

# COTSWOLD HILLS LEAGUE

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2012

### PROPOSED CHANGES TO RULES

#### LEAGUE PLAYING REGULATIONS

##### Change to Rule 5 proposed by Elmley Castle C.C.

###### Existing rule

Any bona-fide member of his club can play in matches provided that :-

- a. he has not played for any other club in the League that season
- b. he has not played League cricket at all on a Saturday for a club outside of the League that season. A person moving into the district is eligible to play after the Secretary of the League is notified of the name and circumstances.
- c. students who were previously bona-fide members of a Cotswold Hills League club will be eligible to play upon return from their further education provided that the League Secretary is notified of the circumstances.

In each and every match where a team breaches this rule, the team will forfeit all points earned and incur a 20 point penalty. Points earned by the opposing team will stand, subject to a minimum of 20 points being awarded.

###### Proposed Change to paragraphs a and b

- a. he has not played for any other club in the League after 31st May of that season
- b. he has not played League cricket at all on a Saturday for a club outside of the League after 31st May of that season. A person moving into the district is eligible to play after the Secretary of the League is notified of the name and circumstances.

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##### New rule proposed by Wellesbourne C.C.

Premier Division teams (minimum) to provide covers overnight prior to Saturday fixtures if deemed necessary due to local weather forecast. Covers, whether they be roll on or plastic covers, to be used to protect wicket in play.

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##### New rule proposed by Wellesbourne C.C.

'Wide' marker to be included in crease markings for all divisions. To provide a guide not only to neutral umpires but those standing if official umpires not provided. Marker measurement to be advised as per ECB guidelines for limited over fixtures.

# **LEAGUE PLAYING REGULATIONS**

**Two changes to Rule 11, both proposed by Welford on Avon C.C.**

## **Existing rule**

Points Scoring System :-

For the team scoring most runs - **10 points**.

For a match with runs total equal - **5 points**.

For each 25 runs above 75 runs - **1 point (maximum 5 points)**.

For every two wickets taken - **1 point**.

For bowling out the opposition for 120 runs or less - **2 points**.

**One bonus point** may be added to a team batting second and winning a match for every 2 wickets remaining intact

In an abandoned match any bonus points gained by either team prior to abandonment stand plus **5 points each team**.

All matches cancelled due to inclement weather - **5 points each team**.

Where matches are cancelled for any reason other than the weather, **20 points** will be awarded to the opposing team. The side cancelling the match will be **deducted 20 points**.

## **Proposal 1 - add new paragraph**

If four or more of the five matches in a division are cancelled, then all points are voided across that division.

## **Proposal 2 - modify existing rule as follows :**

For bowling out the opposition for **100 runs or less - 3 points**; for 120 runs or less - **2 points**.