
Young Umpires - no person, under the age of 16 years on the day of the match, may umpire in any Cornwall League match. However the LMC will consider and may approve an application by a Club for a named person under the age of 16 to act as umpire in a league match provided that person has previously passed an umpire examination approved by the Cornwall Cricket Umpires Association. Under no circumstances will any person under the age of 14 years on the day of the match act as umpire in a Cornwall League match."  
ST JUST CRICKET CLUB
- (17) Rule 21.4.1** Amend to read: **CARRIED**  
Where CUA Panel Umpires are officiating in a League fixture, the match captains to complete the Umpire Assessment report.  
LANHYDROCK CRICKET CLUB
- (18) Rule 23** **Eastern Section Clubs only to vote- 2 or more teams 2 votes, 1 team 1 vote**  
Amend existing Cup Rules to incorporate new and revised Hawkey Cup Rules (see Appendix) **CARRIED**  
LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- (19) Rule 23.2.5** **Western Section Clubs only to vote- 2 or more teams 2 votes, 1 team 1 vote**  
After first sentence **Delete** the rest of rule. **CARRIED**  
**Rule 23.2.6**  
**Delete** second sentence.  
*These amendments will allow the proposed new increased Vinter Cup prize structure to be put in place.*  
LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- HIGHER TIER – PREMIER 2008 ONLY to vote- 1 vote per team**
- (20) Rule 18.4.3.1** Amend to read: **CARRIED**  
If this right is exercised the home team must attend pending an on-site decision by the match officials  
TRURO CRICKET CLUB

**HIGHER TIER – PREMIER & COUNTY 1 2008 ONLY to vote- 1 vote per team**

**(21) Rule 13.1.5**

**Create new rule: FAILED after a ballot 10-10 Status Quo after Chairman's casting vote**

That, in the event of adverse weather conditions/forecast, effective covering of the pitch and bowlers run up be in place on the night prior to, and during period leading up to the commencement of the match. Failure to do so that results in unsatisfactory playing surface and non-playing of the game shall be reported. A penalty (determined by LMC) to be imposed in such cases

UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

**(22) Rule 34**

**Amend to read: CARRIED**

Full pitch and end covers must be provided for use as required by the umpires on match day and such covers must be used by the club prior to the match day to ensure that the pitch is presented on match day in the best possible playing conditions given the prevailing weather conditions. Any complaint regarding evidence of failure to provide sensible pitch protection prior to match day will be considered by the LMC disciplinary committee and may result in the club concerned being subject to penalties as described in Rule 29(iii).

LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE / UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

**(23) Rule 14.3.1.1**

**Amend to read: FAILED**

**Delete** Present Rule 14.3.1.1. and **replace** with "No restriction on the number of professional players playing in the Higher Tier.(UK and Overseas)"

LEAGUE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

**HIGHER TIER – COUNTY DIVISION 1 2008 ONLY to vote- 1 vote per team**

**(24) Rule 19**

**Amend to read: FAILED**

The format of County One matches be changed to that of 100 overs (50 overs per side).

*The LMC to work with County 1 clubs on the details of the format/playing conditions prior to the start of the 2008 season.*

CORNWALL CRICKET UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

**(25) Create new rule 19.6 Over Rates (as per Rule 18.6)**

*(All 'higher tier' matches to be subject to average bowling rate of 17 overs per hour)* **FAILED**

CORNWALL CRICKET UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

**(26) Rule 19.5**

**Delete existing rule: FAILED**

*(County One games postponed due to adverse weather or ground conditions will NOT be rearranged)*

WADEBRIDGE CRICKET CLUB

***LMC Statement  
Disciplinary Procedures***

*With the introduction of the Disciplinary Tariff system at the last AGM certain elements of the Disciplinary Procedure, which included ECB instructions, were removed in error. Other elements were also removed making the procedure unworkable for matches where umpires were not standing.*

*The LMC has considered all options and has decided to re-instate the removed text and amend the Rules accordingly. These changes only affect Rules 26 and 27.*

**9 Venues** - County Finals, Vinter Cup Final, Hawkey Cup Final, Edwards Cup Final

**10 Any Other Business**

**11 Presentations** of the Bradley, Littlejohns, Sporting, Beecher Williams, Clive Osborne & Archie Smith Trophies  
**Recipients: St Just CC, Paul CC, Malcolm Pooley (Camborne), Ryan Boulton (Helston), Lewis Sanders (Grampound Road) & Taylor Williams (St Austell) respectively**

**APPENDIX**

**PROPOSAL 18 - HAWKEY CUP COMPETITION RULES FOR THE 2008 SEASON.**

1. The Hawkey Cup shall be open to all teams from the Eastern Section in the Premier League, County Division 1 and Division 2.
2. Entry to be mandatory for each club (one team per. club) – Entries to be split into 4 groups, playing each other once i.e. a minimum of 3 matches in the groups with group winners going forward to semi-finals and a final under the same rules.
3. Entry fee to be £5-00 per. team.
4. Group matches to be played in the evenings at locations and dates in May and June agreed by the HC Committee.
5. The start time for the group matches shall be 18-00.
6. Reasonably sound cricket balls shall be provided by the home club.
7. Semi-finals and final to be played on a Sunday in July – all 4 teams on the day (winners and losers) to receive medals and Hawkey Cup and cash awards (value to be decided.)
8. Semi-finals and final to be played on a ground in the east of the County as decided by the HC committee.
9. Man of the match award to be made in the Hawkey Cup final.
10. Admission for the Semi-finals and final to be £3-00 and £1-50 for children and OAP's.
11. Hawkey Cup winner to play the Vinter Cup winner in the Edwards Cup.
12. Each game shall consist of 20 six ball overs to each side (no bowler shall bowl more than 5 overs)
13. A line 2ft. either side of the middle stump to be used to determine wide balls.
14. In the event of a tie (each side has scored the same number of runs) the result shall be determined by a bowl out whereby 5 bowlers from either team are allowed to bowl two balls at the wicket with no batsman at the crease. The team with the most hits wins the match.
15. Free hits – following a no ball as a result of overstepping, the next ball shall be a Free Hit. For this ball the batsman is not given out by any way in the cricket rules apart from being run out.
16. Only registered club players will be allowed to play. (No guest players.)
17. Use a white or orange cricket ball in the semi-finals and final, League to provide. (Oxbridge can supply orange/white balls at £8 50 each.)
18. Panel umpires at every game including group matches.
19. Panel umpires to receive £12-00 match expenses in group games. (Each Club to pay for one umpire.)
20. Panel umpires to receive medals on semi / final day (4 umpires.)
21. Any byes must be advised prior to 7 days of the match day to the HC committee, a fine of £20-00 per. team for each and every bye at the HC committee discretion.

Start a new 20 / 20 competition for clubs in Division 3 and below in the east of the county (Clive Rosevear Cup) and scrap the Complimentary Cup competition.

1. Entry voluntary.
2. Entry fee £5-00 per. team.
3. Apply handicapping. (10 runs per division in favour of lower team)
4. Format will depend on numbers but suggest zones for early rounds with the aim to produce 4 zone winners and then have a semi / final day as per Hawkey Cup.
5. Medals for zone winners and those participating in finals day.
6. Club can only enter one team.
7. Playing conditions as per Hawkey Cup.
8. Permit club and player umpires in zone games but panel umpires for Finals day.
9. Matches to be played in June / July.

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