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U13's and U15's Competitions

Dear Clubs

The U13 and U15 Club T20 County Competitions are the County stage of the ECB National competition which involves a series of knockout games to find the best U13 and U15 Club side in the Country. The County Competition is played between the months of May and June with the National stages following in July and August. Entry into the competition is open to any DCF affiliated club which is based in Derbyshire. The competitions are an opportunity to play against Clubs throughout Derbyshire with the chance to represent the County in the National stage.

The day fixtures are played on is flexible to suit clubs who will have 2 weeks to arrange and play the fixture in each round. Strict play by dates are set for each round of fixtures to maintain the flow of the competition and the play by date is the last possible date for the fixture. **If the game has not been played by this date then both teams will be excluded from the following rounds.**

In addition to the attached rules the following statement will be applicable to the County Competition for section 6) Qualification of players. *Player eligibility is defined by the club they are playing junior cricket at in this current season. If a player is playing junior cricket at more than one club then the club must seek permission from the DCF. If a club is unsure of a player's eligibility then permission must be obtained from the DCF before they are allowed to play in a fixture.*

All participating clubs are required to comply with the rules of the competition, including section 6 relating to player eligibility and section 11 regarding the Spirit of Cricket and the ECB Code of Conduct. Any breach of the Competition rules will result in disqualification from the competition. The time-table for the national competition requires the fixtures in the county competition to be completed in a timely manner, and decisions made by the DCF regarding any breach of rules will therefore be final.

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