

## League Meeting 25.08.16

### Brunton Park, 7.30pm

Present: League Committee, Craig Lewis (Cumberland FA) and a representative from each member club

**Jimmy Hunter** – Open and welcome everyone to the meeting

**Colin Seel** - Handbook is ready for collection today approx 3 books per team, there are extra copies available at League Headquarters. Colin gave thanks to Sharron, CN Group and Sponsors for their continued time collating the information and printing a fantastic booklet. Colin gave thanks to the five clubs that also submitted an entry into the handbook, would it be possible if we can increase this next year? Please could you read through the book and any errors please get in touch.

At the AGM it was agreed that the league will pay for the league fees this season, therefore there is a few cheques to hand back to clubs.

**Sharron Willis** – ID Cards – many thanks to those who have submitted their player registrations on time and correct, however there have been many forms that have been returned as they were incorrect, not typed or additional information missing ie photos and id. Player Registration is now closed until 12 September which will mean some players will not be able to play the first week of the league season. As mentioned in the handbook if you do not have enough players registered correctly i.e 7v7 must have 7 players your match will be forfeited and points (if competitive age) will be awarded to the opposing team and a £40 fine will be issued.

Two changes to the handbook Creighton FC U13's and Carlisle City FC U13's will now play at the Sheepmount.

Teamsheets – Only typed teamsheets will be accepted.

An example team sheet was shown.

It was explained that we do not expect Managers to type a new form each week.

Managers to type all registered players names and ID numbers, their age group and their team name.

On the day of the game, they can write in the date, circle if it is a League or a cup game accordingly, the referee's name and sign the form. They will then need to cross out the name/s of any players not participating that day and clearly mark substitutes with either S or Sub. They will then give it to the opposition manager along with their ID card, who will check, sign and return it. Goals scored and if any cards were received may be handwritten. Please make sure you have the opposing teams ID card and complete a role call during the handshake and then tick the box if you did or not see their ID card.

Teams sheets can be emailed to the email address on the sheet, please put what age group in the subject box. It was mentioned there is an app available for the smartphones which will be looked into.

New managers meeting will take place Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 6.15pm at Brunton Park, the U7's have a meeting on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September 7pm at Brunton Park.

**Jackie Hayhow** – taking photos and filming at games, league, friendlies, tournaments, please make sure the person filming has consent from the opposing manager, yourself and if you are in a competitive age group the referee is happy is aware. For teams aged U7 – U11's no goals, scores, if you have won, man of matches are to be posted on any social media platform even in a private group as a screenshot can be taken and sent to other people. This also includes league, friendlies, and tournaments.

**Mike O'Brien** – Fixtures are on the fulltime website, please remember that just because the full-time website shows a blank weekend, do not assume you have a free weekend, this may be for County Cup or League Cup. Mike advised that if they had a blank weekend, not to assume there was no fixture, as they might be given one and to inform Mike if they didn't wish to have one. Sharron advised everyone that actually if they wished not to be given a game they would need to use a wild card to ensure the weekend stayed blank.

Please remember that if you wish to use a wild card they must be submitted via your club secretary as soon as possible, but at least 14 days before the scheduled fixture. If teams are given an alternative fixture due to a wild card being used, we will endeavour to give teams two weeks notice if we have the chance to fill the fixture.

U9-U11, U12G, U14G, U12 & U13's league cup games will take place at Harraby 3G on a Tuesday evening.

U14's and U16's and U18's will take place at normal match day and time.

All the U13's have entered the County Cup, please note it is 11v11 which may cause issues with pitches.

Remember games can be brought forward throughout the season. The Sheepmount will be closed for the full weekend of 5/6 November

Updates will be sent to managers via email

**Steve Poole** – changes to the law of the game which are on the Cumberland FA, please make sure (especially the competitive age) you make yourself aware of them.

Please be mindful there is a few young referees that have just qualified, please help and support them during the games, we need these referees.

Next meeting Thursday 29.9.16 at 7.30pm

Close of meeting 8.30pm

