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Cricket Balls

Please note that the rule regarding the use of cricket balls within the league says that any cricket ball used that is not of the approved type must be of British manufacture and approved by the league. It has been reported that some clubs are using cricket balls other than the approved Dukes cricket balls. Please note that no other cricket ball apart from Dukes and Tiflex (Oxbridge) have been approved and those not using any such ball are breaking league rules. This rule has been put in place to ensure that cricket balls used are safe in that no damage is caused to bats, and that they perform 'correctly'!

“Rule P18.3 In the ECB Premier, Championship and First Divisions, each team must use an official league approved new ball as in Rule 18.2. In all other Divisions each team must provide a ball, which need not be new, but must be a quartered leather ball, conforming in all aspects, to the M.C.C. Laws of Cricket and must be a Grade ‘A’ ball of British manufacture, as approved by the Management Board.”

Live Streaming

The register for those clubs who are live streaming can be found here on our website:

<https://www.yplncricket.co.uk/general-information/live-streaming-register/>

Clubs outwith those listed who are live streaming must register by email to

administration@yplncricket.co.uk. Please see rule P18.1

Sightscreens

Just to confirm that in the ECB Premier Division & Championship the width that needs to be covered by sightscreens (or other approved screening) at each end is a minimum of 8 metres. This is the size of two standard screens.

Club Officials

A small number of clubs are still missing club officials on play-cricket. This includes phone numbers etc. Please can clubs check that theirs are all their.

Rule M3.7 All clubs must keep fully up to date on an ongoing basis the contact details of all Officers, Captains, and general club details on their Play-Cricket site. Clubs who are not displaying full details of Chairman, Secretary and Club Welfare Officer at all times will be liable to a £50 penalty per offence per week that the details are missing. At the time that the first match is played each season the up to date captains full details must be displayed on play-cricket and kept up to date throughout the season. Failure to adhere will result in a £50 penalty per offence per week that the details are missing, or not kept fully up to date throughout the entire cricket season.