

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE UPPER AIREDALE JUNIOR CRICKET ASSOCIATION  
HELD AT CONONLEY CRICKET CLUB ON THURSDAY 25 JANUARY 2018

ITEM	DISCUSSION & DECISIONS	LEAD
1. Roll Call/ Apologies.	Absent; Bradley, Cullingworth & Riddlesden	President
2. Minutes 2017 AGM.	Approved without amendment	President
3. Matters Arising From 2017 AGM.	None	President
4. 2017 Annual Reports	The Secretary referred to 2017 issues raised in November. The Treasurer reported a loss for the year of £700 principally due to reduced fines income £450 and a reduction in sponsorship of £500. Accounts approved. Flagged up a potential for £5 per team increase in subscriptions. The Child Welfare Officer had nothing to report The President picked up on the issue of discipline & supported increased suspensions. He thanked all the officers for their work.	Secretary Treasurer  CWO President
5. Election of Association Officials	The Association executive were re-elected en bloc: President Mr Richard Smith, Chairman Mr Trevor Coe, Secretary Mr Terry Thompson, Treasurer Mr David Allen, Welfare Officer Mr Trevor Coe. The position of Mr Wiggan was unknown at the meeting, Secretary to ascertain.	President
6. UAJCA Representative Cricket Managers for 2017.	Agreed to re-enter the Joe Lumb Cup competition. The following were confirmed as team managers for 2018: U17: Mr Ben Holderness, U15: Mr Adnaan Shafique, U13: Mr Alistair Harrison, U12: Mr Andrew Keslinke & Mr Richard Powell, U11: Mr Dominic Bennett [provisional], U10 Mr Jayanta Mukherjee. The U9 manager post remained unfilled, Girls Mr Neil Bishop	Secretary
7. Unfilled Administration Roles.	The post of Deputy Chairman was filled by Mr Chris Stone; Compliance Officer [vacant]. Umpiring co-ordinator [vacant]. Results Auditor[s] possibility Mr Chris Stone will take. The Secretary again implored the membership to seek from club committees, nominations for Compliance Officer and Umpiring Co-ordinator.	President
8. Sponsors	The sponsorship for under-11s league remained unmet. The Secretary implored membership to seek from club committees, warm leads for potential sponsors.	Secretary
9. 2018 UAJCA Structure	The recent report from ECB/YCB report seeking trial leagues for new structures [pitch length & regulations] was discussed with little support. The league structure was discussed and the following was agreed: Sundays am u9 & u13; Wednesdays pm u15; Thursday pm u11 & u17; Mondays pm Cup Matches; Sundays am/pm Representative matches. Sutton rule proposals were discussed with no changes other than teams may utilise pitch markers to control fielding distances.	Secretary
10. New Club Applications for 2018	Provisional club entries for 2018 – Silsden out, Bingley Congs in.	President
11. Provisional Team Entries for 2018	Provisional team entries for 2018 – see attached chart	President
12. Entries for Viking Bats Festival At Skipton, Sunday 17 June 2018.	U 9: Bilton + Oakworth, Oakworth B, Oxenhope, Steeton, Earby, Skipton & U Wharfedale. 2 vacancies. U11: Cullingworth [?] + First Cricket + Steeton, Earby, Embsay & Skipton. Possible entries from Oakworth & Oxenhope. 5 definite entries + 3 possibles. At least 2 vacancies. U13: Steeton + Lowerhouse + Oakworth, Oakworth B, Steeton, Cononley, Skipton & U Wharfedale. Possibles from Embsay & Oxenhope. 8 definites. Maybe no vacancies.	Secretary
13. 2018 Cup Final venues.	6 clubs showed interest in staging; Oakworth, Skipton, Sutton, Settle, Bingley Congs & Crossflatts. Decision on venues at March Meeting. U11 & U15 Finals – Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> June 2018 , U9, U13 & U17 Finals – Sunday 1st July 2018	President
14. Representative matches 2018	UAJCA Trials [exc u15, u17] Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> April, South Craven. Treasurer to book South Craven provisionally.	President
15. Player Development	2017-18 Pathways trials 19 successful at trials. Elite Academy 2018 Update 20+ Attending. Coaching for All Update only 12 booked with TCA.	Secretary
16. date of next meeting	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> March, Cononley CC 7:30pm	All

<b>PROVISIONAL TEAM ENTRY FOR 2018 [To be confirmed at March meeting]</b>					
<b>Club</b>	<b>u-17</b>	<b>u-15</b>	<b>u-13</b>	<b>u-11</b>	<b>u-9</b>
<b>Bingley Congs</b>				X	
<b>Bradford &amp; Bingley</b>	X	X			
<b>Crossflatts</b>	X			X	X
<b>Cullingworth</b>					
<b>Denholme</b>				X	possible
<b>Gt Horton Church</b>		X	Possible	possible	
<b>Oakworth</b>		X	X	X	X
<b>Oxenhope</b>	X		X	X	X
<b>Riddlesden</b>					
<b>Steeton</b>	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Wilsden</b>				possible	X
<b>Totals 22+ 4 possible [South]</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3 + 1 possible</b>	<b>6 + 2 possible</b>	<b>5 + 1 possible</b>
<b>Bradley</b>		X		X	
<b>Cononley</b>			X		
<b>Earby</b>		X	X	X	X
<b>Embsay</b>		X		X	
<b>Settle</b>	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Skipton</b>	X	X	2	2	2
<b>Sutton</b>		X	X	X	X
<b>U Wharfedale</b>			X	X	
<b>Totals 28 [North]</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Totals 50 + 4 possible [Overall]</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10+ 1 possible</b>	<b>14+ 2 possible</b>	<b>10+1 possible</b>

**New North vs South Competition [Title – The Border Trophy aka ‘Braggers Bash’]**

**Modified Pairs format, Draw 2018 [minimised travel] Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May; Reserve Tues 29<sup>th</sup> May**

**Competition structure**

- 6 host clubs chosen to help minimise travel [3 in N, 3 in S]
- All clubs to be represented with at least 1 pair
- North & South co-ordinators & managers appointed by UAJCA
- UAJCA invites 5 pairs [1 per age group] for each team, max 3 Pairs from any club at any event.
- Players from 5 age-groups [9, 10, 11, 12 & 13] on BH Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May
- Reserve Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> May.
- 6 x 20 over Pairs matches 10:00 am till 3:00pm at 6 venues as above
- Each venue to hold lunch-time barbecue, have bar, side-show e.g. bouncy castle.
- Final barbecue Evening on Friday **13<sup>th</sup> July** [6:00pm till 10:00pm to feature North vs South best pairs qualifying in each age-group [determined by points for wickets and runs formula].
- Final venue to be selected by Executive, alternating N & S each year
- Reserve date 20<sup>th</sup> July
- Scorers appointed by Host Club
- Winning Sub-District retains N-S Trophy for 1 year after presentation at Final Night.

**Funding**

- Sponsorship required - £200 to support club efforts [£25 per club plus £50 for Final]
- Total 120 players [24 each age-group]. Playing fee of £3.00/player, £360 income [£60 / match].
- 15 Prizes to value of £375 [£25 vouchers] [UAJCA £20 plus £5 from supplier] presented at 9:00pm after the Competition Final. Scores in the Final also qualify.
  - Most [Nett] runs in each age-group [Net Runs] [5]
  - Pair with most Wickets [wickets, then average] in each age-group [5]
  - Best all-round Pair [5]
- Mementoes for Umpires & Scorers in Final.
- £60 [£10/match] to UAJCA for Trophy in 1<sup>st</sup> Year, thereafter to development Fund.

**Match Rules**

- The pitch length will be 20 yards.
- The ball will be a 4.75oz leather youth ball for all ages [u9s must have hard-ball experience].
- All 10 players will bowl 2 overs each .Wicket-Keepers *will* bowl.
- Sequence of batting & bowling will be in ascending age-group order
- Penalty for wicket loss, 5, 6, 7, 8 & 10 runs dependent on age of dismissed batsman.
- Points system is 5 for each win, plus bonus points for nett scores between 201-220 [1], 221-240 [2], 241-260 [3], 261-280 [4] & 281-300 [5] runs. Points double in Final Maximum points 80
- The Cup winner is the Conference with most points over the 7 matches [inc Final].

Example Venue		U9	U10	U11	U12	U13
Sutton	N	Sutton	Sutton	Sutton	Bradley	Bradley
	S	Crossflatts	Crossflatts	Crossflatts	GHC	GHC
Cononley	N	<i>U Wharfedale</i>	Embsay	Bradley	Cononley	Cononley
	S	GHC	GHC	Riddlesden	Riddlesden	<i>Wilsden</i>
Skipton	N	Skipton	Skipton	Earby	Skipton	Earby
	S	Oxenhope	<i>Silsden</i>	Oxenhope	Steeton	Oakworth
Example Venue		U9	U10	U11	U12	U13
Cullingworth	S	Wilsden	Wilsden	Wilsden	Cullingworth	Cullingworth
	N	<i>Bradley</i>	Bradley	Embsay	Embsay	Embsay
Oakworth	S	Oakworth	Oakworth	Oakworth	Oxenhope	Oxenhope
	N	Earby	Earby	Skipton	Earby	Skipton
Steeton	S	Steeton	Oxenhope	Steeton	Oakworth	Steeton
	N	Settle	Settle	U Wharfedale	Settle	U Wharfedale

**New extension to UAJCA Festival – Inclusion of u15 competition on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018 Competition  
[Title – The Double Hit Festival]**

**A Pairs format, with pairs nominated by 12 under-15 clubs**

**Option to have more than one event to embrace more players**

**Competition structure**

- Host club to be chosen by members
- Host club to provide competition organiser [undertake draws etc]
- All clubs to be represented with 1 pair
- Barbecue Evening on Friday **22<sup>nd</sup> June** [5:30pm till 09:00pm to feature club nominated u15 pairs
- 48 continuous overs

**Rules**

- Each Pair bats 4 overs [as Pairs cricket]; the order for batting decided by a pre-tournament draw
- Each player must bowl 2 overs with 4 bowling 3; the order for bowling drawn after each over
- Wicket-keeping determined by fielders
- Batting pairs lose X runs for each wicket lost
- Winners of the 'Double Hit Trophy [and/or prize] are the pair with most net runs
- Prizes for top individual batter, bowler and all-rounder

**Funding**

- From UAJCA fees in 2018
- If successful a sponsor to be found for future years