

Minutes of a Webex Meeting of the County League and County Cups Management Committee held on Friday 24th July 2020 at 6pm.

Present: M B Mizon (Chairman), C Abbott, A Beattie, J Bull, K Critchley, J F Hill, P W Hill,

C J Hills, M Luffman M McDonald, P Mitcham, R K Nichols, R K Pawley and

A W Reeves

LC 01/21 Members Matters

- a) The Chairman wished to record the sterling work of J W Coad on this Committee over many years.
- b) A Beattie was welcomed to his first Meeting of this Committee by the Chairman.

LC 02/21 Matters relating to the Unprecedented Situation faced by the Lock Down caused by the Covid Crisis

- a) R K Nichols enquired about the situation regarding referees. An update is awaited from the Football Association.
- b) C Abbott took the Meeting through the current Covid Regulations and Guidelines.
- c) A discussion took place on the subject of ground providers allowing the use of their facilities, but no definite decision could be made at this time.
- d) The Committee are happy to work towards the season starting in September, with the Senior Leagues beginning on 5th September and Divisions 1 to 4 on 12th September.
- e) County Cup competitions will be competed for in season 2020/2021, but the League Cup competitions will not be staged.
- f) Due to the additional costs of match officials having to travel separately to matches, assistant referees will not be appointed to Kershaw Premier Division matches.
- g) The large number of new teams entering the League will make it necessary to have another Division as the lower divisions will be restricted to 12 teams. It was agreed that a third section of Division 3 would be instigated to assist Clubs with less travelling in this difficult period.
- h) Once drawn up, the League Constitution will be circulated to Members and then to the Clubs, who would have 7 days to respond with their comments.

LC 03/21 Application to join the Kershaw Premier League

An application had been received from (who had finished in Kershaw Senior A) to be promoted to the Kershaw Premier League. This application was turned down.

Phil Mitcham Competitions Secretary