Jolly's Drinks Cornwall Cricket League Newsletter

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League AGM

A full report on the outcome of the voting – 24 of 27 proposals were passed – can be viewed at the Cornwall Cricket Website or from the direct news link on your club's play-cricket homepage.

Groundsmen

Details of 2013 Courses can be found at the website on the homepage at Personnel – Courses. The CACG are again combining with the Devon CGA to provide IOG Courses. The Spring Course takes place on Saturday 16th March at Bovey Tracey CC. The autumn course follows at Ashburton CC on Saturday 14th September.

Also the Association require a club in the west of the county to house the second Trailer and Equipment if they have such a facility. The Trailer and its Equipment is presently scheduled to be available at the end of February. Possibly a club might have a friendly Farmer who has a spare shed.

For more information contact the Chairman - Kevin O'Kelly *Tel: 01840 211422, M: 07840 566448, email: kmokelly15@gmail.com* or Secretary Keith Goldsmith *email:keith.goldsmith@homecall.co.uk Tel: 01579 346248.*

Cricket Balls

A reminder orders **by Thursday 7 February 2013** please, without exception, to Mike Evans. Clubs will have to deal with any late orders themselves, independently, and won't qualify for the concessionary prices that have been negotiated by the League. Please note following the AGM <u>one new ball</u> is to be provided <u>by the home side</u> for Division 2 games.

Yearbook Directory Forms

The Club Data Form for this year which is attached again with this email. Return to either M Evans or M Weeks no later than **Tuesday 28 February** please. Please add your **ground Postcode** as it is hoped to include for sat nav purposes in the book this year. Please return if only to say 'no changes'. As always contact M Evans **immediately** with any change of Club Secretary, Child Welfare Officer or Official Club email contact.

Yearbook Information

Please send photos articles, obituaries, information etc. to the Editor Michael Weeks (e-mail preferred) as soon as possible please. Photos as jpegs with names. As always Advertisers are also required. Please contact mweeks@cornwallcricket.co.uk for further details. All contributions are appreciated – any interesting stories etc from any club. This is your opportunity.

New Website

A reminder the new Cornwall Cricket Website went live on 1st December 2012. It has the new domain of **www.cornwallcricket.co.uk**

Visitors to the old site are currently being redirected automatically - but this will end in early March. You are advised to change your bookmarks <u>now</u> before the screen goes blank! New visitors to the site are advised to start with the 'News' section on the left hand side of the home, and all parent pages.

Under the CCB Tab the 'Welcome' story gives detail on how the new site has evolved. Under the 'Site News' tab there is a navigation story which will help you find your way around the site. If you still have problems remember to use the search box at the top, or Site Map link at the foot.





The rather tedious task uploading all 1753 fixtures to your club sites has been completed. Cup fixtures will be added when draws have been made in February.

Registrations - A separate newsletter will follow later this month detailing the updated procedures.

Player Transfers – Before the League accepts any completed transfer form the player **MUST** be nominated by the importing club as a PLAYER TRANSFER on their play-cricket site. The Cornwall Cricket Website has a detailed Registration help and information section plus Transfer Forms can be downloaded at Club Cricket – Cornwall Cricket League - Downloads.

Re-arranged Fixtures

All clubs are reminded of the new rule that states all games that need to be rearranged due to ground unavailability **MUST** be mutually agreed by the two clubs and notified to the League Secretary no later than **Friday 1st March**. Any rearrangements after this date will have to be approved by the League first or the match will be void!

Social Networking

A reminder the Cornwall Cricket Board can be followed on

Facebook – Search for Cornwall Cricket Board

Find us on Facebook

Twitter - Search for @Cornwall Cricket

There are direct links from each page of the www.cornwallcricket.co.uk website.

The pages will provide instant news, updates and scores direct to your computers or mobile devices. At this time around 45 Cornish League Clubs also have Twitter Accounts, which are simple and free to set up to provide your members/followers with instant information and views.

Club Together - Club Seminars

A final reminder the Cornwall Cricket Board are holding 'Club Together' seminars over the next few days to help clubs understand how to generate income and manage their resources.

There are three dates set across the county:

5th February - Penzance Cricket Club - 7:00pm start 7th February - Cornwall Cricket Centre - 7:00pm start 12th February - Lostwithiel Community Centre - 7:00pm start

Clubs need to be there to start helping themselves, for those that attend clubs will be put into a draw for some prizes that will benefit the club.

Please include people from the club who may have a knowledge of the club but may not have been before so to share responsibility but share knowledge.

There will be local and national guests presenting to you which will add valuable learning to impart back at your club. We will be inclined to work with those clubs in the future that show an interest and turn up rather than those that show no interest at all.

Please confirm you attendance and precise names and numbers to CDM Joe Skinner if you have not already done so.

Diary Dates

5th February Club Seminar at Penzance Cricket Club - 7:00pm start

7th February Closing Date for Cricket Ball Orders

7th February Club Seminar at Cornwall Cricket Centre - 7:00pm start
12th February Club Seminar at Lostwithiel Community Centre - 7:00pm start

1st March Closing Date for Club Directory Forms & mutually agreed Fixture Rearrangements

Michael Weeks CCL Media Officer 3/2/13