



Hertfordshire Junior Leagues

2019 Handbook



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Message from Nigel Wray, Chairman, Saracens RFC

Dear cricket lovers

I think it's been comfortably over 20 years now that we've been sponsoring the Herts Cricket League and Tony Johnson, the chairman, and indeed many others have regularly thanked us for our contribution.

But the truth of the matter is that it's been a huge privilege to be able to help the great game of cricket, which we all love, and which brings together so many people in the camaraderie of the game.

Many years ago, somebody once said to me 'Teams not Gangs' and how right he was. Involve kids in a team... great! and don't be surprised that if you don't involve them then they may well go and form their own team which is called a gang! Huge difference!

Cricket is a great team game. Have a great season... have a great summer.

All the best

Nigel

Chairman's Introduction

We have a new sponsor! I am very grateful to the legal firm **Ashurst** and their representative Lee Doyle for sponsoring us in the last few years, but I am delighted that **Saracens**, in addition to sponsoring the Saracens Herts League, have agreed to be the major sponsor of the HJL for the next 3 years. In future we will be known as the **Saracens Hertfordshire Junior Leagues**. Grateful thanks for all the hard work that George White and Tony Johnson (Chairman, Saracens Herts League) have put to make this happen.

One offshoot of the sponsorship is that we are going to work closely with the senior league to resurrect the Development League, with matches played with a minimum number of juniors and a maximum number of seniors. The Development League is due to re-launch in the 2020 season, and we hope that all clubs will take advantage of this excellent way of developing their young talented players.

There is a further sponsorship to announce: **M B Malik**, who have provided balls for the HJL in recent seasons, are providing us with a clothing sponsorship. We are very impressed by the quality and value of the kit that is on offer by M B Malik and would encourage all clubs' junior sections to look at M B Malik's junior kit before making a purchase

The 2018 season was one of hot weather and very few cancellations due to rain. We were able to get through the programme of matches with ease.

Last year's success of Shenley Village in the ECB U13 National competition was not repeated in 2018. The County's representatives in both the U13 and U15 competitions were both eliminated in the first rounds - Bushey U13 beaten by Horspath CC from Oxfordshire, and Harpenden U15 beaten by Copdock & OI CC from Suffolk. Both sides thoroughly deserved to represent Hertfordshire, but it shows how difficult it is for a Hertfordshire team to win a national championship. Better luck this year!

At this year's AGM we voted on some significant changes, having discussed the changes at the Club Forum in September and other meetings last year. The most significant changes for 2019 involve the U9s competition and the B leagues and are summarised as follows:

U9 Leagues

- 15 yd Pitches.
- 30yd boundaries
- Soft Cricket Ball (Air Ball available from MB Malik or Readers or All Stars white balls)
- Plastic or wooden bats.
- 8 a side pairs cricket format for regular games.
- All Clubs asked to run Festival Days on Sundays in the season with six a side pairs cricket format.
- No Finals Day.

B Leagues

- U13/U14 10-a-side pairs cricket.
- U15 11-a-side current rule.
- No Finals Day for B league cricket.

As outlined the detailed changes for the Under 9 games involve 15yd pitches, 30yd boundaries, and the use of a light rubber ball. The current league format would be abandoned and there will no Finals Day or resultant County Champion. In its place the HJL will arrange matches within groups of 4/5 clubs much as happens currently with 6-8 individual home and away games scheduled midweek. Results will be reported but no league table published. In addition each Club in the group will be able to host a festival day on a Sunday in the season when multiple games will be played on the outfield with 6-a-side format.

The new U9 format represents a major change in the way we organise junior cricket in Hertfordshire and with the advent of Charlie Cricket, All Stars Cricket and similar formats, the emphasis is being put on fun and enjoyment rather than technique, negative play and competition. By making these changes we are adopting the policies promoted by the ECB and if they go well the format will be carried through to the Under 10s in the 2020 season. What happens in the 2021 season has yet to be decided as our juniors still have to learn how to play competitive games in preparation for senior cricket.

One reason for the new approach is the fall off in participation from the Under 13 age and beyond. The fall off does not happen just in Hertfordshire, but nationally, and other major sports are suffering in the same way. The ECB recognises the diminution of numbers from that age group and the new format is meant to be a first step trying to keep our youngsters playing. However, I am waiting with great interest to see what they come up with when this year's Under 9s reach the age of 13.

We are seriously concerned about the lack of completed matches in the U17s competition. The number of clubs wishing to take part is acceptable, but when it comes to actually playing games in the allocated period in time for the final in September, it is very unsatisfactory. In 2018 there were more cancelled matches than matches played. The League Committee has decided that unless there is a significant improvement in the number of games played this year, 2019 could well be the last year that the John Favager Cup is competed for at this age group.

Last year's season was rounded off with the annual Presentation Evening, which was once again hosted by Shenley Village CC and held at Shenley Cricket Centre on Friday 21st September. Our special guest was Mark Illott, who was very entertaining and who presented the trophies and cups to all the 2018 county champions

After 5 years in the post, Dennis Lock is standing down as HJL Secretary. In that time Dennis has done a fantastic job both as a very able administrator and having the ability to navigate the HJL through some difficult periods. In addition to his work with the HJL Dennis of course has almost made himself indispensable at West Herts and he tells me those duties will be running down as well. Dennis deserves some time for his family, and I say "well done, Dennis, thank you very much and good luck to you!"

So, we are looking for another HJL secretary. The secretary's job, like all positions in similar organisations, is what you make of it. It so happens that Dennis did a tremendous amount, but we are not necessarily looking for another Dennis (I don't think we would find one!). For the time being just to arrange the meetings, take minutes and generally keep us in order!

The HJL has always had good committees, the membership of which has come from you - the organisers of your club's junior cricket. It needs those people to get proper grass roots views on the issues that matter. So please, do not hesitate and join a strong committee.

My thanks once again go to the HJL Committee, the Year Controllers, the team managers and coaches and all the volunteers who make these competitions run so smoothly. I am especially grateful to Rob Bayley, who last year joined the committee and took over as Treasurer.

Have a good season!

Andrew Meadmore
Chairman, HJL

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1 representative from Hertfordshire Cricket
(non-voting)

2019 Treasurer's report

Hertfordshire Junior leagues

Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year ended 31 December 2018

| | 2018 | 2017 |
|--|-----------------|---------------|
| | £ | £ |
| Income | | |
| Team entry fees and subscriptions | 5030.09 | 5030.09 |
| Team entry fees and subscriptions next year in advance | 1975.00 | 0.00 |
| Sponsorship | 1500.00 | 150.00 |
| Charlie Cricket | 0.00 | 700.00 |
| Cricket ball sales | 0.00 | 10,748.00 |
| Total income | 9,855.00 | 16,628.09 |
| Expenditure | | |
| Finals days/umpires | 3,000.00 | 3,100.00 |
| Handbooks | 2,524.00 | 2,524.00 |
| Medals/trophies | 1,160.00 | 1,405.38 |
| Equipment purchases | 0.00 | 11,301.00 |
| Charlie Cricket | 0.00 | 801.50 |
| Administration | 1,818.94 | 920.99 |
| Total Expenditure | 8,502.94 | 20,052.87 |
| Net Income | 1,352.06 | (3,424.78) |
| Opening cash & bank balance | 379.33 | 3,804.11 |
| Closing cash & bank balance | 1,731.39 | 379.33 |

Auditor's Report

I have examined the Hertfordshire Junior Leagues Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year ended 31 December 2018, together with the associated records and vouchers as presented to me, and they are in agreement.

The closing Bank Balance of £1,731.39 as stated agrees with the appropriate Bank Statement adjusted for any outstanding cheque payments.

No provisions are required nor have been made in these accounts for any stocks or fixed assets.

M.W.Trippick PhD, ACMA
Bishop's Stortford
12 January 2019

School / club co-operation

There are occasional problems that arise every year concerning the availability, or lack of it, of juniors to play in club teams because they have been selected to play for their school team at short notice. The problem is made worse because it sometimes appears that schools arrange their matches at very short notice when we know that the HJL fixtures have been arranged by the end of February.

Each year we publish a list of schools which play cricket. Most of the schools play inter school matches, some of which have been arranged from the beginning of the academic year. Many of the schools play in the HSCA organised county schools cup matches, the games of which are arranged either in or just before the cricket season. There are also many inter school matches that are arranged during the season.

We shall be sending a copy of this handbook to all the schools listed. We will encourage the teachers in charge of cricket to be aware of the club fixtures at specific age levels that may clash with potential school matches, and we are aware that for various reasons sometimes it is not possible to avoid clashes.

We strongly suggest that clubs continue to be proactive about establishing good relations between school and club, and that the junior organisers in your club:

- establish which senior schools in the area play cricket
- make early contact (before the Easter break) with the head of sport in each school
- provide the head of sport with your club's junior fixture list
- cement the contact with each head of sport after the Easter break
- keep in regular contact with your local schools throughout the season

We know that age clashes will not be completely eradicated, but if each party makes it their business to communicate with their opposite number and encourage their charges to play for both, we believe the standard of the player – and team – will rise significantly for both club and school.

Andrew Meadmore

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2019 Club Directory

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Junior Organiser

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BALDOCK TOWN

baldock.play-cricket.com

West Avenue, Baldock, Hertfordshire SG7 5AY

Directions

Directions Leave A1(M) junction 9. Take A6141 signpost Baldock. As you enter Baldock and take first turning left opposite George IV pub into Weston Way. Keep on this road until you reach a "T" junction. Turn right. then next left into Norton Road. Take first left onto West Avenue, the car park is 100 metres on the left.

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From M25 take A41 north west. At Chesham turn off, turn left back over the A41 and then left again. Follow the road round to the right down Kings Road. At the traffic lights go straight on, past the station and turn left under the railway bridge. Over mini roundabout and entrance is at the top of the hill straight ahead - do not follow road round to right.

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BISHOP'S STORTFORD

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BOXMOOR

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From the M1: Leave the M1 at Junction 8 (Hemel Hempstead) Follow the A414 dual carriageway taking the 2nd exit (straightover!) at the first 4 roundabouts. At the Plough ('Magic') Roundabout, you need the 3rd exit (A4146) Station Road. Take the second right turning into St John's Road. Follow the road between church and sports centre and Boxmoor CC is on the left opposite the Steam Coach pub. From the A41 Leave at the Hemel Hempstead exit on the A414. Go straight across the traffic lights towards the town centre. At the Plough ('Magic') Roundabout take the 1st exit onto Station Road. Take the second right turning into St John's Road. Follow the road between church and sports centre and Boxmoor CC is on the left opposite the Steam Coach pub.

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BRAUGHING

braughingcricketclub.hitscricket.com

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Directions:

From London / Hertford / Ware - Take the A10 north , at the roundabout with the A120 keep on the A10 North. Exit the next Roundabout (3rd Exit) sign posted to Puckeridge / Braughing B1368.

(B) Follow the road for around 600 meters where you need to turn right onto Ford Street into Braughing, this is just before the is a "war memorial" at the edge of the village.

(C) Follow the road for around 500 meters where you need to take the 2nd right turn onto Green Lane, at the top of Green lane take a left turn and you are at the ground. Please park behind the pavilion to avoid damage to cars!

From Buntingford / Royson - Take the A10 south , 1st exit at the roundabout sign posted to Puckeridge / Braughing B1368. Take directions as above (from B)

From the A120 from Bishops Stortford, after "Howe Fencing" turn right onto Horse Cross lane, follow the road to the end, then turn right onto Ford Street. Same directions as above (from C)

Junior Organiser

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BROXBOURNE

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Directions:

From the North - A1170 north approach (from Hoddesdon) towards Broxbourne. Go over traffic lights at junction with Station Road. Turn left immediately after White Bear pub into Mill Lane, then right into Mill Lane Close. From the South - leave A10 at Turnford exit and follow signs to Broxbourne. After 1.5 miles turn right at traffic lights towards Nazeing, B194 (Station Road). Take 2nd turning on right into Churchfields, pass church then turn right again, over river into Mill Lane. Then turn left into Mill Lane Close.

Junior Organiser

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BUSHEY

www.busheycc.org

Eastbury Road, Oxhey, Watford, WD19 4NR. Telephone: 01923 230534

Directions:

From Bushey Arches, go onto Eastbury Road. Continue past the crossroads and past the Happy Hour pub on the right. There will be a parade of shops on left and the entrance to Bushey CC is on the right, before the traffic lights.

Alternatively go to <http://www.busheycc.org/location> for turn by turn directions to Bushey Cricket Club.

Junior Organiser

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CHESHUNT ROSEDALE

www.cheshuntrosedale.play-cricket.com

Andrews Lane, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire EN7 6TB

Directions:

Leave the M25 at junction 25 and take the exit for the Northbound A10 towards Cheshunt. At the first roundabout, take the first exit into Lieutenant Ellis Way. Continue to the end of this road and then take the second exit at the next two roundabouts. Adjacent to main ground (Artificial - no spikes).

Junior Organiser

DAN GOLDSMITH

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CHIPPERFIELD CLARENDON

www.chipperfieldclarendoncc.co.uk

The Common, Chipperfield WD4 9BS. Tel: 01923 264681

Directions:

Leave M25 at junction 20, A4251 to Kings Langley. Turn left in High Street, either Langley Hill or Vicarage Lane and follow sign to Chipperfield (approx. 2 miles). In Village, turn left into Kings Lane to cross-roads. Ground on left facing Two Brewers.

Junior Organiser

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CHORLEYWOOD

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Directions:

Off J18, M25. Take A404 towards Amersham. Ground adjacent to Christ Church after 3/4 mile.

2nd ground: Off J18, M25. A404 to Amersham for 3 miles to Little Chalfont. Turn right into Elizabeth Avenue, 3rd right into Chenies Avenue. Westwood Park at end on right.

Junior Organiser

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DATCHWORTH

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The Green, Datchworth SG3 6TL. Tel: 01438 812490

Directions:

Off A1 at Clock Motel junction. Take B197 to Woolmer Green. After 2 miles turn right opposite Chequers pub. Follow road to Datchworth, 1 mile, ground on right by tennis courts and village green.

Junior Organiser

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DUNSTABLE TOWN

www.dtcc.org.uk

Lancot Park, Dunstable Road, Totternhoe LU6 1QP. Tel: 01582 663735

Directions:

This route is designed to avoid Dunstable Town Centre which can be very busy during Saturday lunchtime.

Distance Directions

- 0 miles Leave M1 at Junction 9 signposted A5 Whipsnade. Take first exit onto A5 heading North. Pass Moat House Hotel on right. Pass Markyate Village. Pass JET petrol station on left.
- 3.3 miles At Packhorse Pub turn left onto B4540 towards Whipsnade, Kensworth. Pass through Kensworth village. Please watch your speed !
- 5.5 miles At Whipsnade Heath roundabout, take 3rd exit onto Whipsnade Road B4541 towards Dunstable Downs. Admire fantastic local scenery, gliders, hang-gliders, kites etc but watch the road too ! Pass Dunstable Downs Golf Club on right. Descend hill towards Dunstable.
- 7.7 miles At roundabout take first exit onto Tring Road B489 - Get into right hand lane immediately.
- 7.8 miles At roundabout take 2nd exit onto Totternhoe Road.
- 8.2 miles Continue straight ahead onto Dunstable Road. Descend hill.
- 8.8 miles Lancot Park is on the right just before Totternhoe village (you'll see it as you descend the hill).

Junior Organiser

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FLAMSTEAD

www.flamsteadcc.play-cricket.com

Friendless Lane, Flamstead, St Albans AL3 8DE.

Directions:

From Junction 9 of M1 head towards Dunstable on A5. After 500yds take first turning on left (Chequers Hill). Follow road into village. At end of road, by Three Blackbirds pub, turn right. Friendless Lane/recreation ground is 250 yds along on left.

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HARPENDEN

www.harpendencricketclub.co.uk

The Common, Harpenden AL5 1DT. Tel: 01582 763620

Directions:

On A108, 1/2 mile south of town centre.

2nd ground: St George's School, Harpenden. Access from Carlton Road, off Station Road.

3rd ground: Rothamstead Research Centre Harpenden, Hertfordshire, AL5 2JQ (Entrance is straight opposite the entrance to the main Harpenden Coomon Ground)

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HATFIELD HYDE

www.hatfieldhydecc.hitscricket.com

King George V Playing Field, Beehive Lane, Welwyn Garden City AL7 4BP.

Directions:

Follow signs to QEII Hospital. Beehive Lane is opposite main hospital entrance. Turn left immediately after the Coopers Grill House into the main KGV car park and do not park in the Coopers car park

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HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN

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Directions:

1 minute from Hemel's "funny roundabout" on the road towards Hemel Hempstead station.

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HERTFORD

www.hertford.play-cricket.com

Balls Park, Mangrove Road, Hertford SG13 8AJ. Tel: 01992 581983

Directions:

From A10 take A414 to Hertford and turn left at sign to Balls Park. Along Mangrove Road take 3rd entrance on left. From A1, take A414 to Hertford, turn right to Balls Park off road to A10.

2nd ground: As for main ground (grass and artificial)

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HITCHIN

hitchin.play-cricket.com

Lucas Lane, Hitchin SG5 2JA. Tel: 01462 434468

Directions:

A505 from Luton, over mini roundabout, left at next roundabout onto Bedford Road. Go past Waitrose on right. Pass West Hill on left & at traffic lights turn left into Oughtonhead Way then after 50 yards take the 1st left after Sir John Barleycorn pub into Bedford Street. Follow road all the way to the top of the hill.

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Lowfield, Park View, Hoddesdon EN11 8PX. Tel: 01992 463133

Directions:

Off High Street into Cock Lane, turn right into Park View. Ground on left

2nd ground: Roydon Cricket Club. CM19 5HG Take B181 over level crossing into Roydon High Street, at T-junction straight over onto track, ground and car park 100yds.

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ICKLEFORD

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Sports Field, Walnut Way, Ickleford, Hitchin SG5 3XX. Tel: 01462 420624

Directions:

Enter Ickleford from Hitchin (A600). Turn right into Turnpike Lane and Walnut Way is 2nd on left.

2nd ground: John Rand Recreation Ground, Holwell Road, Holwell, Nr Hitchin, Herts. SG5 3SG From Hitchin take A600 Bedford Road and drive 2.3 miles then turn left (signposted Holwell) into Holwell Road. Drive 0.5 miles and the Recreation Ground is on the left. From Henlow Camp take A600 Bedford Road towards Hitchin. Drive 1.6 miles then turn right (signposted Holwell) into Holwell Road. Drive 0.5 miles and the Recreation Ground is on the left.

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The Pavilion, The Common, Vicarage Lane, Kings Langley WD4 9HS. Tel: 01923 400500

Directions:

From High Street Turn up Vicarage lane. Club on right hand side

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KNEBWORTH PARK

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Old Knebworth Lane, Knebworth SG3 6HQ. Tel: 01438 813894

Directions:

Take B197 to Knebworth. In village, take turning towards the railway station on the Old Knebworth/Codicote road. Continue along this road for approx. 1 mile. Turn right at a sharp left hand bend at a grass triangle. Ground on left after Z-bend after 600 yards.

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LANGLEYBURY

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Hunton Bridge, Kings Langley WD4 8RJ. Tel: 01923 267568

Directions:

On A41 between Watford and Kings Langley. Turn left at traffic lights at Hunton Bridge, immediately before Langleybury Church.

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LETCHWORTH GARDEN CITY www.letcworth.play-cricket.com

Whitethorn Lane, Letchworth Garden City, Herts SG6 2DN. Tel: 01462 684530

Directions:

Whitethorn Lane is main ground for U14 upwards- map link <http://maps.google.co.uk/?q=SG62DN>

2nd ground: Fairfield Park, Hitchin Road, Nr Stotfold, Herts SG5 is our second ground for U9-U13s. Fairfield Hall - Leave A1 at Jct10 and take the A507 towards Stotfold and Shefford. At the 2nd roundabout take the 1st exit towards Letchworth. Go over the 1st roundabout and after 25 metres turn right through the main gates of Fairfield Hall. Cricket Parking is in the visitors car park which is the first car park on the LEFT as you enter the development. There is no post code for the building as those for the development will take you to the wrong part of Fairfield Park

Please note our website mentions other grounds which are NOT used for junior cricket.

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LEVERSTOCK GREEN

www.lgcc.org.uk

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Directions:

From M1, junction 8. Turn left at 2nd roundabout. Ground on the right opposite village shops.

Junior Organiser

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NORTHCHURCH

northchurchcc.com

The Meadow, Tring Road, Northchurch, Hertfordshire HP4 3SF

Directions:

Take J20 off M25 onto A41 by-pass, exit from 5th junction signposted A4251 Tring/ Northchurch, follow signs to Northchurch, ground is sharp left hand turn half a mile past Esso garage on left hand side before you enter main village.

Junior Organiser

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NORTH ENFIELD

www.northenfieldcc.com

Strayfield Road, Clay Hill, Enfield, Middlesex EN2 9JE. Tel: 020 8363 2118

Directions:

Leave the M25 at J24. Take A1005 towards Enfield. Turn left at Botany Bay onto East Lodge Lane. At T junction turn right towards Crews Hill BR station, through the garden centres until you reach St John's Church after approx 1.5 miles. Turn right into Strayfield Road, ground is 200 yards on left.

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NORTH MYMMS

www.northmymmscc.co.uk

Home Farm, North Mymms Park, Nr Hatfield AL9 7TR. Tel: 01707 643238

Directions:

West of Welham Green off Dixons Hill Road (Welham Green) off Tollgate Road. Take road signed North Mymms Church

OLD ALBANIAN

www.aldalbanians.play-cricket.com

Old Albanian Sports Club, Woollam Playing Fields, 160 Harpenden Road, St Albans AL3 6BB
Tel: 01727 864476

Directions:

Take the A1081 for 2 miles north towards Harpenden from the centre of St Albans; the entrance to the ground is on the right just beyond the St Albans city limit. <http://maps.google.co.uk/?q=AL36BB>

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PIRTON COLTS

pirton.play-cricket.com

Sports & Social Club, off Walnut Tree Rd, Pirton, Hitchin SG5 3PX. Tel: 01462 712812

Directions:

From Hitchin take A505 (towards Luton), at mini R'about turn right onto B655 (Pirton Rd). After 1.15m turn onto Hitchin Rd towards Pirton. At Pirton, turn right into Walnut Tree Rd at giveaway sign. Ground Entrance is via a narrow lane 300 yds on right after a sharp left turn bend.

Junior Organiser

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POTTEN END

pottenendcc.play-cricket.com

Homefield, Off Plough Lane, Potten End HP4 2QX

Directions:

From centre of village (near village green and pond), take road between church and school, after 50 yards, straight across small crossroads. Pass Plough pub on right, after 50 yards, follow road to left, ground entrance is a further 75 yards directly in front.

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POTTERS BAR

www.pitchero.com/clubs/pottersbarcc

The Walk, Potters Bar, Herts EN6 1QE Tel: 01707 654801

Directions:

Ground is 100 yards down The Walk on the left hand side from the High Street.

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PRESTON

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The Cricket Ground, Preston, Nr Hitchin SG4 7TZ.

Directions:

From the A1 :- Come off the A1 at J8, follow the A602 into Hitchin. At the first round about you come to take the 2nd exit, sign posted "Gosmore". Follow this road for roughly 2 miles. From the top of the steep 'Preston Hill', the cricket ground is approx. 150m your right.

From the M1 :- Come off the M1 at J10 (Luton Airport), follow the A505 towards Hitchin. As you enter Hitchin, go straight over the mini roundabout, at the next round about, turn right towards Stevenage, A602. As you approach the next roundabout, a pub is on your left hand side, The Three Moorhens. Take the fourth exit signposted Gosmore, then as from the A1 above

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RADLETT

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Directions:

On main road at southern end of Radlett (Watling Street). Opposite Cat & Fiddle pub.

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REDBOURN

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The Pavilion, North Common Road, Redbourn AL3 7NG. Tel: 01582 793949

Directions:

Main Club Ground (AL3 7NG). From "Chequers" roundabout on A5183 by-pass, follow sign to Redbourn. Club approx 1 mile on right. From B487, turn left onto Hemel Hempstead Road just after the M1 bridge. Club approx half mile on the left.

2nd ground: Redbourn Recreation Centre (AL3 7PP). From "Chequers" roundabout on A5183 by-pass, follow sign to Redbourn, when road bends to left turn right into High Street. At top of High Street turn left into Dunstable Road, Recreation Centre is approx 800 yds on the left.

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REED

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Village Green, Blacksmith Lane, Reed, Royston SG8 8AX

Directions:

Off A10 between Royston and Buntingford. Turn opposite Silver Ball cafe. Ground between nos. 12 & 13 on right (about 200 yards from A10).

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RICKMANSWORTH

www.rickmansworthcc.co.uk

Park Road, Rickmansworth WD3 1HU. Tel: 01923 445040

Directions:

On the A412 at the bottom of Scots Hill, between Rickmansworth and Croxley Green. Turn in between the two large white concrete obelisks.

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SAWBRIDGEWORTH

sawbridgeworthcc.hitscricket.com

Town Fields, Springhall Road, Sawbridgeworth CM21 9AN. Tel: 01279 722865

Directions:

Turn into Bell Street and take first right into car park. Follow car park signs to long stay entrance to cricket club is via passage way at the far corner of the far car park (parking free at weekend and in evening after 6.30pm). Alternatively turn into Springhall Rd go to the end turn left and keep going to car park which is shared by cricket, tennis and bowls club.

2nd ground: Situated at Leventhorpe School on Cambridge Rd CM21 9BY . Turn into school grounds use school car park, cricket pitches are on school playing fields at rear of the school.

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SHENLEY VILLAGE

shenleycc.hitscricket.com

Shenley Cricket Centre, Shenley Park, Radlett Lane, Shenley WD7 9DW. Tel: 01923 859022

Directions:

Shenley Cricket Centre - From eastbound M25, exit at junction 22. Take 5th exit off r/about, back over M25. Turn right at next r/about onto Bell Lane (B556), straight over next r/about and after approx. 0.75 miles turn left at r/about onto Shenleybury (B5378). Continue for approx. 1.5 miles (along Black Lion Hill), then turn right at r/about sign-posted to Radlett and first left after approx. 50 yds into Radlett Lane.

After approx. 800 yds turn right into large gateway (next to Gateman's house), signposted Cricket Centre - car park is on the left. From westbound M25 - take 2nd exit off slip road r/about onto Bell Lane (B556), then follow as above.

From Radlett, (nr railway station) take roundabout up Shenley Hill and onto Radlett Lane for approx 1 mile after golf course. Cricket Centre entrance is on the left, car park is on left.

2nd ground: Napsbury Park - Off Pegrum Drive, Napsbury, London Colney St Albans
Postcode : AL2

When on the B5378, Shenley Lane, London Colney take the Goldring Way turning off the r/about opposite the Arboretum into the Napsbury Park estate. Continue approx. 300 yards to the first roundabout, then make a left turn into Pegrum Drive. Follow this road to the end (approx. 400 yards further on) where the car park is next to the pavilion.

From M25, follow directions to the Main Ground (Shenley Cricket Centre) except - at r/about at end of Bell Lane (on B556) turn right onto Shenley Lane (B5378), then follow above directions to the Napsbury Park ground.

3rd ground: London Colney Cricket Club, Green Street, Shenley, Hertfordshire WD7 9BD.

At the mini-roundabout outside the White Horse Pub in the centre of Shenley, take the exit onto Woodhall Lane. Green Street is a left-hand fork about 100 yards from the roundabout. The entrance to the ground is about 200 yard on the right.

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ST ALBANS

www.stalbanscc.com

Clarence Park, St Albans AL1 4NF. Tel: 01727 850388

Directions:

A414 Hatfield Rd 1 mile from city centre. Crossroads at the Crown public house, turn into Clarence Road, and on the left hand side after 200 yards is entrance to Clarence Park (Sign posted Cricket, Football and Hockey clubs)

2nd ground: Sandpit Lane, St Albans (Verulam School)

From Hatfield:

Head towards St Albans on the A1057 Hatfield Road, until you reach the Smallford Roundabout just past the Three Horseshoes public house and Nottcutts Garden Centre. Turn right at the roundabout on to Oaklands Lane and continue ahead for approx 1.5 miles, crossing two mini-roundabouts. The entrance to the ground is on the left hand side of the road, just beyond the 'Welcome to St Albans' sign. If you reach the traffic lights at the crossroads with Marshallswick Lane you have gone too far.

From St Albans City Centre:

From the city centre, follow St Peter's Street (A1081) north towards Harpenden, bearing right at the junction with B651 Sandridge Road (sign posted towards Sandridge and Wheathampstead). Continue for approx 150 yds and then turn right into Sandpit Lane opposite the Jolly Sailor public house. Continue straight along Sandpit Lane for approx 1.5 miles, crossing a mini-roundabout and the traffic signals at the junction with Marshallswick Lane. The entrance to the ground is on the right hand side of the road approx 200 yards after the traffic signals, just beyond the last house. If you reach the 40mph signs, you have gone too far.

For SatNavs the closest postcode is AL4 9XU, Damson Way, which is the road opposite the entrance to the School Playing Fields.

Junior Organiser

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ST MARGARETSBURY

www.stmcc.org.uk

The Recreation Ground, Station Road, Stanstead Abbots SG12 8EH. Tel: 01920 870473

Directions:

Off A10 take A414 to Harlow/Chelmsford. At 1st roundabout take B181 to Stanstead Abbots. Ground 1/2 mile on right.

Junior Organiser

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STEVENAGE

www.stevenagecc.co.uk

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Directions:

A1(M), J7 towards Stevenage. Turn left at 1st roundabout along Gunnells Wood Road. At second roundabout turn right into Fairlands Way, under railway line and first left at next roundabout. Take 4th exit at next roundabout, then first left into Gates Way.

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TRING PARK

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Directions:

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WATFORD TOWN

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Woodside, Horseshoe Lane, Garston, Watford WD2 7HH. Tel: 01923 679589

Directions:

off A405 1 mile south of M1, J6. Turn into Horseshoe Lane at traffic lights (Harvester restaurant). Use road for Watford Leisure Centre after 1/4 mile on left.

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WELWYN GARDEN CITY www.welwyngardencitycricketclub.com

Digswell Park, Knightsfield, Welwyn Garden City AL8 7NQ. Tel: 01707 327354

Directions:

From North leave A1(M) at J6. Follow signs to Welwyn Garden City. At roundabout turn right into Bessemer Road, first right into Knightsfield, entrance ½ mile on left next to No.290.

From other directions, from town centre leave via Digswell Road. After ½ mile turn left into Knightsfield, ground ½ mile on right.

2nd ground: Welwyn Playing Fields, Ottway Walk, Welwyn AL6 9AU. Ground 0.25 mile south of village centre. Off Ottway Walk opposite 'The Steamer' pub.

3rd ground: Monk's Walk School, Knightsfield, Welwyn Garden City AL8 7NL. 200 yds before the entrance to main ground heading coming from J6, A1(M).

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WEST HERTS

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Directions:

J19, M25, take A411 to Watford. At Town Hall roundabout take A4112 to Rickmansworth, then 3rd left into Park Avenue. Ground 100 yds, turn left.

2nd ground: M1, J5 to Watford. Take A41 south to 1st roundabout. Take right exit to Bushey on B462. Follow Hartspring Lane into Aldenham Road. Queens School ground on right.

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WESTON

weston.play-cricket.com/home/home.asp

Weston Park, Weston SG4 7BX. Tel: 01462 790240

Directions:

A1 J8, take Graveley road, drive through Graveley, after 1 mile, turn right for Weston. Follow road to centre of Weston, at T-junction turn right. After 200m, just past Cricketers pub, turn left. Cricket club is about 50m further on your left.

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Directions:

Take B651 from St Albans towards Wheathampstead. Ground on left opposite "Wicked Lady" pub.

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Hertfordshire Junior Leagues 2019 Finals Day Sunday 14th July 2019

The 2018 Finals Day is **Sunday 14th July**. On this date the Semi Finals and Finals will take place for 16 competitions. For those leagues that require Quarter Finals, these must take place during the week commencing **Sunday, 7th July**.

The venues for the finals are as follows:

U10 8-a-side Incrediball
Radlett CC

U10 8-a-side Hard ball
Sawbridgeworth CC

U11 8-a-side
Hatfield Hyde CC

U11
Welwyn Garden City CC

U12A
Datchworth CC

U12 Girls
Knebworth Park CC

U13 A
Shenley Village CC

U14A
Broxbourne CC

U14 Girls - Audrey Collins Cup
Knebworth Park CC

U15A
Bishop's Stortford CC

Finals Day for the Summer Leagues and the U17 John Favager Cup will be **Sunday 1st September** at the following venues:

U11 - Summer
Potten End CC

U13 - Summer
Chipperfield Clarendon CC

U15 - Summer
Sawbridgeworth CC

U17 - John Favager Cup
West Herts CC



Saracens Hertfordshire Junior Leagues
Presentation 2019

7pm Friday 20th September
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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 9 – 8-a-side pairs

League controller: Ian Watkins
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There are no knockout stages or Finals Days in this competition.

UNDER 9 – 8-a-side – Groups

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 10 – 8-a-side (Hard ball) pairs

League controller: Mark Catterick
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Knockout stage: Group winners and the 3 best runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Finals Day: The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Sawbridgeworth CC.

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Directions:
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UNDER 10 Hard ball groups

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 10 Incrediball – 8-a-side pairs

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Knockout stage: Group winners and the 2 best runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Finals Day: The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Radlett CC.

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Directions:
On main road at southern end of Radlett (Watling Street).
Opposite Cat & Fiddle pub.

UNDER 10 Incrediball – 8-a-side groups

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HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN 2

HARPENDEN 1

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2018 League Competitions

UNDER 11 – 8-a-side pairs

League controller: Ian Watkins
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Knockout stage: Group winners and the 2 best runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Hatfield Hyde CC.

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Follow signs to QEII Hospital. Beehive Lane is opposite main hospital entrance. Turn left immediately after Beehive pub.

UNDER 11 – 8-a-side groups

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HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 11 – 11-a-side

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Knockout stage: Group winners and runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Welwyn Garden City CC.

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From other directions, from town centre leave via Digswell Road. After ½ mile turn left into Knightsfield, ground ½ mile on right.

UNDER 11 groups

GROUP 1

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 12 A

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Knockout stage: Group winners and 3 best runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 8th July at Tring Park CC. Tring Park CC.

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From Hemel Hempstead take the Tring turn off from the A41 drive towards Tring and turn right just past the Tesco roundabout.

UNDER 12 A groups

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HARPENDEN
HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN

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WELWYN GARDEN CITY

2019 League Competitions

UNDER 12 B – 10-a-side pairs

League controller: Richard Grayson
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There are no knockout stages for this competition.

UNDER 12 B – 10-a-side groups

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 12 Girls – 8-a-side

League controller: Tom Ruxton
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Knockout stage: Group winners and runners up qualify for Final.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Final will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Knebworth Park CC.

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UNDER 12 Girls – 8-a-side teams

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 13 A

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Knockout stage: Group winners and runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Shenley Village CC.

Address:
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Directions:
Shenley Cricket Centre - From eastbound M25, exit at junction 22. Take 5th exit off r/about, back over M25. Turn right at next r/about onto Bell Lane (B556), straight over next r/about and after approx. 0.75 miles turn left at r/about onto Shenleybury (B5378). Continue for approx. 1.5 miles (along Black Lion Hill), then turn right at r/about sign-posted to Radlett and first left after approx. 50 yds into Radlett Lane.

After approx. 800 yds turn right into large gateway (next to Gateman's house), signposted Cricket Centre - car park is on the left. From westbound M25 - take 2nd exit off slip road r/about onto Bell Lane (B556), then follow as above.

From Radlett, (nr railway station) take roundabout up Shenley Hill and onto Radlett Lane for approx 1 mile after golf course. Cricket Centre entrance is on the left, car park is on left.

UNDER 13 A groups

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ST MARGARETSBURY
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OLD ALBANIAN

WESTON

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 13 B – 10-a-side pairs

League controller: Andrew Meadmore
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There are no knockout stages for this competition.

UNDER 13 B groups

GROUP 1

BERKHAMSTED
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HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN
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NORTHCHURCH
ST ALBANS
OLD ALBANIAN
LEVERSTOCK GREEN

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 14 A

League controller: Graham Perrin
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Knockout stage: Group winners and runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Broxbourne CC.

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Directions:
From the North - A1170 north approach (from Hoddesdon) towards Broxbourne. Go over traffic lights at junction with Station Road. Turn left immediately after White Bear pub into Mill Lane, then right into Mill Lane Close. From the South - leave A10 at Turnford exit and follow signs to Broxbourne. After 1.5 miles turn right at traffic lights towards Nazeing, B194 (Station Road). Take 2nd turning on right into Churchfields, pass church then turn right again, over river into Mill Lane. Then turn left into Mill Lane Close.

UNDER 14 A groups

GROUP 1

BERKHAMSTED
NORTHCHURCH
BUSHEY
RADLETT
REDBOURN
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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 14 B – 10-a-side pairs

League controller: Graham Perrin
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There are no knockout stages for this competition.

UNDER 14 B groups

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WEST HERTS
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BRAUGHING
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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 14 Girls

League controller: Tom Ruxton
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Knockout stage: Group winner and runner up qualify for Final.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Final will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Knebworth Park CC.

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Contact:

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Directions:

Take B197 to Knebworth. In village, take turning towards the railway station on the Old Knebworth/Codicote road. Continue along this road for approx. 1 mile. Turn right at a sharp left hand bend at a grass triangle. Ground on left after Z-bend after 600 yards.

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2018 League Competitions

UNDER 15 A

Controller: George White
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Knockout stage: Group winners and runners up qualify for the Quarter Finals.

Quarter Finals to be played during the week commencing 7th July 2019.

Semi-Finals & Finals Day The Semi-Finals and Finals will be held on Sunday, 14th July at Bishop's Stortford CC.

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Directions:
1/4 mile from A120/A1250 junction to west of town. Heading towards town, turn left immediately past rugby club.

UNDER 15 A groups

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 15 B – 11-a-side

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There are no knockout stages for this competition.

UNDER 15 B groups

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 17 – The John Favager Cup

League controller:

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Knockout stages

Group winners and best runner up qualify for the Semi Finals.

Semi Finals to be played during the two weeks commencing 18th August 2019.

The Final will be held on Sunday, 1st September at West Herts CC.

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J19, M25, take A411 to Watford. At Town Hall roundabout take A4112 to Rickmansworth, then 3rd left into Park Avenue. Ground 100 yds, turn left.

UNDER 17 – Group 1

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2019 League Competitions

UNDER 11 Summer League

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UNDER 13 Summer League

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UNDER 15 Summer League

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Summer Leagues will be organised after the May Half Term break so that clubs can gauge the level of interest in their teams for entering. Full details will be published on the league website.

2018 Leagues

UNDER 9 – 8-a-side

League Controller – Ian Watkins

Semi Finalists: **Harpenden, Shenley Village**

Final:

Chorleywood 270-3 beat
Watford Town 267-6

UNDER 10 – 8-a-side Hard Ball

League Controller – Mark Catterick

Semi Finalists: **Bishop's Stortford, Knebworth Park**

Final:

Tring Park 293-6 beat
Harpenden 289-6

UNDER 10 – 8-a-side Incrediball

League Controller – Mark Catterick

Semi Finalists:
Hatfield Hyde, Radlett

Final:

Old Albanian 252-6 beat
Bishop's Stortford 209-11

UNDER 11 - 8-a-side

League Controller – Richard Grayson

Semi-finalists:
Watford Town, St Margaretsbury

Final:

Ickleford 315-3 beat
Berkhamsted 267-10

UNDER 11 - 11-a-side

League Controller – Richard Grayson

Semi-finalists:
Welwyn Garden City, Broxbourne

Final:

Radlett 124-7 beat
West Herts 123-1

UNDER 12 A

League Controller – Graham Perrin

Semi-finalists:
Tring Park, Knebworth Park

Final:

Bushey beat
Welwyn Garden City

UNDER 12 B

League Controller – Graham Perrin

Semi-finalists: **Watford Town, Flamstead**

Final:

Berkhamsted 298-8 beat
Chipperfield Clarendon 283-8

UNDER 12 - GIRLS

League Controller – Tom Ruxton

Champions:
St Albans

UNDER 13 A

League controller - Andrew Meadmore

Semi-finalists: **Hertford, St Albans**

Final:

Radlett beat **Bushey**

UNDER 13 B

League controller - Andrew Meadmore

Semi finalists: **Letchworth Garden City, Braughing**

Final:

Radlett beat Northchurch

UNDER 14 A

League controller - George White

Semi-finalists:

Radlett, Redbourn

Final:

Shenley Village beat Old Albanian

UNDER 14 B

League controller - George White

Semi-finals: **Sawbridgeworth, Watford Town**

Final:

West Herts beat Dunstable Town

UNDER 14 Girls

Controller – Tom Ruxton

Championis:

Harpenden

UNDER 15 A

League Controller – Chris Maylin

Semi-finalists: **Hertford, Berkhamsted**

Final:

Hitchin 134-5 beat Old Albanian 86-8

UNDER 15 B

League Controller – Mark Catterick

Semi-finalists:

Braughing, St Albans, Datchworth

Champions:

Watford Town

UNDER 17

John Favager Cup

League Controller – Dennis Lock

Final:

Old Albanian 192-7 beat Hoddesdon 56-10

UNDER 11 Summer

League controller - Richard Grayson

Final:

Bushey beat Hemel Hempstead

UNDER 13 Summer

League Controller – Andrew Meadmore

Final:

Bushey beat Welwyn Garden City

UNDER 15 Summer

League Controller – Chris Maylin

Final:

Chorleywood beat Braughing

Junior Club Winners List

1979

U15 Hemel Hempstead

1980

1981

U15 Langleybury

1982

U15 Harpenden

U13 Letchworth

1983

U15 Welwyn Garden City
*Beat St Lukes, Derbyshire, but lost to
 Bedworth, Warks in round 2*

U13 Letchworth

1984

U15 Welwyn Garden City
*They beat Dunstable in National
 Round 1 but were well beaten by
 Copdock from Ipswich in the County
 Play-offs*

U13 West Herts

1985

U15 Wheathampstead
Lost to a Northampton side in Round 1

U13 Flitwick

1986

U15 West Herts
*Reached National Finals and lost in
 Semi-Finals.*

U13 West Herts
*Won Regional Finals against Leicester,
 Northants and Notts and went on to
 National finals at Sherbourne School*

1987

U15 Knebworth Park
*They Lost to Winchmore Hill,
 Middlesex, in National Round 1*

U13 Bishop's Stortford
*In the Regional Finals they lost to
 Nottinghamshire but beat Lincolnshire
 quite easily.*

1988

U15 Hatfield
*They lost to St Giles of Cambridgeshire
 in National Round 1*

U13 Bishop's Stortford
*They won the regional final and
 finished overall fourth in the National
 finals at the Sherborne School cricket
 week.*

1989

U15 West Herts
*In the National round 1 they beat their
 Essex opponents and lost by 2 runs in
 the national semi-finals*

U13 8-a-side Knebworth Park

U13 Knebworth Park
*In the regional Finals they narrowly
 lost to the eventual winners Gidea Park*

1990

U15 Bushey
Lost to South Woodford in National Round 1

U13 8-a-side Knebworth Park

U13 Knebworth Park
They Lost in the Regional Finals at Chelmsford

U11 Knebworth Park

1991

U15 Hitchin

1992

U15 West Herts
In the National Competition they neat Kidmore End from Oxfordshire but lost to Eastcote from Middlesex

U13 8-a-side Cup Knebworth Park

U13 St Albans

U11 Knebworth Park

1993

U15 Knebworth Park
Lost to Wantage in National Round 1

U13 Berkhamsted

U11 Chorleywood

1994

U15 Knebworth Park
Lost to High Wycombe in National Round 1

U13 Knebworth Park

U13 8-a-side Radlett

U11 Berkhamsted

1995

U15 Knebworth Park
They lost to Ilford in National Round 1

U13 Reed

U13 8-a-side Cup Radlett
In Regional Finals they finished 2nd out of 5

U11 Berkhamsted

1996

U15 Broxbourne
They beat the Berkshire side and Bury St Edmunds but eventually went out to the National winners Horsham

U13 Reed

U13 8-a-side Knebworth Park

U11 Reed

1997

U15 Letchworth
They were beaten by Harrold of Beds in National Round 1

U13 Berkhamsted

U11 Knebworth Park

1998

U15 Reed

U13 Knebworth Park

U11 Radlett

U11 8-a-side Tring Park

U10 8-a-side Bishop's Stortford

1999

U15 Knebworth Park
Finished Third Nationally out of 1500 entries

U13 Langleybury
Finished Third in the Regional Finals

U11 Kings Langley

U11 8-a-side Kings Langley

U10 8-a-side Chorleywood

2000

U15 Knebworth Park
Lost to Amersham in National Round 1

U13 Letchworth
Finished 5th in National Finals

U11 St Margaretsbury

U12 8-a-side Knebworth Park

U11 8-a-side Chorleywood

U10 8-a-side Bishop's Stortford

2001

U15 Langleybury
They beat Bedfordshire champions but lost to Mildenhall, the Suffolk Champions, in the next National Round.

U13 Harpenden
Played the Beds winners, Luton Indian, and won comfortably. In the inter County Competition at Chelmsford, they played the winners of Essex and Suffolk.

U13B Langleybury

U12 8-a-side Chorleywood

U11 Bishop's Stortford

U11 8-a-side Bishop's Stortford

U10 8-a-side Berkhamsted

2002

U15 Hemel Hempstead
No report of National Rounds

U13 Harpenden

U12 8-a-side Letchworth

U11 Shenley

U11 8-a-side Berkhamsted

U10 8-a-side Bishop's Stortford

2003

U15 Kings Langley
They beat Bucks & Berks teams before losing to Wanstead, Essex who became National Winners

U13 Old Owens
At the National Finals they finished 5th in the country

U11 Shenley

U12 8-a-side Tring Park

U11 8-a-side Old Owens

U10 8-a-side Abbots Langley

U9 8-a-side Weston

2004

U15 Harpenden
National Round 1 beat Bedford Town. Round 2 lost to Amersham.

U13 Harpenden
Lost to Horsford from Norfolk in Regional Finals

U12 8-a-side Old Owens

U11 Shenley Colts

U11 8-a-side Abbots Langley

U10 8-a-side Weston

U9 8-a-side Old Owens

2005

- U15 Old Owens
Lost to Horsham in National round 1
- U13 Harpenden
Finished third in Regional play-offs
- U11 St Margaretsbury

2006

- U15 Old Owens
Lost to Mildenhall, Suffolk National Round 1
- U13 Hemel Hempstead
Beat Mildenhall, Suffolk in round 1, finished 2nd in Regional Group.
- U12 8-a-side Weston
- U11 Letchworth
- U11 8-a-side Tring Park
- U10 8-a-side No trophy presented
- U9 8-a-side Knebworth Park.

2007

- U15 Radlett
Lost to Ampthill Town in National Round 1
- U13 Weston
Lost to Chesham in National Round 1
- U12 8-a-side Broxbourne
- U11 Radlett
- U11 8-a-side Letchworth
- U10 8-a-side Hertford
- U9 8-a-side Hertford

2008

- U15 Hemel Hempstead
Beat Luton Town & Indians and then lost to eventual national winners, Wanstead
- U14 Ashwell & Weston
- U13 Letchworth
Beat St. Giles from Cambridgeshire but lost to Sheringham from Norfolk in the next round
- U12 Knebworth Park
- U11 Shenley L C tied with Hemel Hempstead
- U11 8-a-side Hertford tied with Chorleywood
- U10 8-a-side Shenley Village
- U9 8-a-side Radlett

2009

- U16 Letchworth
- U15 Berkhamsted
- U14 Sawbridgeworth
- U13 Shenley Village
- U12 Hemel Hempstead
- U12 8-a-side Old Owens
- U11 Sawbridgeworth
- U11 8-a-side Leverstock Green
- U10 8-a-side Old Albanians
- U9 8-a-side Hertford

2009 ECB National Knockout Competition:

- U13 Letchworth
Beat Bedford and Chelmsford before losing to Cambridge NCI at the regional finals
- U15 Berkhamsted
Lost to Queen's Park, Bedford in Round 1

2010

U16 Letchworth
 U15A Abbots Langley
 U15B West Herts
 U14A Knebworth Park
 U14B Berkhamsted
 U13A Hemel Hempstead
 U13B Hoddesdon
 U12A Knebworth Park
 U12B Old Owens
 U11 Knebworth Park
 U11 8-a-side St Albans
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Hitchin
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Shenley Village
 U9 8-a-side Berkhamsted

2010 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Hemel Hempstead
Lost to Mildenhall, Suffolk in the County Play off
 U15 Berkhamsted
Beat Queen's Park, Bedford in Round 1 before losing to Wanstead, the eventual champions

2011

U17 St Margaretsbury
 U16 St Margaretsbury
 U15A Kings Langley
 U15B Offley & Stopsley
 U14A Hertford
 U14B Berkhamsted
 U13A Knebworth Park
 U13B Boxmoor
 U12A Harpenden
 U12B Watford Town
 U11 Harpenden
 U11 8-a-side Harpenden
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Old Albanian
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Shenley Village
 U9 8-a-side West Herts

2011 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Knebworth Park
Beat Harrow St Mary (Middlesex) and Upminster (Essex) before losing to High Wycombe (Bucks) in the Regional Final.
 U15 Knebworth Park
Lost to Bexley (Kent) in the 2nd round.

2012

U17 Abbots Langley
 U16 Broxbourne
 U15A Broxbourne
 U15B Ickleford
 U14A Knebworth Park
 U14B St Margaretsbury
 U13A Harpenden
 U13B Potters Bar
 U13 Girls Harpenden
 U12A Knebworth Park
 U12B Harpenden
 U11 Kings Langley
 U11 8-a-side Welwyn Garden City
 U11 Girls Hemel Hempstead
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* St Albans
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* North Mymms
 U9 8-a-side Watford Town

2012 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Harpenden
Beat High Wycombe in National Stage 1 but lost in the Area Semi Final to Wanstead & Snaresbrook.
 U15 Hemel Hempstead
Lost to Finchampstead in National Stage 2

2013

U17 Hemel Hempstead
 U16 Ickleford
 U15A Knebworth Park
 U15B Harpenden
 U14A Harpenden
 U14B Broxbourne
 U13A Knebworth Park
 U13B Rickmansworth
 U13 Girls Knebworth Park
 U12A Kings Langley
 U12B Old Albanian
 U11 Knebworth Park
 U11 8-a-side Watford Town
 U11 Girls Tring Park
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Old Albanian
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Rickmansworth
 U9 8-a-side Harpenden

2013 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Knebworth Park
Lost to Bedford in the first round..
 U15 Knebworth Park
Beat Guildford and Ventnor but lost to Finchampstead in the London & East Group semi finals.

2014

U17 Knebworth Park
 U16 Hertford
 U15A Harpenden
 U15B Harpenden
 U15 Girls Knebworth Park
 U14A Bishop's Stortford
 U14B Old Albanian
 U13A Radlett
 U13B Old Albanian
 U13 Girls Abbots Langley
 U12A West Herts
 U12B Redbourn
 U11 Harpenden
 U11 8-a-side Tring Park
 U11 Girls Harpenden
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Shenley Village
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Preston
 U9 8-a-side Radlett

2014 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Kings Langley
Beat Finchley, Middlesex before losing to High Wycombe.
 U15 Harpenden
Lost to Hutton, Essex in the first round.

2015

U17 Sawbridgeworth
 U17 Girls Knebworth Park
 U16 Harpenden
 U15A West Herts
 U15B Old Albanian
 U14A Harpenden
 U14B Radlett
 U13A West Herts
 U13B Dunstable
 U13 Girls Abbots Langley
 U12A Old Albanian
 U12B West Herts
 U11 Harpenden
 U11 8-a-side Redbourn
 U11 Girls Harpenden
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Radlett
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* St Albans
 U9 8-a-side West Herts

2015 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Hertford
Lost to Eastcote, Middlesex in the first round.
 U15 Bishop's Stortford
Lost to North Middlesex in the first round.

2016

U17 Hoddesdon
 U17 Girls Abbots Langley
 U15A Kings Langley
 U15B Old Albanian
 U15 Summer Old Albanian
 U14A Hertford
 U14B West Herts
 U13A Harpenden
 U13B Hoddesdon
 U13 Summer Shenley Village
 U13 Girls Abbots Langley
 U12A Shenley Village
 U12B Watford
 U11 St Albans
 U11 8-a-side Bishop's Stortford
 U11 Summer West Herts
 U11 Girls Harpenden
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* West Herts
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Hitchin
 U9 8-a-side Radlett

2016 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Old Albanian
Beat Amersham, Bucks in Round 2 but lost to Brentwood, Essex in the regional semi final.
 U15 Harpenden
Beat Harlow, Essex in Round 1 but lost to Mildenhall, Suffolk in Round 2

2017

U17 Harpenden
 U17 Girls Knebworth Park
 U15A Bushey
 U15B Radlett
 U15 Summer Bushey
 U14A Bushey
 U14B Watford Town
 U13 Premiership Langleybury
 U13 Championship Old Albanian
 U13B Hitchin
 U13 Summer Shenley Village
 U12A Bushey
 U12B Berkhamsted
 U12 Girls St Albans
 U11 West Herts
 U11 8-a-side Chorleywood
 U11 Summer Bushey
 U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Radlett
 U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Wheathampstead
 U9 8-a-side Harpenden

2017 ECB National Knockout Competition:

U13 Shenley Village
Won the National Competition, beating Dumbleton (Gloucestershire) in the final..
 U15 West Herts
Lost to Eastcote (Middlesex) in Round 1.

2018

U17 Old Albanian

U15A Hitchin

U15B Watford Town

U15 Summer Chorleywood

U14A Shenley Village

U14B West Herts

U14 Girls Harpenden

U13A Radlett

U13B Radlett

U13 Summer Bushey

U12A Bushey

U12B Berkhamsted

U12 Girls St Albans

U11 Radlett

U11 8-a-side Ickleford

U11 Summer Bushey

U10 8-a-side *Hard ball* Tring Park

U10 8-a-side *Incrediball* Old Albanian

U9 8-a-side Chorleywood

**2018 ECB National Knockout
Competition:**

U13 Bushey

Lost to Horspath, Oxfordshire in Round 1

U15 Harpenden

*Lost to Copdock & Old Ipswichian, Suffolk
in Round 1*

Hertfordshire Junior League Constitution

1. Name

The name of the organisation is the Hertfordshire Junior Leagues, hereafter to be referred to as "the league"

2. Affiliations

The League shall be affiliated to Hertfordshire County Cricket Association and through that affiliation also to the England and Wales Cricket Board. All member clubs must be Affiliated or Associate Members of the HCCA.

3. Aims and Objectives

To offer competitive opportunities through the organisation of a club junior league structure to players between the ages of 8-17 years.

It is the primary responsibility of any Club (players,coaches, managers and spectators) who enter a team or teams into the League to abide by ECB "Code of Conducts" which include the "Spirit of Cricket", The Laws of Cricket, Safe Hands and Equity Policies as well as any other ECB directives aimed at junior cricket.

It is the responsibility of the League to reinforce with the Clubs best practice, monitor performance and take appropriate action, including elevation to the County Welfare Officer, when failure to meet these standards occurs. The first point of contact in this regard will be the Leagues Child Welfare and Disciplinary officer.

4. Membership

- (a) Membership of the league is open to all clubs entering Junior teams in the Hertfordshire Junior Leagues.
- (b) Members of the Hertfordshire Junior Leagues must be Affiliate or Associate Members of the Hertfordshire County Cricket Association.
- (c) Application for membership of the league shall be by completion of a membership application form and by payment of the relevant subscription/joining fees as determined by the Annual General Meeting of the league.
- (d) No person shall be eligible to take part in the business of the league unless the appropriate subscription has been paid by the specified date or membership has been agreed by the Committee.
- (e) The league Committee may refuse membership, or remove it, only for good cause such as conduct or character likely to bring the league or cricket into disrepute. Appeal against refusal or removal may be made to the Committee who shall appoint an Appeals Committee to hear the appeal.
- (f) All member clubs will be subject to the regulations of the Constitution and by joining the league will be deemed to accept these regulations and any Codes of Conduct that the league has adopted. The Constitution shall identify those members eligible to vote at any General Meetings.

A list of member clubs shall be maintained by the Treasurer or other Officer of the club.

5. Officers

The Officers of the league shall be as follows:

Executive Officers

- Chair
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Disciplinary Officer
- up to 10 Club Representatives

Honorary Officers (if applicable)

- President
- Vice-President(s)

Affiliation Member

- One representative from HCCA CDT (non voting)
- The HCCA Website Manager (non voting)

6. Election of Officers

All Officers shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting of the league from, and by, the member clubs of the league.

Each member club shall have one vote at the Annual General Meeting.

All Officers shall be elected for a period of one year, but shall be eligible for re-election to the same office or to another office the following year.

7. Management Committee

The affairs of the league shall be conducted by a Management Committee (the Committee) comprising the Executive Officers of the club and other members elected from, and by, the Member clubs of the league. Only these members of the Committee shall be entitled to vote at Committee meetings. One member position will be assigned to HCCA (but this position will not be entitled to vote).

The Committee will be convened by the Secretary and shall meet at agreed intervals and not less than four times per year.

The quorum required for business to be agreed at Committee meetings shall be 5.

The duties of the Committee shall be:

- (a) To control the affairs of the league on behalf of the members.
- (b) To keep accurate accounts of the finances of the league through the Treasurer. These should be available for reasonable inspection by member clubs and should be audited before every Annual General Meeting. The league shall maintain a bank current account and the following Officers shall be authorised to sign club cheques: any two from the Chair, Treasurer and Secretary.
- (c) To co-opt additional members of the Committee as the Committee feel is necessary. Co-opted members shall not be entitled to a vote on the Committee and shall serve until the end of the next Annual General Meeting.

(d) To make decisions on the basis of a simple majority vote. In the case of equal votes, the Chair shall be entitled to an additional casting vote.

The Committee shall have powers to appoint sub-committees as necessary and to co-opt advisers who may be non league members invited to advise on specialist subjects.

An elected Committee member ceases to be such if their club ceases to be a member of the league, resigns by written notice, or is removed by the Committee for good cause after the member concerned has been given the chance of putting their case to the Committee. Appeal against removal may be made to the Appeals Committee. The Committee shall fairly decide time limits and formalities for these steps.

The Committee has the power to:

- (a) acquire and provide grounds, equipment, coaching, training and playing facilities, clubhouse, transport, medical and related facilities
- (b) provide coaching, training, medical treatment, and related social and other facilities
- (c) take out any insurance for club, employees, contractors, players, guests and third parties
- (d) raise funds by appeals, subscriptions, loans and charges
- (e) borrow money and give security for the same, and open bank accounts
- (f) buy, lease or licence property and sell, let or otherwise dispose of the same
- (g) make grants and loans and give guarantees and provide other benefits
- (h) set aside funds for special purposes or as reserves
- (i) invest funds in any lawful manner
- (j) employ and engage staff and others and provide services
- (k) co-operate with or affiliate firstly to any bodies regulating or organising the sport of cricket and secondly any club or body involved with cricket and thirdly with government and related agencies
- (l) do all other things reasonably necessary to advance the aims and objectives of the league.

NONE of the above powers may be used other than to advance the aims and objectives in a manner consistent with the Rules and the general law.

8. General Meetings

The Annual General Meeting of the league shall be held not later than the end of January each year. 21 clear days written notice of the Annual General Meeting shall be given to members by circulating a copy of the notice to the Junior Organiser of every member club at their home address or email address and posting the notice on the HCCA website. Member clubs must advise the Secretary in writing of any other business to be moved at the Annual General Meeting at least 14 days before a meeting. The Secretary shall circulate or give notice of the agenda for the meeting to members not less than 7 days before the meeting.

The business of the Annual General Meeting shall be to:

- (a) Confirm the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting and any General Meetings held since the last Annual General Meeting
- (b) Receive the audited accounts for the year from the Treasurer
- (c) Receive the annual report of the Committee from the Secretary
- (d) Elect an auditor
- (e) Elect the Officers of the League (i.e. President; Vice Presidents, Chair etc.)
- (f) Review league subscription rates and agree them for the forthcoming year
- (g) Transact such other business received in writing by the Secretary from member clubs 14 days prior to the meeting and included on the agenda.

Nominations of candidates for election of Offices shall be made in writing to the Secretary at least 14 days in advance of the Annual General Meeting date. Nominations can only be made by Member clubs and must be seconded by another Member club.

Special General Meetings may be convened by the Committee or on receipt by the Secretary of a request in writing from not less than 10 Member clubs of the league. At least 21 days notice of the meeting shall be given.

At all General Meetings, the Chair will be taken by the Chair or, in their absence, by a deputy appointed by Member clubs attending the meeting. Decisions made at a General Meeting shall be by a simple majority vote from those Member clubs attending the meeting. In the event of equal votes, the Chair of the meeting shall be entitled to an additional casting vote.

A quorum for a General Meeting shall be 25% of the membership and Officers of the league including at least 2 from the Chair, Secretary and Treasurer.

Each Member Club of the league shall be entitled to one vote at General Meetings.

9. Alterations to the Constitution

Any proposed alterations to the league Constitution may only be considered at an Annual or Special General Meeting, convened with the required written notice of the proposal. Any alteration or amendment must be proposed by a Member club of the league and seconded by another Member club. Such alterations shall be passed if supported by not less than two-thirds of those Voting Member clubs present at the meeting, assuming that a quorum has been achieved.

10. Finance

All league monies shall be banked in an account in the name of the league.

The Treasurer shall be responsible for the finances of the league and for providing a report on the financial position as required by the Committee.

The Treasurer shall ensure that the league maintains adequate and appropriate insurance to cover the activities of the league.

The financial year will end on 31 December.

The Treasurer will present an audited statement of annual accounts at the Annual General Meeting.

Any cheques drawn against league funds should hold the signatures of the Treasurer plus up to two Officers.

11. Property and Funds

(i) The property and funds of the league cannot be used for the direct or indirect private benefit of member clubs other than as reasonably allowed by the Rules and all surplus income or profits shall be reinvested in the league.

- (ii) The league may also in connection with the sports purposes of the league:
- (a) sell and supply food, drink and related sports clothing and equipment
 - (b) employ members and remunerate them for providing goods and services, on fair terms set by the Committee without the person concerned being present
 - (c) pay for reasonable hospitality for league events
 - (d) indemnify the Committee and members acting properly in the course of the running of the league against any liability incurred in the proper running of the league (but only to the extent of its assets).

12. Discipline and Appeals

All complaints regarding the behaviour of member clubs should be lodged in writing with the Disciplinary Officer.

The Committee shall appoint a Disciplinary sub-committee who will meet to hear complaints within 14 days of a complaint being lodged. Any member club requested to attend a Disciplinary sub-committee shall be entitled to be accompanied by a friend or other representative and to call witnesses. The Committee (or its sub-committee) has the power to take appropriate disciplinary action, including the termination of membership.

The outcome of the disciplinary hearing shall be put in writing to the person who lodged the complaint and the member against whom the complaint was made within 14 days following the hearing.

There shall be a right of appeal to the Committee against either the finding or the sanction imposed or both following disciplinary action being taken. The Committee shall appoint an Appeals Committee (a maximum of three) which shall not include members involved with the initial disciplinary hearing but may include non members of the league. The Appeals Committee shall consider the appeal within 14 days of the Secretary receiving the appeal. The individual submitting the appeal shall be entitled to be accompanied by a friend or other representative and to call witnesses. The decision of the Appeals Committee shall be final and binding on all parties.

13. Dissolution

- (a) If at any General Meeting of the club, a resolution be passed calling for the dissolution of the league, the Secretary shall immediately convene a Special General Meeting of the league to be held not less than one month thereafter to discuss and vote on the resolution.
- (b) If at that Special Meeting, the resolution is carried by at least two-thirds (three quarters) of the Voting Membership present at the meeting, the Committee shall thereupon, or at such date as shall have been specified in the resolution, proceed to realise the assets of the league and discharge all debts and liabilities of the league.
- (c) The Committee will then be responsible for the orderly winding up of the league's affairs.
- (d) After settling all liabilities of the league, the Committee shall dispose of the net assets remaining to one or more of the following:
 - to another league with similar sports purposes which is a registered charity and/or
 - to the Hertfordshire County Cricket Association.

14. Declaration

The Hertfordshire Junior Leagues hereby adopts and accepts this Constitution as a current operating guide regulating the actions of all members.

Rules

Coaches/Managers/Parents setting fields.

One issue which continues to cause concern is Coaches/managers/parents setting and changing field positions.

Rule 12 of the ECB Non-First Class rules and Regulations 2011 states:

Coaching shall not be permitted from the sidelines during a match. In such an event, the umpire shall request the coach/manager/parent spectator to stop. If this persists, the umpire shall have the power to warn the offending team captain and manager that the matter will be reported to the County Board/ECB.

The HJL Committee recognises that for younger age groups (U9/U10/U11) a captain may need some degree of help when setting a field. This may also be the case in some B League matches as these are still regarded as a learning experience. In order to keep this within the bounds of acceptability during a game the following rules should be applied.

- In U12 - U17 A matches no Coach/Manager/Parent or Umpire should interfere in field setting unless there is a safety issue. Any instruction should take place before the game or in the interval between innings.

For all other games:

- A discussion of what is acceptable should occur in the pre-match meeting (at the toss) between managers/coaches and umpires. It is the expectation of The League Committee that the Team Officials on the day will come to an equitable, sensible and fair agreement. Any subsequent dispute will be regarded as a failure on behalf of both Clubs to discharge their responsibilities with respect to this issue.
- Any advice on setting a field should be done in the form of a question to the captain helping him or her to learn rather than the adult taking charge and making the field changes themselves.

Repeated violation of these rules will be reported to and dealt with by the Disciplinary Officer.

DBS (formerly called CRB) Disclosure for Managers

At all HJL matches the person accompanying each team (Match Manager), who is responsible for running the match for that team, must have an Enhanced DBS Disclosure (formerly called CRB).

The Match Manager must be listed in the HJL Handbook or on the HJL website.

If the Match Manager is not available to run the match then an appropriate adult, who holds an ECB Enhanced DBS Disclosure can be substituted.

To help with compliance, a match sheet must be completed for each game - see General Rules for all Competitions - rule 4.

Clubs will be given time to comply with this rule, but any team that does not have a checked Manager in place by 1st June is liable to be withdrawn from competition by the County Welfare Officer.

Spirit of the Game of Cricket

Cricket is a game that owes much of its unique appeal to the fact that it should be played not only within its Laws but also within the Spirit of the Game. Any action which is seen to abuse this spirit causes injury to the game itself. The major responsibility for ensuring the spirit of fair play rests with the managers, captains and umpires.

Managers of All age groups should meet with their counterparts, the umpires and both captains before the game to emphasise the importance of adhering to the "Code of Conduct" outlined at the end of these rules particularly with regard to inappropriate verbal abuse (sledding) or dissent around umpiring decisions.

1. There are two Laws which place responsibility for the team's conduct firmly on the captain.

Responsibility of captains

The captains and managers are responsible at all times for ensuring that play is conducted within the Spirit of the Game as well as within the Laws.

Players' conduct

In the event of a player failing to comply with instructions by an umpire, or criticising by word or action the decision of an umpire, or showing dissent, or generally behaving in a manner which might bring the game into disrepute, the umpire concerned shall in the first place report the matter to the other umpire and to the player's captain, and instruct the latter to take action.

2. **Fair and unfair play**

According to the Laws the umpires are the sole judges of fair and unfair play.

The umpires may intervene at any time and it is the responsibility of the captain to take action where required.

3. The umpires are authorised to intervene in cases of:

- Time wasting
- Damaging the pitch
- Dangerous or unfair bowling
- Tampering with the ball
- Any other action that they consider to be unfair

4. The Spirit of the Game involves RESPECT for:

- Your opponents
- Your own captain
- The roles of the umpires
- The game's traditional values

5. It is against the Spirit of the Game:

- To dispute an umpire's decision by word, action or gesture
- To direct abusive language towards an opponent or umpire
- To indulge in cheating or any sharp practice, for instance:
 - i. to appeal knowing that the batsman is not out
 - ii. to advance towards an umpire in an aggressive manner when appealing
 - iii. to seek to distract an opponent either verbally or by harassment with persistent clapping or unnecessary noise under the guise of enthusiasm and motivation of one's own side

6. **Violence**

There is no place for any act of violence on the field of play.

7. **Players**

Captains, managers and umpires together set the tone for the conduct of a cricket match. Every player is expected to make an important contribution towards this.

General Rules for all Competitions

These Rules will apply to all matches played in the Hertfordshire Junior Leagues [including B matches]. There are however specific Rules relating to 8 a side and 11 a side matches which should be read in conjunction with these General Rules.

1. All matches will be preceded (at the toss) by a meeting of Coaches/Managers/Umpires and Captains to discuss Conditions of Play and expectations around the "Code of Conduct". Additionally in U9/10/11 and B League matches an agreement should be reached around the rules for field placing to be adopted for the match within the rules outlined in the section covering this issue. An agreed policy on giving wides and LBW decisions should also be reached.
2. Every effort must be made to play matches within the week for which they were originally scheduled, Sunday to Saturday. Any matches cancelled due to bad weather before half term must be rearranged unless it is agreed by both clubs to share the points as an abandoned game. Home teams must offer two dates that do not clash with existing fixtures and if this is not possible a swap in venue should be considered. If a game is rearranged before half term and subsequently cancelled due to bad weather then whilst every effort should be made to find an alternative date to replay the game, this is not mandatory.

The League controller must be informed of the cancellation within 48 hours of the original fixture date and subsequently advised as to the new date no later than 7 days from the end of the week that the original fixture was scheduled which will be a Saturday.

If a team is not able to play in an agreed fixture, they may ask the other team if they are willing to try to rearrange that fixture. Where that is agreed, if it is subsequently not possible to rearrange, the team who were not able to fulfil their obligations in the originally agreed fixture will be regarded as having conceded the game. In addition, where a new date has been agreed, but it is not possible to play on that date due to weather, the team who were not able to fulfil their obligations in the originally agreed fixture will be regarded as having conceded the game, unless the teams mutually agree to rearrange again.

If it has been agreed by mutual consent to rearrange a fixture because neither team could fulfil the date originally agreed, and then a new date cannot be agreed within the time scale permitted it will be regarded as an "Abandoned Game" and the points awarded appropriately. Failure to report the cancellation or the new date for the game by the home team will lead to the points for a win being awarded to the away team. N.B. All games in the last week of the season, whether scheduled or rearranged should, if possible, be played no later than the Wednesday of that week.

Matches which have started but subsequently abandoned due to poor weather can be rearranged by mutual consent. Games categorised as "Double Headers" must be played as two distinct games back to back (minimum of 10 overs per side), The result of a single game cannot be counted as two separate results in lieu of an abandoned game but must be recorded as one completed game and one abandonment.

For competitions with a Quarter Final week the last date for arranging matches is the Thursday of the last week of scheduled fixtures. For the U9 competition when there is round of the last 16 it is the Thursday of the last week of scheduled fixtures. For B Leagues when there are no Quarter Finals games can be arranged up to the Thursday of the week before Finals Day.

3. Bad Light

Up until the first week of May and from the second week of August all games should be scheduled to start at 5.30pm. Where possible the League will arrange local fixtures during these periods. If it not possible, for any reason, to start at 5.30pm then matches should be reduced by 2 overs per side for every 15 minutes lost.

If a reduction in overs is agreed, then the maximum number of overs to be bowled by each bowler should be reduced pro rata. This must be agreed by the match managers before the match begins.

It is dependent on match managers to consider all conditions pertaining on the day to ensure games do not end up being played in unacceptable light. This should include ensuring overs in both innings (20 overs) should be bowled within 1 ¼ hours.

The management of games or arrangements on the day should be confined to match managers and umpires only.

4. Match sheets

The completion of Match sheets at each game is mandatory and the sheet should be retained by the home side. League controllers will make spot checks in 2017 and a sanction will be applied if sheets cannot be produced. The match sheet replaces the team sheet used previously.

5. All players will wear helmets, whether batting or standing up to the wicket keeping wicket, in Hertfordshire Junior League organised matches when using a hard cricket ball. Helmets will be optional when using an Incrediball.
6. The Laws of Cricket will apply unless specifically excluded or changed for various age related leagues. See also comments regarding dangerous bowling below.
7. The age qualification date for players to be 1st September of the preceding year, thus players will be Under 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 or 17 – on that date i.e.

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| Under 9 | Year 4 and below |
| Under 10 | Year 5 |
| Under 11 | Year 6 |
| Under 12 | Year 7 |
| Under 13 | Year 8 |
| Under 14 | Year 9 |
| Under 15 | Year 10 |
| Under 16 | Year 11 |
| Under 17 | Year 12 |

Private schools will not always follow the Year groupings so age will be the qualifying factor.

Teams playing over age players without notification may be disqualified from the league, the only exception being girls or girls teams who may be up to 2 years older (see rule 6 below).

Any teams wishing to play overage, players may do so with the permission of the opposing team, but 30 points must be conceded to the opposition.

8. Girls playing in boys' matches

Girls playing in boys' matches can be up to two years older than the age group in which they play. (e.g. an U12 girl can play in an U10 boys' league match with no penalty for that team).

There is no limit to the number of girls allowed to play in a boys' match.

There is no upper age limit applicable to this rule.

9. Fixtures

When clubs change match dates, the points are decided on the result of the last accepted date. During completion of fixture lists the home side shall offer their opponents the choice of two dates, in the fixture week that the fixture schedule provides for the match to be played in, if at all possible.

Managers are asked to make certain that they know the Rules/Laws relating to their Age group matches. If there are any queries please do not hesitate to ask the Hertfordshire Junior League.

10. Player Eligibility

A player may only represent a club in the Hertfordshire Junior Leagues provided they are a junior member of the club for which they are playing. Further, in normal circumstances a player may play for only one club in an HJL competition in any one season. For these purposes, summer leagues are defined as being a separate competition to others in the same age group, but all other leagues played between April and July within an age group are defined as the same competition. Once a player has played one game for a junior club in a season they cannot change clubs in an HJL competition in that season unless sanctioned by Hertfordshire Junior Leagues, having made an application for special circumstances. Any club playing ineligible players will lose all the points gained in that game.

Players can, however, represent different Clubs in different age groups if one of the Clubs does not have a team entered in the League in that age group. They must be junior members of both Clubs.

Clubs playing more than one team in a competition may use a squad to cover all teams in that age group, subject to players in B league matches meeting B team eligibility rules; this does not preclude a player playing up an age group. If two teams from a club reach the knock out stages of the same competition, they will automatically play each other at the earliest opportunity.

No player may play for a team in the quarter finals or on Finals Day unless they have been selected for at least 3 of the pool games for the same team or another team from the same club in the same competition, or (where the team in the quarter Finals or Finals Day is an A Team) a B Team in the same age group, or three pool games for a younger age group at the same club, or three games combined from the three. Exceptions can be made, for example, due to injury, or to absence from the Club's area for educational purposes, by way of application to the League Controller. In such cases, a record of previous involvement with the club will be sought. Exceptions can be made, for example, due to injury, or to absence from the Club's area for educational purposes, by way of application to the League Controller. In such cases, a record of previous involvement with the club will be sought.

Where clubs wish to combine teams at an age group in order to promote participation, they must apply to the HJL Committee for permission to do so.

Players will not be eligible to play for an HJL club in the ECB National Competition (whether in the County stage or the later National and Regional stages, including finals) if they have already represented another club in the same competition (whether in Hertfordshire or in another county). For these purposes, the County stage of the ECB National Competition is defined within Hertfordshire as being the semi-finals and final held specifically for the purpose of determining the Hertfordshire representative.

11. Results Reporting System

Home side to e-mail all results – win, lose, rained off, conceded, abandoned, to the Age Group League Controller by 6pm on the Sunday immediately after the week in which the fixture was scheduled or rescheduled (League Week runs Sunday- Saturday). If e-mail is not available please text or phone in results to the League controller. Failure will result in 30 points to the away side.

If a Club persistently fails to send in results on time the Age Group League Controller will advise the Hertfordshire Junior League who may exclude the offending team [not Club] for the following season, as it affects all the Clubs in their league.

12. Pitch lengths:

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| U9 | 15 yards |
| U10 incrediball & U11 Girls | 18 yards |
| U10 hardball, U11 | 19 yards |
| U12 & U13 | 21 yards |
| U14 & above | 22 yards |

13. Balls:

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|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| U9 | Light rubber ball/windball |
| U10 | 4¾ oz Incrediball Junior ball |
| U10, U11, U12 & U13 | 4¾ oz Standard Junior cricket ball |
| U14 & above | Standard cricket ball |

Only one ball per match except the Final.

Pink balls must be used in hardball fixtures played during the first two weeks of the League season.

14. Stumps

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| U9, U10, U11, U12 & U13 | 27" high and 8" wide |
| U14 & above | 28" high and 9" wide |

15. Tethered bails

Tethered bails are allowed in all HJL matches providing that this agreed by both coaches.

16. Artificial pitches:

Artificial pitches will be allowable for U11 and below matches on the proviso that the home manager notifies the opposing team at least two weeks prior to the match date, so that players can bring appropriate footwear i.e. non-studded for non-turf surfaces. If not so advised then the match is forfeited unless that is the only pitch available and both managers are agreeable. Matches may be played on artificial wickets due to weather conditions provided both Managers are agreeable. All matches for U12 and above are to be played on grass pitches unless mutually agreed by both teams.

17. Umpires and Scorers

Each side shall provide an Umpire and scorer if possible and agree a scoring system. Neither Umpire nor match Managers shall give advice or instruction to any player on the field of play, unless there are safety issues.

18. Late arrival

If a team arrives 15 minutes late they forfeit the toss.

19. Honouring fixtures

A side failing to honour one half of its scheduled league fixtures shall have its record erased from the league.

20. Affiliation of Clubs

All competing clubs MUST be affiliated to the HCCA and the ECB.

21. Responsibility for Minors

Managers and Umpires must remember that they are in "loco parentis" and they are LEGALLY responsible for players their behaviour and safety.

22. Beamers and high bowling

The Law relating to high non-pitching deliveries has been changed again in 2018 following feedback about the 2017 laws. The law now gives the bowler's end umpire discretion in deciding if a non-pitching delivery is dangerous or not. The first two clauses of the law are amended as follows:

41.7.1 Any delivery, which passes or would have passed, without pitching, above waist height of the striker standing upright at the popping crease, is unfair. Whenever such a delivery is bowled, the umpire shall call and signal No ball.

41.7.2 The bowling of a delivery as defined in 41.7.1 is also dangerous if the bowler's end umpire considers that there is a risk of injury to the striker.

In making that judgement the umpire shall:

- disregard any protective equipment worn by the striker
- be mindful of:

the speed, height and direction of the delivery

the skill of the striker

the repeated nature of such deliveries- call and signal No ball

The league has amended this Law as follows:

- i) In the U17 Competition the Law stands as written
- ii) In the U13, U14 & U15, girls and boys, A & B leagues, the Law stands as written except that there will be two warnings before the bowler is removed instead of one.
- iii) In the U10, U11 & U12 hard ball competitions and all incrediball competitions, only a no ball will be signalled, and no warnings issued or bowlers removed.

23. No balls

For all competitions in the age groups U12 and below a delivery may bounce twice before reaching the popping crease without being called a No Ball. For U13 and above, Law 21.7 will be applied and any ball bouncing more than once before reaching the popping crease will be called a No Ball.

24. Minimum distance for fielders

Minimum distance of fielders from the striker's middle stump must be maintained

25. Dissent

Dissent must not be tolerated and it is up to Captains, Umpires and Managers to deal decisively with it and if necessary remove the player from field of play if it continues.

26. Serious incidents

Any serious incidents must be reported to the Hertfordshire Junior League

27. Disputes

The Hertfordshire Junior League will be the sole arbiter of any disputes that cannot be settled by the clubs involved.

28. Knockout stages of Competition

After all the league matches have been completed the League Controller (LC) will announce the draw for the knockout stages of the competition.

If the knockout stages are to include any of the group 'Runners Up', then these will be the teams finishing 2nd in a group that have the Highest Point Average (HPA). The Point Average (PA) will be calculated by dividing the total number of Points by the number of matches including matches cancelled due to the weather. In the event of two teams having the same Point Average the standings will be decided as follows:

1. The team with the most wins
2. The team with the fewest losses
3. The team with the highest net run rate
4. The team with the most Batting Bonus Points
5. Lots drawn by the League Controller

The knockout stage draw will be decided as follows:

- a. In the unlikely event that two teams from the same club qualify for the knockout stages, they shall play each other at the earliest possible opportunity (quarter final or semi final).
- b. For any teams left the criteria listed in 25 (below) will be used to determine the draw.

29. Determination of league positions and Knockout Stages

The determination of league positions is decided by the number of points a team has.

In the event of two or more teams having the same number of points, positions will be decided as follows:

1. The team with the Highest Points Average (HPA). The Point Average will be calculated by dividing the total number of Points by the number of matches including matches cancelled due to the weather.
2. The team with the most wins
3. The team with the fewest losses
4. The team with the most batting bonus points
5. Lots drawn by the league controller

The knockout stage draw will be decided as follows:

- a) In the event that two teams from the same club qualify for the knockout stages, they shall play each other at the earliest possible opportunity (quarter final or semi final). After application of this rule, no team shall play a team from their qualifying group in the Quarter Finals.

- b) In a 4 Group league

A leagues

The winners and runners up of each group will qualify for the Quarter Finals.

After applying a) above

Group winner (highest Points Average) vs Runner up (lowest Points Average)

Group winner (2nd highest PA) vs Runner up (2nd lowest PA)

Group winner (3rd highest PA) vs Runner up (3rd lowest PA)

Group winner (lowest PA) vs Runner up (highest PA)

B leagues

The group winners will qualify for the Semi Finals. After applying a) above

Group winner (highest Points Average) vs Group winner (lowest PA)

Group winner (2nd highest PA) vs Group winner (2nd lowest PA)

- c) In a 5 Group league

A leagues

The winners of each group will qualify for the Quarter Finals. The 3 best runners up will also qualify. The runners up will be ranked using the criteria at the start of this section.

After applying a) above

Group Winner (highest Points Average) vs Runner up (lowest Points Average)

Group Winner (2nd highest PA) vs Runner up (2nd lowest PA)

Group Winner (3rd highest PA) vs Runner up (3rd lowest PA)

Group Winner (4th highest PA) vs Group Winner (lowest PA)

- d) In a 6 Group league

A leagues

The winners of each group will qualify for the Quarter Finals. The 2 best runners up will also qualify. The runners up will be ranked using the criteria at the start of this section.

After applying a) above

Group Winner (highest Points Average) vs Runner up (2nd highest PA)

Group Winner (2nd highest PA) vs Runner up (highest PA)

Group Winner (3rd highest PA) vs Group Winner (lowest PA)

Group Winner (4th highest PA) vs Group Winner (2nd lowest PA)

e) In a 7 Group league

A leagues

The winners of each group will qualify for the Quarter Finals. The best runner up will also qualify. The runners up will be ranked using the criteria at the start of this section.

After applying a) above

Group Winner (highest Points Average) vs Runner up (highest PA)

Group Winner (2nd highest PA) vs Group Winner (lowest PA)

Group Winner (3rd highest PA) vs Group Winner (2nd lowest PA)

Group Winner (4th highest PA) vs Group Winner (3rd lowest PA)

f) In an 8 Group league

A leagues

The winners of each group will qualify for the Quarter Finals.

After applying a) above

Group Winner (highest Points Average) vs Group Winner (lowest PA)

Group Winner (2nd highest PA) vs Group Winner (2nd lowest PA)

Group Winner (3rd highest PA) vs Group Winner (3rd lowest PA)

Group Winner (4th highest PA) vs Group Winner (4th lowest PA)

For leagues with 2 or 3 Groups or where Leagues have very different numbers of Clubs in each group, the Committee will confirm the criteria for the knockout stages before the season commences.

c. **Arrangement of Quarter Finals:**

Within 48 hours of the League Controller announcing the draw, the home team will offer their opponents two separate dates to play the Quarter Final. The away team must accept one of those dates or forfeit the tie. If the home team only offer the away team one date and the away team cannot play on that date, the home team will forfeit the tie.

All of the arrangements between the clubs must be undertaken by e-mail or text message with the League Controller copied in.

In the event of any dispute about the date of the fixture, the League Controller will use the correspondence in evidence to determine the result.

If the agreed date is cancelled due to inclement weather, it is the responsibility of both clubs to mutually agree an alternative date. If this cannot be done before Finals Day the League Controller will draw lots to determine the result.

d. In the event of the scores being level at the end of a knockout match the winner shall be determined using the following criteria:

1. The team losing fewer wickets

If both teams have lost the same number of wickets:

2. The team with the most NET runs after 10 overs

If both teams have the same number of runs at this point:

3. The team losing fewer wickets after 10 overs

If both teams have lost the same number of wickets at 10 overs:

4. A 'Bowl Out' will be completed immediately after the completion of the game. On the wicket that the game was played on, the team who bowled first will nominate 5 players to bowl a single ball at the stumps. If a play-er bowls a 'no ball' it will not be taken again and will not

count if it hits the wicket. Once all 5 balls have been bowled the other team will take their turn. The team with the most 'hits' will be declared the winners. If the scores are level at this point, each team will nominate another player (not one of the original 5) to bowl a single ball. This will continue until one team hits the wicket and the other team misses.

Please remember the main goal is to provide enjoyable/safe cricket

Competition Rules for 11-a-side games

The Rules set out below are to be used in conjunction with the General Rules for Hertfordshire Junior Leagues.

1. The current Laws of Cricket shall apply except that:

- U11/U12/U13/U14/U15/U16 & U17 matches shall be of one innings of 20 overs. It is strongly recommended to either start matches before 6pm or shorten their length in April/May to ensure they finish in adequate light. The Final of the U17 competition will be of one innings of 40 overs duration unless mutually agreed. Playing conditions can be agreed by the League controller in conjunction with the Managers of the teams participating in the final.
- No player may bowl more than four overs in a 20 over game or the same proportion in a curtailed match;
- No player may bowl more than eight overs in an U17 40 over game or the same proportion in a curtailed match; Each bowler may bowl a maximum of 4 overs in any one spell and must wait until the same number of overs have been bowled at that end before they can bowl again. This is applicable to all bowlers, not just fast bowlers.
- A player cannot begin the game and then leave when other late players arrive as he/she has become part of the full side.
- For U12/U13 and below matches when a batsman reaches the personal total of 30 runs he must retire and may not return. The batsman may remain at the wicket if there is only 1 wicket left to fall and they may bat on until overs are completed or they or the other batsman is dismissed. For U14 & U15 the personal total will be 40 runs. For U16 and U17 matches there will be no retirement in any 40 over games whether the Final or not, but in any games with fewer overs retirement will be when a batsman reaches a personal total of 50 runs.

2. **Minimum distance for fielders**

No fielder at U15/16 level, except the wicket keeper, shall be allowed to field nearer than 8 yards, measured from the middle stump of the strikers wicket except behind the wicket on the offside. At any age group Under 14 and below the distance is increased to 11 yards.

3. **League points**

League points shall be awarded thus:

- 30 points for a win.
- For the purpose of these leagues there will be no drawn games.
- In the event of a tie the team losing the least number of wickets in the game shall be declared the winner.
- If in a tie if both teams lose the same number of wickets, 20 points will be awarded to each team.

Bonus Points for losing teams

- Batting:1 point for every 10 runs scored - Max 10.
- Bowling:1 point for every wicket taken – Max 10

Abandoned and incomplete matches or matches not started due to inclement weather:

- 10 points will be awarded to each team. If a match is abandoned and either or both teams have accrued more than 10 bonus points, the teams will be awarded the bonus points scored or 10 points, whichever is the greater.

Match conceded:

- 30 points to the opposing team

Competition Rules for B Leagues.

HJL set up the B Leagues in order to encourage those players who were not at a stage in their cricket development to play A team cricket. They were not set up as an alternative option for Clubs who believed their teams not good enough to win the A league. By their very nature, set up to encourage participation, coaches and managers will need to set aside their urge to win against the need to involve all their players in an enjoyable cricket experience.

Judging by the volume of complaints we receive about how Clubs are approaching selection and tactics in these Leagues they are not currently fulfilling their original purpose. In essence the problem appears to be what constitutes an A League player. Some Clubs would argue that if a player is a regular in an A League Team that makes them an A League player. Others say it is a matter of absolute ability not what team anyone is playing in. A further complication is where Clubs only enter a side into the B League. Does that therefore make all their players B League players? Many sides have squads who draw from one pool of players for both A and B Leagues which essentially opens up the possibility of sides putting out stronger B Teams as the business end of the season approaches giving rise to cries of recrimination from other Clubs.

The HJL Committee do not believe they are able to, or it is their role to, legislate for the full range of sharp practices which can run contrary to the "Spirit of Cricket" and negate the purpose of the B leagues. Ultimately, it is the member clubs who will define the ethos of the B Leagues by the way they approach tactics and selection and we very much hope they accept this responsibility. However, we do believe that some changes are necessary and some fundamentals need to be reinforced.

- B Leagues are set up to encourage participation and help the development of players not yet able to realistically participate in A League Cricket.
- B leagues are not an alternative for Clubs who think they cannot win an A league.
- County Age Group (CAG) boys of any age are not allowed to play in a B League team. CAG girls can play B team cricket with the two year age gap rule remaining in place (General rules for all competitions – rule 8). Only 4 Area players (boys) can play in any one side. Area players from younger age groups do not count in this number.
- Clubs must consider very carefully the size of their squads before entering teams in A and B Leagues in any one age group. Sides will not be allowed to essentially field the same players in both A and B leagues in the same year group. If a Club feels they want to run two sides with a limited squad or share players (4/5) between squads they should approach the League with the possibility of entering a B league in the year above their age group.
- If sides have an essentially weak squad with some strong players and wish to enter a B league the stronger players should be encouraged to play in older age group teams rather than dominate games in the B League of their own age group.
- From 2019 onwards there will be no Finals Day for B League competitions and no trophies will be awarded.

Competition Rules for U9, U10, & U11 8-a-side games

The General Rules and Laws of Cricket shall apply with the following exceptions:

Managers of younger age groups are encouraged to talk before the game to agree an approach that ensures all participants take a full part in the game and enjoy their cricket.

Pads and helmets are not compulsory when using an Incrediball.

1. Team numbers

Each team shall comprise of 8 players. Teams with less than 8 players will have the appropriate reduced overs and the opposition will play as normal (e.g. 7 player have 12 overs, the other team have the normal 16 overs). Alternatively, with the agreement of the opposition, if a team has less than 8 players the opposition shall nominate a player, or players, to bat twice.

2. Match duration

Each game shall consist of one innings per side. Each innings shall be of 16 overs durations. Wides and no balls will score two penalty runs but no extra ball will be bowled. This includes the last over of each innings.

3. Batting

- The batting side shall be divided into pairs.
- Each pair shall bat for 4 overs.
- Pairs shall change at the end of the 4th, 8th and 12th overs.

4. Scoring

- Each team shall commence its innings with a score of TWO HUNDRED RUNS.
- Batsmen shall have unlimited "lives" but each "life/wicket" shall result in 5 runs being deducted from the total. Batsman shall change end at the fall of each wicket except on the last ball of an over.

5. Bowling

- Each player on the fielding side MUST bowl, with the exception of wicket keeper. No player shall bowl more than 3 overs, (4 overs in a 20 over game). Wicket keepers may bowl under the normal overs rule.

6. Winning the match

The winning team shall be the side scoring the higher number of runs after deductions for the fall of wickets. If the net scores are level the match will be declared a tie.

7. Minimum distance for fielders

In ALL matches no fielder, except the wicket keeper, shall be allowed to field nearer than 11 yards, measured from the strikers middle stump.

8. Substitutes

In accordance with the Laws of the Game a substitute shall be allowed to take the place of an injured player.

9. League Points

League points shall be awarded thus:

- 30 points for a win
- 20 points for a tie when the net scores are level

Bonus points for losing teams

- Batting:1 point for every 10 runs scored over 180 runs (i.e. first batting point starts at 190 runs) - Max 10
- Bowling:1 point for every 1 wickets taken – Max 10 points

Abandoned and incomplete matches or matches not started due to inclement weather:

- 10 points will be awarded to each team. If a match is abandoned and either or both teams have accrued more than 10 bonus points, the teams will be awarded the bonus points scored or 10 points, whichever is the greater.

Match conceded:

- 30 points to the opposing team

Competition Rules for U12B, U13B, U14B & U12 Girls 10-a-side games

The General Rules and Laws of Cricket shall apply with the following exceptions:

1. Team numbers

Each team shall comprise of 10 players. In the Girls' U13 matches, if a team has less than 10 players then both sides should attempt to find a mutually agreeable number of players and play a reduced match. For example: if both teams have 8 players then an 8-a-side match should be played.

2. Match duration

Each game shall consist of one innings per side. Each innings shall be of 20 overs duration (or a reduced number of overs if necessary). Wides and no balls will score two penalty runs but no extra ball will be bowled. This includes the last over of each innings.

3. Batting

The batting side shall be divided into pairs.

Each pair shall bat for 4 overs.

Pairs shall change at the end of the 4th, 8th, 12th and 16th overs.

4. Scoring

Each team shall commence its innings with a score of TWO HUNDRED RUNS.

Batters shall have unlimited "lives" but each "life/wicket" shall result in 5 runs being deducted from the total. Batters shall change ends at the fall of each wicket except on the last ball of an over.

5. Bowling

Each player on the fielding side MUST bowl, with the exception of wicket keeper. No player shall bowl more than 3 overs (4 overs in a 20 over game). Wicket keepers may bowl under the normal overs rule.

6. Winning the match

The winning team shall be the side scoring the higher number of runs after deductions for the fall of wickets. If the net scores are level the match will be declared a tie.

7. Minimum distance for fielders

In ALL matches no fielder, except the wicket keeper, shall be allowed to field nearer than 11 yards, measured from the strikers middle stump.

8. Substitutes

In accordance with the Laws of the Game a substitute shall be allowed to take the place of an injured player.

9. League Points

League points shall be awarded thus:

- 30 points for a win.
- 20 points for a tie when the net scores are level

Bonus points for losing teams

- Batting: 1 point for every 10 runs scored over 180 runs - Max 10
- Bowling: 1 point for every 1 wickets taken – Max 10 points

Abandoned and incomplete matches or matches not started due to inclement weather:

- 10 points will be awarded to each team. If a match is abandoned and either or both teams have accrued more than 10 bonus points, the teams will be awarded the bonus points scored or 10 points, whichever is the greater.

Match conceded:

- 30 points to the opposing team

10. If in a Girls' U13 match, by agreement of both sides, an 11-a-side match is to be played then the rules for the ECB National U13 competition shall be applied

Competition Rules for U14 Girls games

The General Rules and Laws of Cricket shall apply with the following exceptions:

1. Team numbers

Each team shall comprise of 11 players. If a team has less than 11 players then both sides should attempt to find a mutually agreeable number of players to make the match as even as possible, or to support the opposition by providing fielders as appropriate. Matches can take place with a minimum of 8 players.

2. Player Eligibility

In exceptional circumstances, to ensure that teams have enough players to make a game, teams can "borrow" players from other HJL affiliated clubs. Team managers should be informed in advance, but every effort should be made to ensure that matches take place as scheduled.

3. Balls should be:

U15 4¾ oz. Standard Junior cricket ball, or 5oz cricket ball if available.

Pink balls must be used in hardball fixtures played during the first two weeks of the League season.

4. Match duration

Each game shall consist of one innings per side. Each innings shall be of 20 overs duration (or a reduced number of overs if necessary). Wides and no balls will score two penalty runs but no extra ball will be bowled. This includes the last over of each innings.

5. Pitch length should be:

U14 22 yards

6. Batting

For U14 matches when a batsman reaches the personal total of 30 runs she must retire but can return at the fall of the last wicket. The batsman may remain at the wicket if there is only 1 wicket left to fall and they may bat on until overs are completed, or they, or the other batsman is dismissed.

7. Bowling

No player shall bowl more than 4 overs in a 20 over game. Wicket keepers may bowl under the normal overs rule.

8. Minimum distance for fielders

In ALL matches no fielder, except the wicket keeper, shall be allowed to field nearer than 11 yards, measured from the striker's middle stump.

9. League Points

Bonus Points for losing teams

Bowling: 1 point for every wicket taken, if a side is bowled out then 10 points scored. (This ensures max points when bowling out teams with less than 11 players).

Batting: 1 point for every 10 runs scored - Max 10.

Competition Rules for U11, U13 & U15 Summer Leagues

The rules for the Summer competitions will be the same as those for the U11 11-a-side, U13 and U15 mixed competitions with the following exception:

Players at all age groups will be required to retire at 25 and no one bowler will be allowed to bowl more than 3 overs.

ECB and PCA guidance: head protectors/helmets

The ECB and PCA strongly encourage all cricket clubs and cricketers to review their existing head protector equipment. In this Guidance Note, references to "head protectors" means helmets with a faceguard or grille.

The design and manufacture of cricket head protectors is now governed by British Standard BS7928:2013, which has been adopted by the ICC as the international standard. The standard ECB/PCA playing contract for professional cricketers also specifies that any helmet provided to a player by his employer club must meet this safety standard.

Note that BS7928:2013 specifies different tests for helmets to be used in senior and junior cricket, reflecting the smaller ball size used in the latter.

The helmets listed below at Section 6 are those for which evidence has been provided to the ECB by the relevant manufacturer that the standard has been met and the appropriate authority to display a "CE quality mark" granted.

That list distinguishes between helmets that are approved for use in senior and junior cricket, and also includes some helmets that have been approved for use at both levels.

1. Key Features of the New Safety Specification

The key features of the new specification, BS7928:2013, are:

- It now includes a facial contact projectile test that assesses for penetration of the ball through the faceguard, and contact of the faceguard onto the face, using realistic ball impact speeds and conditions.
- Head protectors have been tested separately against men's and junior sized cricket balls (a five-and-a-half ounce ball and a four-and-three-quarter ounce ball, respectively).

2. Women's cricket

There was neither a pre-existing specific women's head protector nor is there any BSi specification for women's cricket head protectors.

However, as the size of the standard women's cricket ball is between the standard men's and junior's balls, it is recommended that women use head protectors which have been tested against both the men's and junior sized ball or at least against the junior size ball (because the smaller ball could potentially get through the gap above the faceguard on a men's head protector).

3. Junior cricket

Since 2000, the ECB has published safety guidance regarding the wearing of head protectors by all cricketers under the age of 18. The ECB's current guidance is that all cricketers under the age of 18 must wear a head protector whilst batting in matches or practice sessions. The ECB also now strongly recommends that junior players use head protectors that have been tested against the junior sized ball.

Wicketkeepers under the age of 18 should wear a head protector with a faceguard, or a wicketkeeper face protector, at all times when standing up to the stumps.

Any individual taking responsibility for any player(s) under the age of 18 should take reasonable steps to ensure this guidance is followed at all times. No parental consent to the non-wearing of a head protector should be accepted.

4. Risk of injury

Whilst the ECB and PCA consider that head protectors are an essential part of a cricketer's kit to mitigate the risk of death, injury or disability, it must be remembered that wearing a head protector cannot entirely eliminate that risk. The new specification makes head protectors safer than before, but cannot eliminate the risk of injury.

5. Things to look out for in purchasing a new head protector

The ECB and PCA has issued this guidance in order to heighten understanding, so that informed decisions as to which head protectors to purchase and use can be made by all cricketers.

Head protectors that have been tested against and comply with the new specification will be clearly labelled "BS7928:2013" and will contain clear labelling setting out whether the head protector has been tested against

- i. a men's standard ball size of 5 ½ ounces,
- ii. a junior standard ball size of 4 ¾ ounces, or
- iii. both men's and junior size balls.

The list of known head protectors that have met BS7928:13 effective 1 January 2017 is available to view here: <https://www.icc-cricket.com/about/cricket/rules-and-regulations/helmets>