Drakes Huddersfield Cricket League

THE MINUTES

Management Meeting held on Wednesday 24th August 2011

In the Chair: Roger France

<u>Officials Present</u>: Vice President Earnshaw, (except during item 1), 2 members of the Secretariat and 6 members of the Executive Committee

Apologies were received from The President, The Executive Secretary, and Norman Clee. The Registration Secretary was not present at his own request.

Holmfirth CC

The Executive Secretary had received a letter from Holmfirth Cricket Club querying the procedures prior to the Executive's decision relating to the eligibility of Javid Iqbal Snr in the Holmfirth game against Paddock and that Holmfirth CC was not invited to be present at the Executive meeting. The Executive were unanimously satisfied that 1) Paddock had lodged a £20 fee, 2) Holmfirth had been informed of the complaint and 3) Their representative had presented Holmfith's case at the July Executive meeting.

The Executive stated that the decision taken by the Council regarding Holmfirth's appeal against the previous Executive decision was final and binding according to Rule L11(g). The Administration Secretary is to notify Holmfirth accordingly.

Ineligible Players

- The Match Secretary reported that she had found two players to be ineligible to play in 2nd X1 games in the last 6 matches.
- Hoylandswaine v Lascelles Hall played 13th August 2011. The Hoylandswaine player Scott Marsh was ineligible by virtue of having played too many 1st X1 games.

Hoylandswaine are fined £20, The 6 points won by Hoylandswaine are awarded to Lascelles Hall and Hoylandswaine are deducted a further 6 points

 Shepley v Scholes played 20th August 2011. The Shepley player, Tom Sykes was ineligible by virtue of having played too many 1st X1 games

Shepley are fined £20. Shepley did not gain any points from this game but are deducted 6 points

Ground Facilities

Roger Peaker, The Ground and Facilities Co-Ordinator, reported that, of the clubs that had been written to requesting an update on work that was to be carried out or improvements made, disappointingly, only one club had responded. It was agreed that Mr Peaker would send a further letter to the clubs concerned and the Executive hoped that in this case there would be a positive response from all.

Public Liability

Insurance

The Administration Secretary had received a query regarding Public Liability Insurance cover. It had been discovered that the Policy had a sporting exclusion. Clubs are advised to ensure that their Public Liability Insurance covers them for a minimum of £3m for 'accidents to the public due to cricket activities'.