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DIVISION ONE FIXTURES 2002

Home Games Bracketed ()

Team	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT.
1. SHELTON	10 (2)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (9)	11 (12)	2 (3)
2. FRANKTON	9 1 (12)	4 (3)	4 (5)	6 (8)	10 (11)	1 (1)
3. PONTESBURY	8 11 (1)	2 (12)	4 (4)	5 (7)	9 (10)	11 (9)
4. NEWTOWN	7 10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	6 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)
5. MONTGOMERY	6 9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (3)	12 (7)	8 (9)	10 (11)
6. WHITTINGTON	5 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (4)	12 (7)	8 (9)
7. BRITISH SUGAR	4 (12)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	4 (12)	9 (10)
8. COUND	3 (6)	7 (12)	9 (10)	11 (1)	3 (5)	6 (12)
9. LLANIDLOES	2 (5)	6 (7)	8 (12)	10 (1)	2 (4)	5 (6)
10. WORFIELD	1 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	9 (11)	2 (3)	4 (5)
11. TIBBERTON	12 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (10)	1 (2)	3 (4)
12. KNOCKIN & KINNERLEY	11 (7)	2 (8)	3 (9)	4 (5)	6 (1)	7 (2)

DIVISION TWO FIXTURES 2002

Home Games Bracketed ()

Team	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT.
1. CAE GLAS	10 (2)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (9)	11 (12)	2 (3)
2. CHURCH STRETTON	9 1 (12)	4 (3)	4 (5)	6 (8)	10 (11)	1 (1)
3. ALBERBURY	8 11 (1)	2 (12)	4 (4)	5 (7)	9 (10)	11 (9)
4. QUATT	7 10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	6 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)
5. MUCH WENLOCK	6 9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (3)	12 (7)	8 (9)	10 (11)
6. CONDOVER	5 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (4)	12 (7)	8 (9)
7. TRYSULL & SEBDON	4 (12)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	4 (12)	9 (10)
8. LILLESALL	3 (6)	7 (12)	9 (10)	11 (1)	3 (5)	6 (12)
9. WELSHPOOL	2 (5)	6 (7)	8 (12)	10 (1)	2 (4)	5 (6)
10. BOMERE HEATH	1 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	9 (11)	2 (3)	4 (5)
11. ACTON REYNALD	12 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (10)	1 (2)	3 (4)
12. HARCOURT	11 (7)	2 (8)	3 (9)	4 (5)	6 (1)	7 (2)

DIVISION THREE FIXTURES 2002

Home Games Bracketed ()

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT.					
1. BISHOP'S CASTLE	10 (2)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (9)	11 (12)	2 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (11)	12 (10)	9 (8)
2. HODNET & PELOW	9 1 (12)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	10 (11)	1 (1)	12 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	10 (11)	9 (8)
3. OSWESTRY III	8 11 (1)	2 (12)	4 (5)	7 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	12 (4)	5 (6)	6 (9)	10 (8)	7 (6)
4. WELLINGTON III	7 10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	6 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (3)	12 (5)	5 (8)	9 (7)	6 (5)
5. FORTON	6 9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (3)	12 (7)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (4)	7 (8)	6 (12)	4 (5)
6. BROMFIELD	(5)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	4 (7)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	7 (5)	4 (3)
7. SHELTON II	(4)	12 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	3 (5)	6 (12)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	5 (6)	4 (3)
8. FRANKTON II	(3)	(6)	7 (12)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (4)	5 (6)	7 (12)	9 (10)	11 (1)	4 (5)
9. CHELMARSH	(2)	(5)	6 (7)	8 (12)	10 (1)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	12 (10)	11 (1)	3 (4)
10. ISCOYD & FENNIS BANK	(1)	(4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	9 (11)	2 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (9)	12 (2)	3 (1)
11. ELLESMERE	(12)	(3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (10)	1 (2)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	9 (1)	2 (12)
12. WILLEY	11 (7)	2 (8)	3 (9)	4 (5)	6 (1)	7 (2)	8 (3)	9 (4)	10 (6)	1 (11)	5 (10)

DIVISION FOUR FIXTURES 2002

Home Games Bracketed ()

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT.					
1. NEWPORT III	(10)	2 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	9 (11)	12 (2)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	11 (12)	10 (9)
2. OVERTON-ON-DEE	(9)	1 (12)	3 (4)	5 (6)	8 (10)	11 (1)	12 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	10 (11)	9 (8)
3. PONTESBURY II	(8)	(11)	1 (2)	12 (4)	5 (7)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (12)	4 (5)	6 (9)	10 (8)
4. NEWTOWN II	(7)	(10)	11 (1)	2 (3)	12 (6)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	5 (8)	7 (6)
5. CHURCH ASTON	(6)	(9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	7 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (3)	4 (7)	6 (5)
6. CONDOVER II	5 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (4)	12 (7)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (2)	3 (12)	7 (5)	4 (3)
7. TRYSULL & SEISDON II	4 (12)	8 (9)	10 (11)	1 (3)	5 (6)	12 (8)	9 (10)	11 (1)	2 (5)	6 (4)	3 (2)
8. LILLESALL II	3 (6)	7 (12)	9 (10)	11 (2)	4 (5)	6 (7)	12 (9)	10 (11)	1 (4)	3 (5)	2 (1)
9. BRIDGNORTH III	2 (5)	6 (7)	8 (12)	10 (1)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	12 (10)	11 (3)	4 (2)	1 (11)
10. SHREWSBURY III	1 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	9 (11)	2 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (9)	12 (2)	3 (1)	11 (12)
11. SINCLAIR	12 (3)	4 (5)	6 (7)	8 (10)	1 (2)	3 (4)	5 (6)	7 (8)	9 (1)	2 (12)	10 (9)
12. ST GEORGES III	(11)	7 (2)	8 (3)	9 (4)	5 (6)	1 (7)	2 (8)	3 (9)	4 (10)	6 (1)	5 (11)

DIVISION FIVE FIXTURES 2002

Home Games Bracketed ()

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT.																
1. M.I.E.B.	(10)	2	(3)	4	(5)	6	(7)	9	(11)	12	(2)	3	(4)	5	(6)	7	(8)	11	(12)	10	(9)	8
2. SHIFNAL III	(9)	(1)	12	3	(4)	5	(6)	8	(10)	11	1	(12)	(3)	4	(5)	6	(7)	10	(11)	9	(8)	7
3. HINSTOCK	(8)	(11)	1	(2)	12	4	(5)	7	(9)	10	11	(1)	2	(12)	(4)	5	(6)	9	(10)	8	(7)	6
4. LUDLOW III	(7)	(10)	11	(1)	2	(3)	12	6	(8)	9	10	(11)	1	(2)	3	(12)	(5)	8	(9)	7	(6)	5
5. MONTGOMERY II	(6)	(9)	10	(11)	1	(2)	3	(12)	(7)	8	9	(10)	11	(1)	2	(3)	4	7	(8)	6	12	(4)
6. WHITTINGTON II	5	(8)	9	(10)	11	(1)	2	(4)	(12)	7	8	(9)	10	(11)	1	(2)	3	12	(7)	(5)	4	(3)
7. BRITISH SUGAR II	4	(12)	8	(9)	10	(11)	1	(3)	5	(6)	12	(8)	9	(10)	11	(1)	2	(5)	6	(4)	3	(2)
8. COUND II	3	6	(7)	(12)	9	(10)	11	(2)	4	(5)	(6)	7	12	(9)	10	(11)	1	(4)	5	(3)	2	(1)
9. WELSHPOOL II	2	5	(6)	7	(8)	(12)	10	(1)	3	(4)	(5)	6	(7)	8	12	(10)	11	(3)	4	(2)	1	(11)
10. BOMERE HEATH II	1	4	(5)	6	(7)	8	(9)	(11)	2	(3)	(4)	5	(6)	7	(8)	9	12	(2)	3	(1)	11	(12)
11. ACTON REYNALD II	12	3	(4)	5	(6)	7	(8)	10	1	(2)	(3)	4	(5)	6	(7)	8	(9)	1	2	(12)	(10)	9
12. WILLEY II	(11)	7	(2)	8	(3)	9	(4)	5	6	(1)	(7)	2	(8)	3	(9)	4	(10)	(6)	1	11	(5)	10

DIVISION SIX FIXTURES 2002

Home Games Bracketed ()

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT.												
1. CAE GLAS II	NG	(3)	4	(5)	6	(7)	8	(9)	10	NG	3	(4)	5	(6)	7	(8)	9	(10)
2. OSWESTRY IV	(9)	1	NG	10	4	(5)	6	(7)	8	9	(1)	NG	(10)	(4)	5	(6)	7	(8)
4. WELLINGTON IV	(8)	9	(1)	NG	(3)	10	5	(6)	7	8	(9)	1	NG	3	(10)	(5)	6	(7)
5. FORTON II	(7)	8	(9)	1	NG	3	(4)	(10)	6	7	(8)	9	(1)	NG	(3)	4	10	(6)
6. QUAYSIDE*	(10)	7	(8)	9	(1)	NG	(3)	4	(5)	10	(7)	8	(9)	1	NG	3	(4)	5
7. GUILSFIELD	5	(6)	(10)	8	(9)	1	NG	(3)	(4)	(5)	6	10	(8)	9	(1)	NG	(3)	4
8. LLANIDLOES II	4	(5)	6	(7)	(10)	9	(1)	NG	(3)	(4)	5	(6)	7	10	(9)	1	NG	3
9. WORFIELD II	3	(4)	5	(6)	7	(8)	(10)	1	NG	(3)	4	(5)	6	(7)	8	10	(1)	NG
10. TIBBERTON II	6	NG	7	(3)	8	(4)	9	5	(1)	(6)	NG	(7)	3	(8)	4	(9)	(5)	1

* formerly Unison (NALGO). NG = No Game (due to the late withdrawal of Church Stretton II from the League).

RULES AND PLAYING ARRANGEMENTS

1. GENERAL

The *Rules and Playing Arrangements* set out below apply to all Divisions of the Shropshire Cricket League and will continue in force until officially amended on the authority of the Management Committee of the League.

These Rules are binding on all players and clubs in the Shropshire Cricket League and the Management Committee may take action against defaulting clubs or players.

The subscription shall be £19.00 per team, to be paid to the Treasurer not later than 1st May, by Direct Debit or Standing Order if possible. (See also Rule 15.1.)

2. QUALIFICATION OF PLAYERS

2.1 All players in Shropshire Cricket League matches must be registered with the League.

2.2 A list of playing members from whom teams for the current season will be selected, must be submitted to the Registrations Secretary **not later than 31st May**. Failure to comply may mean that a team will accrue no points thereafter until the list of registered players is submitted.

2.2.1 Any additions to the list of playing members must normally be registered in writing with the Registrations Secretary before they play their first League match. Any transferred player must also comply with the provisions of rules 2.3.1 and 2.3.2.

2.2.2 In **exceptional circumstances** a player may be registered by 12 noon on the day of his first match by obtaining the verbal permission of the Registrations Secretary, or if he is not available, of any member of the Rules Sub-Committee.

2.2.3 New players may not normally be registered after 1st August. In **exceptional circumstances**, however, the Registrations Secretary may permit the registration of a player after the closing date.

2.2.4 Registrations made in accordance with Rule 2.2.2 or 2.2.3 must be confirmed in writing to the Registrations Secretary **within 5 days** of the match being played.

2.2.5 The 3rd and 4th teams of clubs whose senior teams play in other Leagues may use players from their 2nd team provided they are registered with the Shropshire Cricket League and Rules. 2.4.1 and 2.4.2 are compiled with.

2.3 Transfers

2.3.1 Any club wishing to transfer a player from another club, whether it be a member club of the Shropshire Cricket League or another League, must obtain the consent of the Registrations Secretary before he becomes eligible to play for his new club.

The player's new club shall complete an official Transfer Form, obtainable from the League Secretary, and shall forward the completed form, together with a letter from the player's previous club confirming that he has fulfilled his obligations to that club, to the Registrations Secretary; he may not play in a League match for his new club until permission has been granted.

2.3.2 No transfers will be permitted after 1st August unless **exceptional circumstances** apply.

2.4 Eligibility

2.4.1 A player who has played in 12 or more first team matches during the season shall not be allowed to play in any of the last three matches in a lower division without the approval of the Rules Sub-Committee.

2.4.2 A player who has played in a total of 12 or more first/second team matches during the season shall not be allowed to play in any of the last three matches in a lower division without the approval of the Rules Sub-Committee.

3. RULES FOR THE CONDUCT OF ALL MATCHES

3.1 A fixture list shall be issued by the League Fixtures Secretary and all matches shall take place on the appointed Saturday.

3.1.1 If a club wishes to play a match on a different date from the one published in the official fixture list **both** clubs must give written notice to the League Secretary not less than **ten days** before either the date shown in the official fixture list or the re-arranged date, whichever occurs first, and must obtain his permission before playing the match. Any infringement of this rule will result in the match being declared void.

3.1.2 No player shall take part in more than one match published in the official fixture list to be played on the same day; this condition shall apply also when one or more of those matches has been re-arranged in accordance with Rule 3.1.1.

3.2 Matches shall be played in accordance with the **Laws of Cricket (2000 Code)** with the following provisos:

(a) No underarm bowling shall be allowed in the League;

(b) Penalty runs (defined in Law 42) will not be awarded, except those accruing from:

- No balls;
- Wides;
- Ball striking protective helmet belonging to the fielding side whilst it is on the ground within the field of play (Law 41.3);
- Unfair fielding of the ball (Law 41.2).

3.3 The Management Committee shall have the powers to declare a match void if it deems it necessary and may award or deduct points at its discretion.

3.4 Any club which intends to call off a match for reasons other than provided for in Rule 10 shall cancel its 2nd team game in preference to that of its 1st team; and similarly with the 3rd and 4th teams of clubs whose senior teams play in other Leagues. (See also Rule 15.2.)

3.5 All clubs shall be responsible for the behaviour of their supporters at matches. Any inappropriate behaviour will be subject to investigation by the League and any necessary action will be taken against the offending club by the Discipline Sub-Committee.

4. HOURS AND CONDITIONS OF PLAY

4.1 All matches up to and including the second Saturday in August shall commence at 2.00 p.m. All matches played on or after the third Saturday in August shall commence at 1.00 p.m.

4.2 Prompt starts are essential and the toss for innings shall take place at least fifteen minutes before the scheduled starting time. In the event of a team not being able to comply, the opposing team may, if it so wishes, exercise the right to claim the toss. Clubs who arrive late without satisfactory explanation will be dealt with by the Management Committee, who may deduct points from the record of the offending club.

4.3 A match shall normally consist of 100 overs; however, the captains may agree to reduce the number of overs if, in their opinion, weather conditions so indicate. The minimum number of overs to constitute a match shall be 80.

4.4 The side batting first may receive a maximum of half of the allotted overs.

4.5 The side batting second shall utilise the balance of the overs not used by the side batting first. For this purpose the last over of the first innings shall be counted as a completed over.

4.6 In conjunction with the scorers, the umpires shall ensure that the recording of overs and runs is correctly made and adequately displayed at the end of each over.

4.7 Before the first ball of the last over of each innings, the umpires shall call "last over" clearly so that both sides understand.

4.8 Immediately upon the conclusion of each innings the scorers and umpires shall agree the accuracy of the recorded scores. The umpires' decision shall be final.

4.9 No match shall start later than 3 hours after the official starting time.

4.10 In all Divisions, teams must use at least four bowlers in their allotted overs, four of whom must bowl a minimum of four overs each. No bowler may bowl more than 20 overs.

5. INTERRUPTION OF PLAY

5.1 In the event of interference by weather, light or other unforeseen circumstances amounting to 30 minutes or more after the scheduled starting time, play shall cease at 8.30 p.m. (7.30 p.m. on or after the third Saturday in August) or on the completion of the final 20 overs, or on the completion of the number of overs that constitute that particular match, with the final 20 overs, as per the Laws of Cricket, commencing at 7.30 p.m. (6.30 p.m. on or after the third Saturday in August).

5.2 If an interruption of play occurs during the final 20 overs, the number of overs will be reduced by one over for every full three minutes lost and if the reduced number of overs is completed before 8.30 p.m. (7.30 p.m. on or after the third Saturday in August), and unless the number of overs constitutes the conclusion of the particular match, play will continue until 8.30 p.m. (7.30 p.m. on or after the third Saturday in August), or until the completion of the number of overs calculated to be bowled in the last hour, whichever shall be the later.

5.3 If the teams are off the field of play at the scheduled closing times detailed above, play shall be abandoned.

5.4 If the side batting second do not receive as many overs as the side batting first then the game shall be deemed to be "abandoned".

6. ALLOCATION OF POINTS

A maximum of 20 points are available per side, 10 of which are bonus points: 5 batting, 5 bowling.

Bowling bonus points: 1 point for every 2 wickets taken (2, 4, 6, 8 and after that, last wicket).

Batting bonus points: 1 point for reaching 100, 125, 150, 175, up to a maximum of 5 points on reaching 200 runs.

Win: 20 points awarded (includes maximum bonus points).

Lose: Bonus points only.

Draw: Bonus points for both sides, plus 10 points divided between the teams, as follows (points for side batting first are shown first):-

5-5 if the scores are tied;

6-4 if 90% or more of the first innings total is scored;

7-3 if 80% or more of the first innings total is scored;

8-2 if 70% or more of the first innings total is scored;

9-1 if 60% or more of the first innings total is scored;

10-0 if less than 60% of the first innings total is scored.

Abandoned: Three points to each side plus bonus points.

Not Started: Three points to each side.

In the event of a declaration only wickets taken qualify for bowling bonus points. When calculating bowling bonus points, the wicket of a batsman who has "Retired, Not Out" (as defined in Law 2.9) has not fallen.

7. THE BALL

In all Divisions, two new balls, specified by and purchased through the League, shall be used in each game. Each team shall provide one ball.

If a ball is lost it shall be the responsibility of the fielding side to provide a suitable replacement.

The cost of League balls shall be notified to member clubs and payment shall be made to the Treasurer by the due date. (See also Rule 15.3.)

8. UMPIRES AND SCORERS

8.1 Teams shall endeavour to provide an umpire and a scorer in all League games.

8.2 If one side provides an umpire and the other does not, that one umpire shall be the official umpire for the match and shall stand at the bowler's end throughout the match.

8.3 Umpires are encouraged to comment to the League Secretary on the co-operation of teams and captains.

9. PITCHES

9.1 Matches will normally be played on grass pitches. In exceptional circumstances the League may consent to a team playing all its home matches on an artificial pitch.

9.2 A match may be played on an artificial pitch, by agreement between the captains, when conditions would otherwise prevent the game being played.

9.3 Before the toss is made, the home captain should advise his opposite number whether covers are available.

10. CANCELLATION OF MATCHES

In the event of any ground being unfit for play owing to weather or other circumstances it shall be the responsibility of the home club to inform the visiting club of this fact. (See also Rule 3.4.)

This should be carried out on the day of the match **not before 11.00 a.m.**, and **not later than 12.00 noon** (10.00 a.m. and 11.00 a.m. from the third Saturday in August).

11. NOTIFICATION OF RESULTS

11.1 It shall be the responsibility of the home club to complete an official League Score Sheet. The Score Sheet shall contain full details of the game, including the names of ALL players, and shall be signed by both captains and, where appropriate, the umpires.

11.2 The Score Sheet must be posted (by First Class Post) to the League Secretary before the last collection time on the Monday following the match. Alternatively the Score Sheet may be faxed not later than 12 noon on the Tuesday following the match. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in points being deducted from the offending club.

Notes: 1 Clubs should make every effort to notify the result of their game to the media in time for publication.

2 Captains should ensure that players are consistently and uniquely listed on the Score Sheet; this is to assist the League in correctly identifying players for its records.

3 Even though a match is abandoned without a ball being bowled the **home team** must still send a Score Sheet to the League Secretary.

12. PROTEST

12.1 Any protest shall be lodged with the League Secretary by the Club Secretary (or other authorised club official) in writing within four days following the match.

12.2 A copy of such protest shall be sent to the club against whom the protest is made.

12.3 Each protest is to be accompanied by a fee of £10 which shall be forfeited if the Disputes Sub-Committee deems the protest to be trivial.

12.4 The club sustaining the protest or objection may have points added to its total points gained, but such points shall not exceed the maximum for a win. (See also Rule 3.3.)

12.5 When making a protest clubs shall state under which rule the protest is being made.

12.6 Clubs or players who are the subject of protests or disputes may be required to attend the hearing of that protest or dispute.

12.7 Any fine exceeding £20, any ban exceeding two weeks or any award or deduction of points exceeding 20, must first be endorsed by the Management Committee.

12.8 Any protest which arises from interpretation of the Laws of Cricket shall be referred to the appropriate national body for settlement and their decision shall be final; in all other matters the decision of the League shall be final.

13. APPEALS

- 13.1 A club may appeal against any decision of the Disputes Sub-Committee; such appeal will be heard by the Appeals Sub-Committee as constituted by the Management Committee.
- 13.2 Any appeal shall be lodged with the League Secretary by the Club Secretary (or other authorised club official) in writing within 14 days of the Disputes Sub-Committee's decision being notified to them.
- 13.3 A copy of the appeal shall be sent to any other club involved in the protest.
- 13.4 The appeal shall be accompanied by a fee of £20 as a contribution towards the costs of hearing the appeal. The Appeals Sub-Committee may at its discretion retain or refund all or part of the fee.
- 13.5 The appeal must include a full statement explaining why it is being lodged.
- 13.6 The club will be permitted to have two representatives to present its case at the hearing; the Appeals Sub-Committee may require clubs/officials to attend the hearing.
- 13.7 The Appeals Sub-Committee is empowered to over-rule the decision of the Disputes Sub-Committee. Any fine exceeding, £20, any ban exceeding two weeks or any award or deduction of points exceeding 20, must first be endorsed by the Management Committee.

14. LEAGUE POSITIONAL PLACINGS

In the event of two or more teams finishing the season on the same number of points, the following criteria shall be applied successively to determine final placings:

1. The highest number of wins;
2. The lowest number of defeats;
3. The number of points gained by the teams in matches played between them during the season;
4. The highest number of wickets taken in the season and;
5. The highest number of runs scored in the season.

15. FINES AND SURCHARGES

- 15.1 Any club which has not paid its subscription by the due date (see Rule 1) shall be liable to a surcharge of £5 per team for every month or part of a month that it is in arrears.
- 15.2 Any club which fails to fulfil a League fixture shall be fined £10 for each offence.
- 15.3 Any club which has not paid for its allocation of League balls by the due date (see Rule 7) shall be liable to a surcharge of £10 per team.
- 15.4 Any club which does not return a trophy when requested will be fined. If any trophy is found to be damaged or requires cleaning when returned, the offending club will be invoiced with the cost of the renovation work.
- 15.5 If a club fails to pay any fine or surcharge within 14 days of the due date, points will also be deducted.

DANGEROUS AND UNFAIR BOWLING (LAW 42)

The Laws of Cricket (2000 Code) have re-defined Dangerous and Unfair Bowling and amended the penalties.

Law 42.6 (a) – Bowling of fast short pitched balls.

1. The bowling of **fast short pitched balls** is dangerous and unfair if the umpire at the bowler's end considers that by their repetition and taking into account their length, height and direction they are likely to inflict physical injury on the striker, irrespective of the protective equipment he may be wearing. The relative skill and age of the striker shall also be taken into consideration.
2. Any delivery which, after pitching, passes or would have passed above head height of the striker standing upright at the crease, **although not threatening physical injury**, is deemed to be unfair and the umpire shall call and signal "No Ball".

Law 42.6 (b) – Bowling of high full pitched balls.

1. Any delivery, other than a slow paced one, which passes or would have passed on the full above waist height of the striker standing upright at the crease is dangerous and unfair, whether or not it is likely to inflict physical injury on the striker.

2. A **slow delivery** which passes or would have passed on the full above shoulder height of the striker standing upright at the crease is dangerous and unfair, whether or not it is likely to inflict physical injury on the striker.

Law 42.7 – Dangerous and unfair bowling – action by the umpire.

1. In the event of Dangerous and/or Unfair Bowling, the umpire shall call and signal "No Ball" and issue a caution to the bowler and the captain.
2. In the event of repetition, the umpire shall additionally inform the bowler that this is a final warning.
3. In the event of further repetition, the umpire shall additionally instruct the captain to take off the bowler forthwith, the over being completed by another player. The bowler shall not bowl again in that match and the umpire shall report the incident to the League Secretary.

Law 42.8 – Deliberate bowling of high full pitched balls.

If the umpire considers that a high full pitched ball was bowled deliberately, he shall call and signal "No Ball" and shall instruct the captain to take the bowler off forthwith, i.e. without going through the procedure of issuing warnings, etc. (as in Law 42.7). The bowler shall not bowl again in that match and the umpire shall report the incident to the League Secretary.

Law 25 – Wide Ball.

It should be noted that a ball which passes "so high over the wicket that, in the opinion of the umpire, it passes out of reach of the striker" will no longer be a "Wide". It will be called and signalled "No Ball" and Law 42.7 (or 42.8) will apply.

SAFETY GUIDANCE ON THE WEARING OF CRICKET HELMETS BY YOUNG PLAYERS

The England and Wales Cricket Board's safety guidelines on the wearing of cricket helmets by young players are as follows:

- It is recommended that a helmet is worn by young players when batting and when standing up to the stumps when keeping wicket against a hard cricket ball in matches and in practice.
 - A young player should not be allowed to bat or to stand up to the stumps when keeping wicket without a helmet against a hard ball except with written parental consent. Coaches, teachers, managers and umpires should always ensure that a young player wears a helmet if this written parental consent has not been received.
 - Players should regard a helmet with a faceguard as a normal item of protective equipment when batting against a hard ball, together with pads, gloves and, for boys, an abdominal protector (box).
 - There is a British Standard (BS7928:1998) for cricket helmets and it is in the best interests of players to ensure that their helmet conforms to this standard.
- The ECB is recommending that this guidance is followed by all players up to the age of 18. It applies to young players in adult cricket as well as to all junior cricket played with a hard cricket ball. The ECB is requesting that the new guidance is communicated to the parents or guardians of all young players through clubs and schools, and that parental consent is always obtained before young players are allowed to bat or stand up to the stumps when keeping wicket against a hard ball without wearing a helmet.
- The ECB has also extended the existing regulations covering the minimum fielding distances for young players in all matches where a hard ball is used.
- No young player in the Under 15 age group or younger shall be allowed to field closer than 8 yards (7.3 metres) from the middle stump, except behind the wicket on the off side, until the batsman has played at the ball.
 - For players in the Under 13 age group and below the distance is 11 yards (10 metres).
 - These minimum distances apply even if the player is wearing a helmet.
 - Should a young player in these age groups come within the restricted distance the umpire must stop the game immediately and instruct the fielder to move back.
 - In addition any young player in the Under 16 to Under 18 age groups, who has not reached the age of 18, must wear a helmet and, for boys, an abdominal protector (box) when fielding within 6 yards (5.5 metres) of the bat, except behind the wicket on the off side. Players should wear appropriate protective equipment whenever they are fielding in a position where they feel at risk.
 - These fielding regulations are applicable to all cricket in England and Wales. Age groups are based on the age of the player at midnight on 31st August in the year preceding the current season.
- More details from Frank Kemp on 020 7432 1216, e-mail frank.kemp@ecb.co.uk

ECB FAST BOWLING MATCH DIRECTIVES

Issued March 2002. For any subsequent changes visit www.play-cricket.com

Age	Max. overs per spell	Max. overs per day
Up to 13	4 overs per spell	8 overs per day
U14, U15	5 overs per spell	10 overs per day
U16, U17	6 overs per spell	18 overs per day
U19	7 overs per spell	21 overs per day

For the purpose of these Directives a fast bowler should be defined as a bowler to whom a wicket keeper in the same age group would in normal circumstances stand back to take the ball.

Having completed a spell the bowler cannot bowl again, from either end, until the equivalent number of overs to the length of his* spell have been bowled from the same end. A bowler can change ends without ending his current spell provided that he bowls the next over that he legally can from the other end. If this does not happen his spell is deemed to be concluded. If play is interrupted, for any reason, for less than 40 minutes any spell in progress at the time of the interruption can be continued after the interruption up to the maximum number of overs per spell for the appropriate age group. If the spell is not continued after the interruption the bowler cannot bowl again, from either end, until the equivalent number of overs to the length of his spell before the interruption have been bowled from the same end. If the interruption is of 40 minutes or more, whether scheduled or not, the bowler can commence a new spell immediately.

Once a bowler covered by these Directives has bowled in a match he cannot exceed the maximum number of overs per day for his age group even if he subsequently bowls spin. He can exceed the maximum overs per spell if bowling spin, but cannot then revert to bowling fast until an equivalent number of overs to the length of his spell have been bowled from the same end. If he bowls spin without exceeding the maximum number of overs in a spell the maximum will apply as soon as he reverts to bowling fast.

Captains, Team Managers and Umpires are asked to ensure that these Directives are followed at all times.

* Any reference to helhis should be interpreted to include shelter.

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* John Bridgwater reports on Mid-Wales clubs for the *Shropshire Star* and the *Daily Post*.

2001 HONOURS

DIVISION ONE	Champions Runners-up	Market Drayton Whittington
DIVISION TWO	Champions Runners-up	Cound Knockin & Kinnerley
DIVISION THREE	Champions Runners-up	Cae Glas Harcourt
DIVISION FOUR	Champions Runners-up	Frankton II Wellington III
DIVISION FIVE	Champions Runners-up	Lilleshall II St Georges III
DIVISION SIX	Champions Runners-up	Hinstock Market Drayton II
DIVISION SEVEN	Champions Runners-up	Cae Glas II Tibberton II
KNOCKOUT CUP	Winners Runners-up	Tibberton Llanidloes
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1998 Broseley	Montgomery		
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1997 Albrighton	Frankton	2001 Lilleshall II	St Georges III
		2000 Bridgnorth III	Newtown II
DIVISION TWO		1999 Newtown II	Guilsfield
2001 Cound	Knockin & Kinnerley	1998 Shelton II	Condover II
2000 Acton Reynald	Pontesbury		
1999 Newtown	Llanidloes	DIVISION SIX	
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1997 Tibberton	Telford Muslims	2000 Montgomery II	Welshpool II
		1999 Llanidloes II	Worfield II
DIVISION THREE		1998 Iscoyd & Fenns Bk II	Montgomery II
2001 Cae Glas	Harcourt		
2000 Much Wenlock	Knockin	DIVISION SEVEN	
1999 Quatt	Church Stretton	2001 Cae Glas II	Tibberton II
1998 Condover	Newtown	2000 Church Stretton II	Alberbury II
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2001 Frankton II	Wellington III	1997 Acton Reynald II	Shelton II
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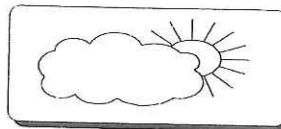
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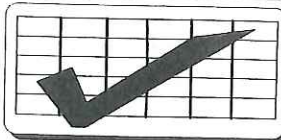
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The Umpire Panel is organised by the Shropshire Association of Cricket Umpires and admission to the list is dependent upon satisfactory attendance at its training courses.

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DIVISION ONE STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Market Drayton	16	12	2	1	1	282
Whittington	15	9	4	2	0	256
Tibberton	15	8	5	0	2	255
Shelton	16	5	7	3	1	186
British Sugar	15	6	1	7	1	180
Frankton	16	5	3	5	3	172
Montgomery	15	2	5	6	2	158
Llanidloes	15	2	7	6	0	158
Worfield	16	3	5	6	2	145
Pontesbury	15	1	2	11	1	98
Acton Reynald	15	1	5	7	3	93

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team: 285-1	Frankton v. British Sugar	9 June
Lowest Total by Team: 51 all out	Worfield v. Market Drayton	15 September

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (8)

140	G. Litchfield	Whittington v Acton Reynald	25 August
135*	Russell Evans	Frankton v British Sugar	9 June
135	D. Nock	Tibberton v Whittington	7 July
113*	Steve Brunt	Whittington v Shelton	28 July
105	M. Whitney	British Sugar v Montgomery	7 July
103*	D. Griffiths	British Sugar v Tibberton	14 July
103	I. Seedhouse	Worfield v Montgomery	11 August
101	D. Walker	Tibberton v Shelton	15 September

Bowlers Taking 7 or More Wickets (5)

R. Yewdall	9-38	Montgomery v Pontesbury	8 September
D. McKenzie	9-41	Market Drayton v Acton Reynald	28 July
D. McKenzie	8-32	Market Drayton v Shelton	8 September
D. McKenzie	8-36	Market Drayton v British Sugar	21 July
W. Moores	7-48	Worfield v. Frankton	30 June

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DIVISION ONE AVERAGES 2001

BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 29)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
D. NOCK	Tibberton	12	5	135*	602	86.00
D. MCKENZIE	Market Drayton	14	4	84	600	60.00
S. DAVIS	Frankton	10	3	124*	418	59.71
G. LITCHFIELD	Whittington	14	2	140	687	57.25
I. SEEDHOUSE	Worfield	13	4	103	493	54.77
E. McCARNEY	Tibberton	12	4	73	361	45.12
D. HAYWARD	British Sugar	15	4	109*	462	42.00
STEVE BRUNT	Whittington	11	2	113*	355	39.44
G. COOK	Tibberton	14	2	81	451	37.59
J. THOMPSTONE	Market Drayton	10	5	72*	180	36.00
D. BRADBURN	Whittington	11	1	74*	358	35.80
RUSSELL EVANS	Frankton	13	2	135*	391	35.55
S. HART	Montgomery	12	1	66	383	34.81
P. MOCHAN	Acton Reynald	11	1	78	348	34.80
ROB KINSEY	Montgomery	11	0	68	378	34.36
D. WALKER	Tibberton	10	1	101	296	32.88
LEE DAVIES	Montgomery	13	3	59*	300	32.10
J. ALLEN	British Sugar	11	2	58	272	30.22
T. CLARE	British Sugar	15	4	76*	324	29.45

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 23)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
D. MCKENZIE	Market Drayton	232	50	628	72	9-41	8.72
R. DAVIES	Market Drayton	101	22	298	20	4-28	14.90
S. WILSON	Pontesbury	143.2	39	337	22	6-35	15.31
A. CADWALLADER	Shelton	113	18	359	23	6-42	15.60
D. ASHLIN	Whittington	143	42	346	21	4-15	16.47
R. SWALLOW	Llanidloes	161	41	417	24	5-37	17.37
ROB JONES	Llanidloes	128.4	27	348	20	3-21	17.40
ROB KINSEY	Montgomery	161.4	47	465	25	5-30	18.60
P. MOCHAN	Acton Reynald	156	32	449	24	4-48	18.70
W. MOORES	Worfield	147.3	34	460	24	7-48	19.16
G. COOK	Tibberton	133	24	434	22	6-59	19.72
STEVE BRUNT	Whittington	134	22	495	25	5-69	19.80
T. BRENTNALL	British Sugar	255.3	60	728	35	6-56	20.80
E. McCARNEY	Tibberton	147.5	24	528	25	5-47	21.12
S. GRIFFITHS	Shelton	169.3	49	488	23	5-37	21.22
J. HACKETT	Frankton	169	38	519	24	5-43	21.62
B. WHITLEY	Whittington	181	31	595	27	6-65	22.03
T. BEARDMORE	Worfield	181.5	32	597	27	4-43	22.11

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DIVISION TWO STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Cound	17	11	3	3	0	263
Knockin & Kinnersley	17	10	4	2	1	261
Trysull & Seisdon	17	8	4	4	1	238
Condover	17	9	1	6	1	231
Lilleshall	17	6	4	6	1	206
Quatt	17	3	10	3	1	192
Bomere Heath	17	5	5	5	2	186
Alberbury	17	4	4	8	1	184
Church Stretton	17	4	4	8	1	159
Much Wenlock	17	3	5	8	1	155
Welshpool	17	4	5	6	2	154
Forton	17	2	3	10	2	115

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team:		
299-7	Lilleshall v. Church Stretton	9 June
Lowest Total by Team:		
76	Church Stretton v. Trysull & Seisdon	25 August

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (6)

154	Kevin Smith	Condover v. Bomere Heath	22 September
121*	Kevin Smith	Condover v. Cound	7 July
121	A. Eley	Much Wenlock v. Welshpool	28 July
111	G. Trow	Cound v. Trysull & Seisdon	30 June
110	G. Bradley	Much Wenlock v. Cound	23 June
105	S. Bradbury	Knockin & Kinnersley v. Lilleshall	1 September

Bowlers Taking 7 Wickets or More (6)

T. Corkindale	8-41	Trysull & Seisdon v. Church Stretton	25 August
H. Morris	8-46	Knockin & Kinnersley v. Trysull & Seisdon	22 September
Steve Bate	8-52	Lilleshall v. Forton	25 August
T. Corkindale	7-65	Trysull & Seisdon v. Lilleshall	21 July
Steve Bate	7-68	Lilleshall v. Much Wenlock	7 July
Greg Jones	7-68	Welshpool v. Church Stretton	7 July

DIVISION TWO AVERAGES 2001

BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 27)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
J. WIGLEY	Bomere Heath	14	4	78	622	62.20
K. SMITH	Condover	16	2	154	747	53.35
G. TROW	Cound	17	1	111	769	48.06
BARRY JONES	Quatt	14	4	72	465	46.50
R. HIGGINSON	Knockin & Kinnerley	12	5	57	314	44.85
M. KHAN	Trysull & Seisdon	13	1	92	496	41.33
STEVE PERKS	Much Wenlock	16	4	85*	487	40.58
A. LITTLE	Alberbury	13	4	72*	358	39.77
A. GRIFFITHS	Cound	15	2	64	498	38.30
M. CRAWSHAW	Alberbury	16	1	75*	558	37.20
B. THOMAS	Knockin & Kinnerley	14	2	84	426	35.50
S. DRINKWATER	Lilleshall	11	2	82*	311	34.55
T. CORKINDALE	Trysull & Seisdon	12	2	92	343	34.30
H. MORRIS	Knockin & Kinnerley	10	5	29*	156	31.20
D. BRADLEY	Much Wenlock	14	1	110	402	30.92
A. ELEY	Much Wenlock	14	0	121	431	30.78
A. DENVER	Lilleshall	11	4	49*	206	29.42
S. NUTTING	Condover	11	4	77	206	29.42
M. NICHOLLS	Church Stretton	13	0	99	379	29.15
M. DAVIES	Knockin & Kinnerley	10	0	56	283	28.30
ADAM EVANS	Quatt	13	2	64*	307	27.90

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 23)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
I. DAY	Condover	92.5	19	313	24	4-21	13.04
BARRY JONES	Quatt	159	38	385	28	4-19	13.75
H. MORRIS	Knockin & Kinnerley	164.1	44	447	32	8-46	13.96
J. MACKERETH	Condover	141	32	415	26	6-35	15.19
T. CORKINDALE	Trysull & Seisdon	235.1	65	702	45	8-41	15.60
J. HARRIS	Condover	161.5	35	532	34	6-29	15.64
S. BATE	Lilleshall	133.3	36	521	33	8-52	15.78
P. MORGAN	Knockin & Kinnerley	133.2	29	420	26	4-21	16.15
CRAIG JONES	Quatt	215.1	31	709	43	6-65	16.48
D. PERKS	Much Wenlock	121.2	25	444	26	5-46	17.07
A. LITTLE	Alberbury	179.5	39	551	31	5-59	17.77
M. BROWN	Cound	192.5	34	699	39	6-50	17.92
EDDIE SMITH	Church Stretton	161	31	520	27	6-34	19.25
ROYSTON EVANS	Cound	169.2	34	587	30	6-47	19.56
A. BATE	Lilleshall	128	23	481	24	4-50	20.04
D. PADDOCK	Knockin & Kinnerley	143	25	488	24	6-45	20.33
S. MONK	Welshpool	174.2	37	561	27	4-53	20.77
ADAM WILLIAMS	Cound	206.4	40	647	31	3-26	20.87
M. NICHOLLS	Church Stretton	116	29	456	20	5-78	22.80

DIVISION THREE STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Cae Glas	15	10	4	1	0	288
Harcourt	16	9	3	3	1	235
Bishop's Castle	16	9	2	3	2	223
Shelton II	16	6	4	4	2	199
Hodnet & Peplow	15	3	4	7	1	180
Oswestry III	16	5	2	5	4	172
Willey	15	5	1	6	3	159
Chelmarsh	15	4	1	9	1	139
Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	15	3	4	7	1	135
Ellesmere	16	3	2	9	2	115
Bromfield	15	3	2	8	2	97

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team: 276-1	Oswestry III v. Hodnet & Peplow	30 June
Lowest Total by Team: 35	Hodnet & Peplow v. Harcourt	22 September

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (4)

134*	B. Jones	Oswestry III v. Hodnet & Peplow	30 June
112*	R. Jarrett	Harcourt v. Cae Glas	9 June
109*	S. Holloway	Oswestry III v. Hodnet & Peplow	30 June
108	P. Matthews	Shelton II v. Ellesmere	1 September

Bowlers Taking 7 Wickets or More (3)

M. Owen	7-18	Harcourt v. Hodnet & Peplow	22 September
S. Humphreys	7-31	Harcourt v. Bromfield	15 September
Rhys Davies	7-37	Bishop's Castle v. Ellesmere	14 July

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DIVISION THREE AVERAGES 2001

BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 21)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
P. DAVIES	Shelton II	10	3	95*	346	49.42
A. DARLINGTON	Ellesmere	12	2	93*	392	39.20
R. JARRETT	Harcourt	12	2	112*	368	36.80
A. GRIFFITHS	Cae Glas	13	3	83*	350	35.00
S. OAKLEY	Cae Glas	10	1	89	306	34.00
R. FIFIELD	Bishop's Castle	13	4	62*	303	33.66
A. CRUMP	Bromfield	11	1	62	330	33.00
A. LEWIS	Bishop's Castle	12	4	55*	250	31.25
J. LLOYD	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	11	0	73	329	29.90
D. FARRELL	Harcourt	13	2	79*	324	29.45
B. MANAGH	Hodnet & Peplow	11	3	56*	225	28.12
R. WHATELEY	Bishop's Castle	11	1	64	281	28.10
R. WALKER	Shelton II	11	0	95	294	26.72
P. CRESWELL	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	11	0	58	240	21.81
E. WILLIAMS	Bishop's Castle	10	2	46	169	21.13

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 19)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
S. PALMER	Bishop's Castle	70	15	191	20	6-44	9.55
R. WALKER	Shelton II	83.2	16	252	24	5-21	10.50
B. MANAGH	Hodnet & Peplow	145.4	47	325	30	6-36	10.83
STEVE MORRIS	Bishop's Castle	89.5	22	276	25	5-41	11.04
NEIL HUMPHRIES	Hodnet & Peplow	141.5	43	386	33	6-25	11.69
M. MORRIS	Cae Glas	124.5	30	271	23	4-32	11.78
N. BROADBENT	Cae Glas	110.4	15	374	29	4-8	12.89
R. LANGFORD	Bishop's Castle	87.3	10	324	24	4-3	13.50
SHAUN HUMPHREYS	Harcourt	177.4	41	527	34	7-31	15.50
P. CRESWELL	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	104.5	16	425	27	5-45	15.74
R. WILLIAMS	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	86	17	337	20	5-27	16.85
RHYS DAVIES	Bishop's Castle	141.1	20	444	26	7-37	17.07
S. OWEN	Harcourt	141.3	25	488	28	5-66	17.42
J. HAYWARD	Willey	125.1	32	406	23	6-38	17.65
J. BENNETT	Ellesmere	159.4	39	485	26	5-24	18.65

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DIVISION FOUR STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Frankton II	17	11	2	2	2	262
Wellington III	17	8	4	3	2	241
Overton-on-Dee	17	9	3	4	1	237
Condover II	17	8	3	4	2	231
Shrewsbury III	17	7	3	6	1	210
Church Aston	17	6	3	5	3	179
Sinclair	17	4	3	8	2	162
Pontesbury II	17	4	3	9	1	162
Newport III	17	4	3	9	1	161
Hanwood	17	4	3	8	2	157
Bridgnorth III	17	5	2	7	3	156
Trysull & Seisdon II	17	3	6	8	0	153

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team: 283-3	Overton-on-Dee v. Hanwood	15 September
Lowest Total by Team: 53	Trysull & Seisdon II v. Frankton II	16 June

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (8)

168*	J. James	Frankton II v. Trysull & Seisdon II	16 June
127	Adam Harris	Hanwood v. Trysull & Seisdon II	11 August
124*	Rob Lawrence	Overton-on-Dee v. Hanwood	15 September
114	S. Nicholls	Wellington III v. Pontesbury II	16 June
114	Doug Reynolds	Shrewsbury III v. Bridgnorth III	30 June
104*	Elwyn Jones	Frankton II v. Hanwood	1 September
103*	J. Gillison	Overton-on-Dee v. Trysull & Seisdon II	4 August
101*	R. Foxall	Bridgnorth III v. Newport III	28 July

Bowlers Taking 7 Wickets or More (6)

R. Watkins	8-30	Newport III v. Wellington III	25 August
I. Clarke	8-39	Newport III v. Hanwood	22 July
L. Evans	8-40	Pontesbury II v. Trysull & Seisdon II	8 September
C. Cox	7-32	Pontesbury II v. Condover II	25 August
R. Chapman	7-35	Shrewsbury III v. Sinclair	23 June
J. Parry	7-51	Frankton II v. Bridgnorth III	7 July

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DIVISION FOUR AVERAGES 2001

BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 24)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
ELWYN JONES	Frankton II	12	6	104*	577	96.16
D. FAULKNER	Newport III	10	3	86*	380	54.29
D. TAYLOR	Wellington III	13	1	97	563	46.91
D. HARDGRAVE	Condover II	11	1	88*	452	45.20
J. ASHTON	Hanwood	14	5	68*	392	43.55
ROB LAWRENSON	Overton-on-Dee	11	2	124*	367	40.77
A. HARRIS	Hanwood	13	1	127	476	39.66
DAVE REYNOLDS	Shrewsbury III	15	0	114	584	38.93
DOUG REYNOLDS	Shrewsbury III	13	2	85*	414	37.63
N. HAJDASZ	Church Aston	10	2	65	288	36.00
MIKE LAWRENSON	Overton-on-Dee	12	1	86	395	35.90
P. PITCHER	Bridgnorth III	12	1	60*	366	33.27
I. LAWRENCE	Trysull & Seisdon II	16	2	90*	454	32.42
R. ANDERSON	Newport III	14	4	62*	322	32.20
C. BRAMWELL	Sinclair	14	1	70	398	30.61
S. NICHOLLS	Wellington III	12	0	114	357	29.75
H. ROBINSON	Pontesbury II	12	2	76*	290	29.00
C. COX	Pontesbury II	10	0	61	282	28.20
D. McCLEAN	Sinclair	13	3	54*	281	28.10
P. COX	Pontesbury II	12	1	53	280	25.45
D. McINTOSH	Sinclair	10	0	47	254	25.40
S. BERESFORD	Church Aston	10	2	71	201	25.12
R. HUCKFIELD	Condover II	11	3	74*	200	25.00

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 20)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
L. EVANS	Pontesbury II	130.2	29	362	29	8-40	12.48
P. CURZON	Frankton II	139	29	301	24	5-14	12.54
M. HAFFENDEN	Condover II	136	36	329	24	6-36	13.70
ROB LAWRENSON	Overton-on-Dee	138.2	35	321	23	5-22	13.95
R. WATKINS	Newport III	91	8	340	24	8-30	14.16
R. CHAPMAN	Shrewsbury III	201	53	485	34	7-35	14.26
D. PUGH	Condover II	85	11	329	23	5-52	14.30
M. WILLIAMS	Shrewsbury III	163.4	48	429	29	5-46	14.79
S. MOORE	Hanwood	164	29	537	34	4-15	15.79
NEIL WOOLLEY	Overton-on-Dee	196	40	583	30	5-32	19.43

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DIVISION FIVE STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Lilleshall II	17	10	2	3	2	256
St. Georges III	17	11	1	3	2	249
Witley II	17	8	5	2	2	233
Ludlow III	17	4	4	6	3	208
Bomere Heath II	17	6	8	1	2	200
Montgomery II	17	5	6	4	2	194
M.E.B.	17	6	3	5	3	183
Whittington II	17	4	5	6	2	177
Acton Reynald II	17	3	5	8	1	170
Shifnal III	17	3	5	6	3	147
British Sugar II	17	1	3	10	3	97
Welshpool II	17	2	1	9	5	83

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team: 290-5	Acton Reynald II v. British Sugar II	30 June
Lowest Total by Team: 58	M.E.B. v. St Georges III	15 September

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (6)

116	M. Cadwallader	Montgomery II v. Shifnal III	25 August
108*	M. Denton	M.E.B. v. Bomere Heath II	23 June
106*	R. Gemmill	Lilleshall II v. Shifnal III	9 June
104	T. Davies	Acton Reynald II v. British Sugar II	30 June
102*	R. Terry	Whittington II v. Welshpool II	15 July
100*	T. Fleet	Whittington II v. Montgomery II	1 September

Bowlers Taking 7 Wickets or More (3)

T. Hyde	8-42	Witley II v. M.E.B.	7 July
D. Bell	8-56	Shifnal III v. British Sugar II	15 September
H. Mullinder	7-51	St Georges III v. M.E.B.	16 June

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BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 24)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
C. COUSINS	St. Georges III	11	4	62*	323	46.14
J. STEER	Lilleshall II	14	3	81	498	45.27
T. MORLAND	Acton Reynald II	11	1	71	417	41.70
D. HERN	Ludlow III	12	2	94	407	40.70
K. PRICE	Lilleshall II	12	3	72*	358	39.77
B. HOLLYHEAD	Shifnal III	10	1	90	337	37.44
I. FORT	Whittington II	11	2	76*	297	33.00
J. BARKER	Montgomery II	10	1	76	284	31.55
M. BURGOYNE	Ludlow III	14	0	70	410	29.28
E. BIRCH	Welshpool II	10	3	48	201	28.71
M. COALES	Bomere Heath II	11	0	65	315	28.63
S. BURGOYNE	Ludlow III	10	1	54*	250	27.77
K. JONES	Montgomery II	11	2	56	226	25.11
M. HAWES	Ludlow III	11	3	50*	199	24.87

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 20)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
T. HYDE	Witley II	194.5	55	454	35	8-42	12.97
M. MULLINDER	St. Georges III	188.3	42	560	43	7-51	13.02
J. DAVIS	M.E.B.	93.1	24	285	21	5-47	13.57
A. GOUGH	Witley II	97.2	14	335	24	4-14	13.95
M. BUSH	Bomere Heath II	115.5	18	434	31	5-19	14.00
W. EPHRAIM	Ludlow III	105	11	398	28	5-55	14.21
J. MORRIS	St. Georges III	127.1	15	447	31	5-16	14.41
A. POTTER	Lilleshall II	124.5	35	363	25	5-38	14.52
S. EVANS	Lilleshall II	177	40	603	37	5-38	16.29
C. JONES	Montgomery II	138.5	26	431	24	6-63	17.95
J. FLEET	Whittington II	116	16	392	21	4-38	18.66
M. LEWIS	Whittington II	167.3	31	480	25	4-8	19.20

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DIVISION SIX STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Hinstock	17	11	4	2	0	296
Market Drayton II	17	10	5	1	1	273
Cound II	17	8	4	4	1	225
Guilfield	17	8	3	5	1	221
Forton II	17	8	2	6	1	195
Worfield II	17	6	2	9	0	174
Llanidloes II	17	6	2	7	2	171
UNISON	17	5	2	7	3	160
Wellington IV	17	6	0	11	0	157
Oswestry IV	17	4	3	8	2	153
Church Stretton II	17	2	4	10	1	127
Wem III	17	3	4	8	2	119

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team:		
298-5	Hinstock v. Church Stretton II	30 June
Lowest Total by Team:		
48	Wem III v. Market Drayton II	23 June

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (9)

152*	M. Hughes	Guilfield v. Forton II	7 July
139	Dave Owen	Llanidloes II v. Oswestry IV	28 July
132	R. Beaman	Oswestry IV v. Market Drayton II	30 June
107	P. Booth	Market Drayton II v. Oswestry IV	30 June
107	Dave Owen	Llanidloes II v. Church Stretton II	9 June
105	S. Gauge	Oswestry IV v. Church Stretton II	4 August
104	B. Hunt	Cound II v. Wem III	2 June
102*	B. Jones	Oswestry IV v. Wellington IV	14 July
101	P. Cowell	Cound II v. Market Drayton II	14 July

Bowlers Taking 7 Wickets or More (9)

P. Byrne	8-28	Market Drayton II v. Worfield II	16 June
J. Breese	7-21	Llanidloes II v. Church Stretton II	11 August
Neil Williams	7-34	UNISON v. Forton II	1 September
B. Davidson	7-37	Guilfield v. Llanidloes II	21 July
C. Field	7-41	Wellington IV v. Forton II	4 August
T. Cliffe	7-43	Cound II v. Wem III	4 August
C. Finch	7-56	Worfield II v. Wem III	30 June
J. Lea	7-62	Hinstock v. Guilfield	28 July
T. Cliffe	7-78	Cound II v. Oswestry IV	11 August

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BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 22)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
R. BEAMAN	Oswestry IV	10	3	132	532	76.00
K. BROWN	Wem III	10	3	138*	464	66.28
M. HUGHES	Guilfield	13	6	152*	410	58.57
D. TAYLOR	Worfield II	13	1	76	587	48.91
P. BOOTH	Market Drayton II	11	2	107	398	44.22
R. TOMKINS	Cound II	10	2	89*	341	42.62
J. LEA	Hinstock	12	3	68	360	40.00
P. ROSE	Hinstock	12	3	73*	348	38.66
G. SMITH	Hinstock	12	3	66*	334	37.11
P. DOODY	Wellington IV	13	2	83	389	35.36
S. GAUGE	Oswestry IV	10	1	105	311	34.55
A. MIDDLETON	Hinstock	16	2	75	470	33.57
NEIL WILLIAMS	UNISON	13	2	88*	366	33.27
B. SIMMONS	Church Stretton II	10	0	59	308	30.80
DALE EVANS	Guilfield	13	1	79	368	30.66
R. BENTING	Wellington IV	14	2	81*	341	28.41
RUPERT SHINGLER	Guilfield	13	1	55*	328	27.33
J. EVANS	Market Drayton II	11	3	82*	218	27.25
B. HUNT	Cound II	14	1	104	346	26.61
I. SIMMONS	Church Stretton II	11	1	85	241	24.10
D. BROWN	Hinstock	15	0	66	339	22.60

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 20)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
C. FIELD	Wellington IV	64.2	13	176	22	6-14	8.00
NEIL WILLIAMS	UNISON	218.1	48	560	57	7-34	9.80
S. KIANI	Market Drayton II	68.2	6	216	21	6-33	10.28
J. LEA	Hinstock	202	55	553	44	7-62	12.56
B. DAVIDSON	Guilfield	147.3	32	376	29	7-37	12.96
A. PARKYN	Wellington IV	94.1	21	261	20	6-30	13.05
P. BYRNE	Market Drayton II	206.4	39	584	35	8-28	16.68
RUPERT SHINGLER	Guilfield	144.2	34	367	22	5-33	16.68
R. L. JONES	Oswestry IV	168	36	471	28	5-27	16.82
P. STREFFORD	Wem III	97.4	7	398	22	6-43	18.09
A. RANDALL	Worfield II	159	40	406	21	5-33	19.33
JAMES OWEN	Cound II	128.2	16	455	23	6-23	19.78
T. CLIFFE	Cound II	225	54	742	35	7-43	21.20

DIVISION SEVEN STATISTICS 2001

Final League Table

	P	W	D	L	A	Points
Cae Glas II	14	11	1	1	1	243
Tibberton II	14	9	4	1	0	241
Knockin & Kinnerley II	14	8	5	1	0	211
Lilleshall III	14	8	1	4	1	191
Madeley III	14	5	3	3	3	160
Quatt II	14	3	3	8	0	129
Alberbury II	14	2	2	7	3	108
Whitchurch III	14	3	1	10	0	107
Bromfield II	14	3	1	8	2	104
Market Drayton III	14	1	3	10	1	64

Highs and Lows

Highest Total by Team: 281-7	Madeley III v. Market Drayton III	14 July
Lowest Total by Team: 6	Whitchurch III v. Knockin & Kinnerley II	1 September

Batsmen Scoring Centuries (5)

120*	M. Jenkins	Tibberton II v. Whitchurch III	4 August
116	G. Cook	Tibberton II v. Alberbury II	23 June
109	R. Holloway	Alberbury II v. Tibberton II	23 June
106*	P. Morrow	Madeley III v. Knockin & Kinnerley II	9 June
106	P. Morrow	Madeley III v. Market Drayton III	14 July

Bowlers Taking 7 Wickets or More (1)

R. Jones	7-49	Quatt II v. Bromfield II	11 August
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BATTING (Qualification 10 innings, average over 19)

Name	Club	Innings	Not Out	Highest Score	Runs	Average
M. JENKINS	Tibberton II	11	4	120*	470	67.14
P. WASHINGTON	Tibberton II	11	4	90*	267	53.40
G. TUDGE	Bromfield II	12	4	80*	347	43.37
P. MORROW	Madeley III	11	2	106*	357	39.66
M. HOWELLS	Tibberton II	11	6	34*	163	32.60
P. MARSH	Quatt II	11	1	61	320	32.00
D. MONTGOMERY	Knockin & Kinnerley II	14	2	64*	292	24.33
J. WILLIAMS	Market Drayton III	12	0	47	265	22.08
D. PREECE	Knockin & Kinnerley II	14	2	61*	231	19.25
R. TURNER	Cae Glas II	11	2	63	173	19.22

BOWLING (Qualification 20 wickets, average under 20)

Name	Club	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Best Figs.	Average
J. CLARKE	Cae Glas II	116.1	36	226	41	6-15	5.51
K. HIPKISS	Cae Glas II	74.1	21	186	21	4-34	8.85
R. STONES	Lilleshall III	114.1	35	282	29	6-12	9.72
P.J. SHRIMPTON	Quatt II	112.3	23	289	27	4-8	10.70
M. JENKINS	Tibberton II	90.4	17	259	24	5-32	10.79
J. MEREDITH	Knockin & Kinnerley II	126.3	33	362	28	7-29	12.92
P. WASHINGTON	Tibberton II	126.4	20	354	22	4-19	16.09
M. MITCHELL	Madeley III	154	34	422	22	3-23	19.18

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KNOCKOUT COMPETITION RULES

1. GENERAL

- 1.1 The League organises two evening 11-a-side knock out competitions to provide additional cricket for players who play regularly for their club in its League matches during the season.
- 1.2 The *Shropshire League Knock-out Cup Competition* is for first teams.
- 1.3 The *Shropshire League Knock-out Shield Competition* is for reserve teams including the third/fourth teams of clubs whose senior teams play in other Leagues.
- 1.4 Entry to the competitions is by invitation from the Management Committee.
- 1.5 Clubs without reserve teams are not eligible to enter the *Shield Competition*.

2. ORGANISATION

- 2.1 Teams will be drawn before the season starts and the fixtures will be published in the League's Handbook.
- 2.2 Teams will be notified by the League Secretary who their opponent will be as the competition progresses.
- 2.3 Matches must be played in accordance with these rules and results must be sent promptly to the League Secretary.
- 2.4 The competitions are organised and run by the Knock-out-Competitions Sub-Committee.

3. ELIGIBILITY OF PLAYERS

- 3.1 All players must be *bona fide* members of the club for which they play in the Competition and must be registered with the League in accordance with Rule 2 of the League's "Rules and Playing Arrangements".
- 3.2 To qualify to play in the Second and later rounds of the *Cup Competition*, all players must have taken part in at least 20% of their club's *Shropshire Cricket League matches* played before that round.
To qualify to play in the Second and later rounds of the *Shield Competition*, all players must have taken part in at least 20% of their reserve team's *Shropshire Cricket League matches* played before that round.
When determining a player's eligibility, a League match which was not started does not count as a "match played".
- 3.3 A player is not permitted to take part in both the *Cup Competition* and the *Shield Competition* in the same season.
- 3.4 A player is not permitted to play for more than one club in the Competition.
- 3.5 No player may take part in the Competitions if he plays in another League on Saturdays. Subject, however, to Rules 3.1 and 3.2 being compiled with, this Rule is waived in the *Shield Competition* for reserve team players whose senior teams play in other Leagues.
- 3.6 PROVIDED application is made to the Chairman of the Knock-out Competition Sub-Committee NOT LESS THAN FIVE DAYS BEFORE the match is due to be played, explaining the reasons for the request, the Sub-Committee may be prepared to consider a relaxation of Rule 3.2 and 3.3 when a club:-
 - (a) is genuinely unable to raise a full team of eligible players for a particular match; or
 - (b) wishes to include a player who is unable to play for his club on Saturdays provided he does not play cricket in any other League on Saturdays (see Rule 3.4).
- 3.7 Any club using an ineligible player will be expelled from the competition and may be debarred from entry in subsequent years.

4. MATCH ARRANGEMENTS

- 4.1 Matches shall be played on the ground chosen by the home side.
- 4.2 *Cup Competition* matches shall be played on the **Wednesday evening** of the specified week unless **both** clubs agree to play on a different evening of the same week.
- 4.3 *Shield Competition* matches shall be played on the **any evening** of the specified week as mutually agreed between the two clubs.
- 4.4 It is the responsibility of the **home club** to contact the visiting team to agree the match arrangements.
- 4.5 If a club fails to fulfil a fixture without giving at least 48 hours notice to the opposing team it will be expelled from the Competition and the match will be awarded to the opposing team.
- 4.6 If bad weather prevents a *Cup Competition* match being played or completed in the specified week, the clubs must re-arrange it to take place the following Wednesday unless **both** clubs agree to play it on a different evening of that week.
- 4.7 If bad weather prevents a *Shield Competition* match being played or completed in the specified week, the clubs must re-arrange it to take place no later than the following week.
- 4.8 No match, other than one re-arranged in accordance with Rule 4.6 or 4.7, shall be played after the specified week.
- 4.9 If a match is not played by the latest permitted date without good reason both clubs shall be expelled from the competition.
- 4.10 Evening matches shall commence at 6.30 p.m. and prompt starts are essential.
- 4.11 Each team shall have one innings consisting of a maximum of twenty six-ball overs. If there is a late start or if weather conditions make this desirable, the captains may, before the toss takes place, agree to reduce the number of overs.
- 4.12 The toss for innings shall take place not later than 6.20 p.m. In the event of a team not complying with this, the opposing team may, if it so wishes, claim the toss.
- 4.13 If one team is not ready to play by 6.45 p.m. that team shall be deemed to have defaulted and the match shall be awarded to the other team.
- 4.14 The match ball shall be provided by the **home club**, approved by both captains before the toss and used throughout the game. It need not be new but must be of good quality and in good condition.
- 4.15 No bowler may bowl more than one quarter (rounded up to the nearest whole number) of the agreed overs.
- 4.16 The interval between innings shall not exceed ten minutes.
- 4.17 No appeal against the light is allowed after the commencement of the second innings unless the umpires decide that it would be unreasonable or dangerous for play to continue.
- 4.18 A match is won by the side scoring the greater number of runs in the agreed overs. If the scores are level, the team which has lost fewer wickets shall be the winner; if the number of wickets taken is also equal, the team scoring the greater number of runs after half the agreed overs have been bowled shall be the winner. If these also are the same, the winner shall be decided by the toss of a coin.

5. NOTIFICATION OF RESULT

- 5.1 It shall be the responsibility of the **WINNING CLUB** to ensure that a **fully completed official *Shropshire League Knock-out Score Sheet***, signed as correct by both captains and umpires, is sent to the **League Secretary**, to arrive not later than two days after the match was played.
- 5.2 Captains must ensure that the names of **all players** appear on the **Score Sheet**.

- 5.3 If the **Score Sheet** is not received by the League Secretary within the stipulated time or it is incomplete, both clubs may be expelled from the Competition.
- 5.4 The League Secretary will notify winning clubs who they will play in the next round and will send an official **Score Sheet** to the **HOME CLUB'S** nominated correspondent.

6. FINALS

- 6.1 The **Cup Competition Final** shall be played at a neutral venue on a date determined by the Management Committee.
- 6.2 The **Shield Competition Final** shall be played on a **home and away** basis on **consecutive evenings** at venues chosen by the clubs involved. The dates of the Final shall be determined by the Knock-out Competition Sub-Committee.
- 6.3 The match arrangements for the **Shield Competition Final** shall be generally in accordance with Rules 4.10, 4.12, 4.16 and 4.17 and Rules 6.4, 6.5, 6.7, 6.8 and 6.9.
- 6.4 The league will provide two new balls of good quality, one for each team's use.
- 6.5 Each team shall have two innings, each consisting of twenty six-ball overs. The captains may, however, agree, before the toss takes place, to reduce the number of overs, if the weather conditions make this desirable.
- 6.6 In the **Cup Competition Final** the teams' innings shall be taken alternately.
- 6.7 In the **Shield Competition Final** the team batting first in the first innings shall bat second in the second innings.
- 6.8 No bowler may bowl more than one quarter (rounded up to the nearest whole number) of the agreed overs in an innings.
- 6.9 The winner is the team scoring the greater number of runs. If the scores are level at the end of the match, the team losing fewer wickets shall be declared the winner. If the number of wickets lost is the same, the team scoring the greater number of runs in the first innings shall be the winner. If these are the same, the team losing fewer wickets in the first innings shall be the winner. If these also are the same, the winner shall be decided by the toss of a coin.
- 6.10 The trophy shall be presented to the captain of the winning team. It shall remain the property of the League and shall be returned when requested by the Awards Sub-Committee.
- 6.11 The players of both teams and the umpires will be presented with small trophies as mementoes of the occasion.
- 6.12 The umpires will be invited to nominate, and a trophy will be presented to the **Man of the Match**.

7. UMPIRES

- 7.1 The Knock-out Competition Sub-Committee will appoint umpires for the **Semi-Finals** of the **Cup Competition** and for the **Finals** of the **Cup** and **Shield Competitions**. The League will pay them reasonable expenses.
- 7.2 If requested to do so, the Knock-out Competition Sub-Committee will endeavour to appoint umpires for matches in the earlier rounds of the competition. It will, however, be the responsibility of the team(s) making the request to pay the umpires' reasonable expenses.
- 7.3 Umpires are urged to apply a strict and consistent interpretation of Law 25 "**Wide Ball**", especially to a ball delivered down the leg side and passing wide of the batsman standing in a normal guard position or passing more than 18" (450 mm) outside the off stump.

2002 KNOCK-OUT CUP COMPETITION DATES

Round	Matches to be Played on:	Latest Permitted Date for Rain-Delayed Match
First	Wednesday, 22nd May	Friday, 31st May
Second	Wednesday, 5th June	Friday, 14th June
Zone Finals	Wednesday, 19th June	Friday, 28th June
Semi-Finals	Wednesday, 3rd July	Friday, 12th July

2002 KNOCK-OUT CUP COMPETITION FIXTURES

Zone A (North-East)

Round 1 – Wednesday, 22nd May

Game A Iscoyd & Fenns Bank v Acton Reynald

Game B Sinclair v Tibberton

Game C Lilleshall v Forton

Game D Hodnet & Peplow – Bye

Round 2 – Wednesday, 5th June

Game E Winner Game B (H) v Winner Game A (A)

Game F Hodnet & Peplow (H) v Winner Game C (A)

ZONE FINAL – Wednesday, 19th June

Winner Game E (H) v Winner Game F (A)

Zone B (South-East)

Round 1 – Wednesday, 22nd May

Game A British Sugar v Worfield

Game B Trysull & Seisdon v Willey

Game C Condover v Much Wenlock

Game D Chelmarsh – Bye

Round 2 – Wednesday, 5th June

Game E Winner Game B (H) v Winner Game A (A)

Game F Chelmarsh (H) v Winner Game C (A)

ZONE FINAL – Wednesday, 19th June

Winner Game E (H) v Winner Game F (A)

Zone C (South-West)

Round 1 – Wednesday, 22nd May

Game A Welsphool v Newtown

Game B Montgomery v Knockin & Kinnerley

Game C Llanidloes v Alberbury

Game D Bishop's Castle v Guilsfield

Round 2 – Wednesday, 5th June

Game E Winner Game B (H) v Winner Game A (A)

Game F Winner Game D (H) v Winner Game C (A)

ZONE FINAL – Wednesday, 19th June

Winner Game E (H) v Winner Game F (A)

Zone D (North-West)

Round 1 – Wednesday, 22nd May

- Game A** Whittington v Cae Glas
- Game B** Overton-on-Dee v Frankton
- Game C** Ellesmere v Bomere Heath
- Game D** Shelton v Pontesbury

Round 2 – Wednesday, 5th June

- Game E** Winner Game B (H) v Winner Game A (A)
- Game F** Winner Game D (H) v Winner Game C (A)

ZONE FINAL – Wednesday, 19th June

Winner Game E (H) v Winner Game F (A)

Knock-Out Cup – Semi-Finals

- Winner Zone B (H) v Winner Zone A (A)
- Winner Zone D (H) v Winner Zone C (A)

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KNOCK-OUT SHIELD COMPETITION DATES

2001 FINAL
Tuesday & Thursday, 21st & 23rd May
British Sugar II v Shelton II

Round	Matches to be Played on:	Latest Permitted Date for Rain-Delayed Match
Preliminary	Week commencing 13th May	Friday, 24th May
First	Week commencing 27th May	Friday, 7th June
Second	Week commencing 10th June	Friday, 21st June
Semi-Finals	Week commencing 24th June	Friday, 4th July
Final	Tuesday & Thursday, 9th & 11th July	**

** If the Final is delayed by bad weather it shall be re-arranged by mutual agreement between the two team captains and the Knock-out Competitions Sub-Committee.

**2002 KNOCK-OUT SHIELD COMPETITION FIXTURES
RESERVE TEAM COMPETITION**

West Zone

Preliminary Round – Week commencing 13th May
Whittington II v Condover II

Round 1 – Week commencing 27th May

- Game A** Whittington II/Condover II v Shelton II
- Game B** Oswestry III v Bomere Heath II
- Game C** Shrewsbury III v Knockin & Kinnerley II
- Game D** Frankton II v Newtown II

East Zone

Round 1 – Week commencing 27th May

- Game E** St Georges III v Wem III
- Game F** Forton II v Lilleshall II
- Game G** Shifnal III v Worfield II
- Game H** British Sugar II v Madeley III

Round 2 – Week commencing 10th June

West Zone

- Game J** Winner Game B (H) v Winner Game A (A)
- Game K** Winner Game D (H) v Winner Game C (A)

East Zone

- Game L** Winner Game F (H) v Winner Game E (A)
- Game M** Winner Game H (H) v Winner Game G (A)

Knock-Out Shield Semi-Finals – Week commencing 24th June

- Game N** Winner Game J (H) v Winner Game K (A)
- Game P** Winner Game L (H) v Winner Game M (A)

ZONE FINAL – Tuesday & Thursday, 9th & 11th July
Winner Game N v Winner Game P

* The Final will be played over two consecutive evenings:

- the first innings (on Tuesday, 9th July) will be played on a ground chosen by the winner of the East Zone Semi-Final;
- the second innings (on Thursday, 5th July) will be played on a ground chosen by the winner of the West Zone Semi-Final.

KNOCK-OUT CUP COMPETITION PREVIOUS RESULTS

<i>Winners</i>	<i>Runners-up</i>	<i>Semi-finalists</i>
1981 Bomere Heath	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	Quatt & Forton
1982 Frankton	Albrighton	Coton Hall & GKN Sankey
1983 Craven Arms	Coton Hall	Ellesmere & Forton
1984 Shawbury	Craven Arms	Bomere Heath & Forton
1985 Bomere Heath	GKN Sankey	Frankton & Craven Arms
1986 Bomere Heath	Overton	Much Wenlock & Forton
1987 Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	Forton	Albrighton & MEB
1988 Bomere Heath	Coton Hall	Cathedral & Tibberton
1989 Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	Forton	Albrighton & Hodnet
1990 Forton	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank	Bomere Heath & Tibberton
1991 Forton	Whittington	Frankton & British Sugar
1992 Frankton	Telford Muslims	Whittington & Forton
1993 Whittington	British Sugar	Iscoyd & Fenns Bank & Willey
1994 Telford Muslims	Alberbury	Ellesmere & Madeley
1995 Coton Hall	Frankton	Telford Muslims & Forton
1996 Telford Muslims	Frankton	Montgomery & Forton
1997 Telford Muslims	Welshpool	Frankton & Cound
1998 Frankton	British Sugar	Montgomery & Albrighton
1999 Worfield	Whittington	Montgomery & Tibberton
2000 Whittington	Telford Muslims	British Sugar & Pontesbury
2001 Tibberton	Llanidloes	Frankton & Much Wenlock

KNOCK-OUT SHIELD COMPETITION PREVIOUS RESULTS

<i>Winners</i>	<i>Runners-up</i>	<i>Semi-finalists</i>
2000 Shrewsbury III	Oswestry III/IV	St. Georges III & Conover II
2001	NOT COMPLETED	

2001 KNOCK-OUT CUP FINAL

Llanidloes v Tibberton
Bank Holiday Monday, 27th August at Market Drayton C.C.
Tibberton won by 40 runs

Man of the Match: Gavin Cook (Tibberton).

Umpires: Dave Maltby and Clive Parry.

Losing Semi-Finalists: Frankton and Much Wenlock.

Scores: Tibberton 128-4 (Dave Nock 53) and 108-7;
Llanidloes 118-6 (Ziad Malik 35) and 78 (Ziad Malik 22, Gavin Cook 4-17,
Chris Starling 3-20).

Trophies presented by Keith Ruscoe (Market Drayton C.C.).

YOUTH CRICKET LEAGUE (U18)

<i>Winners</i>	<i>Runners-up</i>
2001 Ludlow	Acton Reynald

UNDER 18 LEAGUE FIXTURES – 2.30pm start

26-5-2002	Oswestry v Ludlow
23-6-2002	Welshpool v Acton Reynald
7-7-2002	Ludlow v Welshpool
14-7-2002	Acton Reynald v Ludlow
11-8-2002	Oswestry v Welshpool
25-8-2002	Acton Reynald v Oswestry

Score Sheets to be returned to: Roger Dorricott, Canterbury, 25 Marlcroft, Wem, Shropshire SY4 5AN E-mail: RDrrct@aol.com immediately after games in order to publish up to date leagues.

U18 LEAGUE RULES

The Laws of Cricket and Shropshire Cricket League Rules shall apply except:

- No player shall be over 18 years old on September 1st 2000.
- Games shall consist of 40 overs per side.
- No bowler shall bowl more than 8 overs per innings.
- The team scoring most runs shall be the winner.
- 4 points for the winning side, 0 points for the losing side.
- Abandoned games due to weather: 2 points each.
- Each team must provide 1 umpire.
- Teas to be provided by the home team at a cost of £27.50 per team.
- All games to commence at 2.30pm, except September, which will be 2.00pm.
- Tied games will be decided on least wickets lost; if still equal: 2 points each team.

TEAM CONTACTS

Acton Reynald	Roger Dorricott, 01939 232802
Ludlow	Jim Hern, 01584 874852
Oswestry	Mike Robinson, 01691 662159
Welshpool	Joe Birch, 01938 500522

YOUTH CRICKET LEAGUE (U15)

<i>Winners</i>	<i>Runners-up</i>	<i>Third</i>
2001 Oswestry	Ludlow	
2000 Ludlow	Acton Reynald	Knockin & Kinnerley
<i>Winners</i>	<i>Runners-up</i>	<i>Semi-Finalists</i>
1999 Acton Reynald	Shelton	Bomere Heath & Welshpool
1998 Knockin & Kinnerley	Pontesbury	Bomere Heath & Welshpool

UNDER 15 LEAGUE FIXTURES – Sunday Mornings

<i>Welshpool</i>	May 19	Ludlow (home)
	May 26	Oswestry (away)
	June 9	Frankton (home)
	June 16	Bishop's Castle (away)
<i>Ludlow</i>	May 19	Welshpool (away)
	May 26	Frankton (home)
	June 2	Oswestry (away)
	June 9	Bishop's Castle (home)

Oswestry	May 19	Bishop's Castle (away)
	May 26	Welshpool (home)
	June 2	Ludlow (home)
Bishop's Castle	June 16	Frankton (away)
	May 19	Oswestry (home)
	June 2	Frankton (away)
Frankton	June 9	Ludlow (away)
	June 16	Welshpool (home)
	May 26	Ludlow (away)
Welshpool	June 6	Bishop's Castle (home)
	June 9	Welshpool (away)
	June 16	Oswestry (home)

Semi-Finals on June 30 Team finishing 1st v Team finishing 3rd (Match A)
Team finishing 2nd v Team finishing 4th (Match B)

Final on July 7 Winner of Match A v Winner of Match B

Teams in bold play at home

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U15 LEAGUE PLAYING CONDITIONS 2002

The Laws of Cricket shall apply with the following exceptions:

- In all matches:**
 - Matches shall consist of **one** innings per side.
 - Each innings shall be of **20** overs duration.
 - No bowler shall bowl more than **four** overs in a match.
 - The team scoring the most runs in its innings shall be the winner.
 - No fielder, except the wicket-keeper, shall be allowed to field nearer than **8** yards, measured from the middle stump, except behind the wicket on the offside (**11** yards if the fielder is under **13** years of age). The manager shall be responsible for informing the umpires which players are under **13** years of age in any particular match. These distances are the same even if the fielder wears a helmet.
 - HELMETS** are to be worn by batsmen at all times and when the wicketkeeper is standing up.
 - In the event of the scores of each team being equal the winner shall be determined as follows:**
 - The team which has taken the greatest number of wickets.
 - If still equal, the side with the highest score at the end of **19** overs. If still equal, the score at the end of **18** overs, **17** overs, etc.
- N.B.** All players must be **under 15** on September 1st 2001.
Players to be "bona fide" members of their clubs and only play for one club in this competition.

TEAM CONTACTS

Bishop's Castle	Simon Palmer, 01588 680626
Frankton	Dave Whitticase, 01691 772383
Oswestry	Mike Robinson, 01691 662159
Ludlow	Jim Herr, 01584 874852
Welshpool	Joe Birch, 01938 500522

UNDER 13 LEAGUE FIXTURES – Thursday Evenings

South Division

Ludlow	May 16	Bishop's Castle (home)
	May 23	Condover (away)

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	June 6	Bishop's Castle (away)
	June 13	Condover (home)
Bishop's Castle	May 16	Ludlow (away)
	May 30	Condover (home)
	June 6	Ludlow (home)
	June 20	Condover (away)
Condover	May 23	Ludlow (home)
	May 30	Bishop's Castle (away)
	June 13	Ludlow (away)
	June 20	Bishop's Castle (home)

Semi-Final on June 27 Team finishing 1st v Team finishing 2nd
Teams in bold play at home

North Division

Oswestry	May 16	Shelton (home)
	May 23	Frankton (away)
	May 30	Acton Reynald (home)
	June 6	Frankton (home)
	June 13	Shelton (away)
	June 20	Acton Reynald (away)
Acton Reynald	May 16	Frankton (home)
	May 23	Shelton (away)
	May 30	Oswestry (away)
	June 6	Shelton (home)
	June 13	Frankton (away)
	June 20	Oswestry (home)
Frankton	May 16	Acton Reynald (away)
	May 23	Oswestry (home)
	May 30	Shelton (home)
	June 6	Oswestry (away)
	June 13	Acton Reynald (home)
	June 20	Shelton (away)
Shelton	May 16	Oswestry (away)
	May 23	Acton Reynald (home)
	May 30	Frankton (away)
	June 6	Acton Reynald (away)
	June 13	Oswestry (home)
	June 20	Frankton (home)

Semi-Final on June 27 Team finishing 1st v Team finishing 2nd
Final on July 4 North Division Semi-Final Winner v South Division Semi-Final Winner

Teams in bold play at home

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U13 LEAGUE PLAYING CONDITIONS 2002

The Laws of Cricket shall apply with the following exceptions:

In ALL matches:

1. The pitch shall be 21 yards in length.
2. The ball shall weigh 4¼ ozs.
3. The stumps shall be 27 ins. above the ground and 8 ins. wide.
4. Matches shall consist of 1 innings per side.
5. Each innings shall be 20 overs in duration.

6. No bowler shall bowl more than 4 overs in a match.
7. When a batsman reaches or passes the personal total of 30 runs he must retire. No return to crease.
7. When a batsman reaches or passes the personal total of 30 runs he must retire. No return to crease.
8. HELMETS are to be worn at all times when batting.
9. The team scoring the most runs in its innings shall be the winner.
10. No fielder, except the wicket-keeper, shall be allowed to field nearer than 11 yards, measured from the middle stump, except behind the wicket on the offside. The distance still applies even if the fielder is wearing a helmet.
11. When the wicketkeeper is standing up, he too must wear a HELMET.

In the event of the scores of each team being equal the winner shall be determined as follows:

1. The team which has taken the greatest number of wickets.
2. If still equal, the side with the highest score at the end of 19 overs. If still equal, the score at the end of 18 overs, 17 overs, etc.

N.B. All players must be **under 13** on September 1st 2001. Players to be "bona fide" members of their clubs and only play for one club in this competition.

TEAM CONTACTS

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Condover	Simon Palmer, 01588 680626
Bishop's Castle	Dave Whitticase, 01691 772383
Frankton	Jim Hern, 01584 874852
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CONSTITUTION

1. NAME

The organisation shall be known as **The Shropshire Cricket League Sponsored by Banks's**, hereafter referred to as "the League".

2. OBJECT

To promote and develop the best interests of cricket in Shropshire and its bordering counties.

3. MEMBERSHIP

- (a) The League shall consist of member Clubs who satisfy the requirements of the League and Management Committee, hereafter referred to as "the Committee", with regard to status, playing strength and standard of grounds and facilities.
- (b) All member clubs must be affiliated to their relevant Cricket Board. Failure to do so could result in expulsion from the League.
- (c) The teams of member Clubs shall play in Divisions, as determined by the Committee.
- (d) There shall normally be promotion and relegation between Divisions. In exceptional circumstances the Committee may make other arrangements and shall notify all member Clubs of its decision.
- (e) Any club desiring admission to, or any member Club seeking to change the number of its teams in, the League, shall apply in writing to the League Secretary not later than 15th October, indicating the number of teams it wishes to enter next season. Each application shall be considered by the Committee in accordance with the requirements of Clauses 3(a) 3(b) and 3(c) above. In exceptional circumstances, applications received after the closing date may be considered.
- (f) Any member Club wishing to resign from the League shall give notice in writing to the League Secretary not later than 15th October.
- (g) Clauses 3(e) and 3(f) above shall not apply to any club promoted to or relegated from another recognised League forming part of the English Cricket Board's pyramid structure.
- (h) A member Club which removes its first team from the League shall be deemed to have resigned its membership: it may, however, apply to re-enter one or more of its lower teams and the application will be considered in accordance with the requirements of Clause 3(e) above.
- (i) The Committee shall have powers to require any member Club to resign from the League if, in its opinion, its general conduct or appointments do not satisfy the requirements of the League. Any member Club against which such action is proposed shall receive not less than 14 days notice in writing of the proposed action and shall be entitled to be represented at that part of the Committee meeting at which the matter is to be considered.
- (j) Any Club which ceases to be a member of the League shall at once forfeit any rights of participation in the assets of the League.
- (k) Following a recommendation from the Committee, the Annual General Meeting may confer the honour of Life Membership of the League on any person whom it considers worthy of special recognition by reason of services rendered to the League.

4. MANAGEMENT

Subject to the provisions of this Constitution, the control and management of the League shall be vested in the Management Committee, which shall make rules governing the general principles of the conduct of the League's affairs and shall have the powers to apply, create, alter or revoke such rules as it sees fit. The Committee shall have the power to convene a Special General Meeting of member Clubs.

5. MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

- (a) The Committee shall consist of *ex officio* the Officers in 6(a) below and fifteen elected Members.
- (b) One-third of the elected Members shall be elected at each Annual General Meeting for a term of three years, after which time they shall retire from the Committee and, if they wish, offer themselves for re-election.
- (c) Not more than two elected Members from the same Club shall serve on the Committee at the same time.
- (d) At least seven days notice of meetings shall be given. Accidental omission to give notice of any meeting or non-receipt of such notice by any Committee member shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.
- (e) The Chairman shall preside at meetings of the Committee. If the Chairman is absent the Vice-Chairman shall preside; if both are absent, the Committee members present shall, before any other business is transacted, choose one of their number to preside at the meeting.
- (f) One-third of the Committee shall form a quorum.
- (g) All questions arising at a Committee meeting, other than questions of order, shall be decided by a simple majority of votes: in the event of an equality of votes, the chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.
- (h) Committee members shall "declare an interest" when an issue directly affecting their own club is to be discussed and shall normally abstain from any vote on such matter.
- (i) The Committee may appoint sub-committees with such powers and terms of reference as it thinks fit.
- (j) The Committee shall have power to co-opt to fill a vacancy. Co-opted members shall serve until the next Annual General Meeting when the vacancy shall be filled by election.
- (k) The decision of the Committee is final.
- (l) Committee members are expected to attend all of its meetings. Anyone who fails to attend three or more consecutive meetings is liable to expulsion from the Committee.
- (m) Any Committee member whose club ceases to be a member of the League may be required, at the discretion of the Committee, to resign his position.

6. OFFICERS

- (a) The Officers of the League shall be the President, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, League Secretary, Treasurer, Fixtures Secretary and Registrations Secretary.
- (b) The Officers shall be elected annually at, and shall take office from the end of, the Annual General Meeting.

7. FINANCE

- (a) Each member Club shall pay to the Treasurer, not later than the end of April, an annual subscription for each team. Any club which fails to pay by the due date may be charged an additional penalty for each month or part of a month that it is in arrears. The amounts of the subscription and the penalty will be determined each year by the Committee and notified to all member Clubs.
- (b) If the subscription income is found to be insufficient to meet the League's needs, the Committee may levy an additional subscription on member Clubs.
- (c) The Committee shall cause proper account to be kept of all sums of money received and paid out by the League.
- (d) The financial year of the League shall end on 31st October.
- (e) The accounts of the League shall be examined annually by a qualified accountant, who shall certify their correctness.
- (f) A statement of accounts shall be presented by the Treasurer to the Annual General Meeting.

- (g) The funds of the League shall be invested as the Committee decides after considering the recommendations of the Treasurer and the day-to-day transactions shall be dealt with by and through one or more Bank accounts in the name of the League.
- (h) No moneys shall be paid from any account in the name of the League except upon the signatures of any two from the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, League Secretary and Treasurer who shall be the authorised signatories.

8. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

- (a) The Annual General Meeting, hereafter referred to as "the Meeting", shall be held in November each year or as practicable thereafter.
- (b) Notice of the Meeting shall be given in writing to all member Clubs at least twenty-eight days before the date thereof.
- (c) The President shall preside at the Meeting. If the President is absent the Chairman shall preside; if the Chairman is absent the Vice-Chairman shall preside; if all are absent, the member Clubs present shall, before any other business is transacted, appoint a chairman of the Meeting.
- (d) Nominations for President, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, League Secretary, Treasurer, Fixtures Secretary, Registrations Secretary and elected Members of the Committee shall be submitted in writing by member Clubs and received by the League Secretary at least seven days before the Meeting.
- (e) Each member Club shall have one vote. In the event of an equality of votes, the chairman of the Meeting shall have a single casting vote.
- (f) Proxy votes will not be accepted.
- (g) The Constitution may be altered at an Annual General Meeting or Special General Meeting only and such alteration shall require the assent of at least two-thirds of the votes cast.
- (h) Proposals to alter the Constitution must either be submitted by the Committee or be proposed and seconded by at least two member Clubs and received by the League Secretary not later than 30th September. The wording of any such proposed alteration to the Constitution shall be included in the Notice of Meeting.
- (i) One-third of the member Clubs shall form a quorum.

9. SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

- (a) A Special General Meeting shall be called at the discretion of the Committee or on receipt by the League Secretary of a written request, signed by not less than one-third of member Clubs, stating the reason(s) why the meeting is being requested.
- (b) The provisions applicable to the Annual General Meeting shall, with the exception of 8(a) and 8(h) above, apply also to the Special General Meeting.
- (c) Proposals to alter the Constitution must either be submitted by the Committee or be proposed and seconded by at least two member Clubs and submitted to the League Secretary. The wording of any such proposed alteration to the Constitution shall be included in the Notice of Meeting.

10. TROPHIES

- (a) Trophies will be awarded to the Champions and Runners-up in all Divisions.
- (b) Additional awards may be made at the Committee's discretion.
- (c) Trophies remain the property of the League and must be returned in good condition to the League Secretary not later than 30th September. Any member Club failing to do so may be invoiced for the cost of a replacement.

11. FIXTURES

- (a) All League matches shall be played on the published dates.
- (b) Any Club which fails to fulfil a fixture shall be fined on a sliding scale for a first and second offence and is liable to be expelled from the League for a third offence in any one season. The amount of the fines shall be determined from time to time by the Committee and member Clubs shall be notified.

- (c) Member Clubs will be informed of the dates on which a League Representative XI may be taking part in a Competition. Clubs should not under any circumstances withdraw a player selected to represent the League in favour of a Club competition.

12. WINDING UP

- (a) The League may be wound up only by the passing of a resolution by a majority of at least two-thirds of the member Clubs present and voting at a Special General Meeting convened for the purpose of considering such resolution.
- (b) In the event of the passing of a resolution to wind up the League, the meeting at which such resolution is passed shall appoint a committee which shall be empowered to distribute the League's assets, including cash and investments, between member Clubs, or other organisations having similar aims and objects as the League, in such proportions as they may, by simple majority, decide, provided that the same shall not be paid to, or divided between, any individual members of the Committee or the Officers. The Chairman, League Secretary and Treasurer shall be *ex officio* members of that committee. In the event of an equality of votes the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.
- (c) In the event that such committee is unable to reach a decision with regard to the distribution of the assets, the Chairman shall have power to refer the matter to an independent arbitrator, the costs, if any, of such arbitration being a proper charge on the assets of the League.

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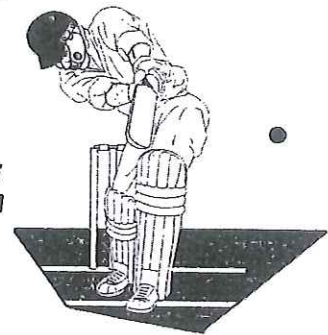
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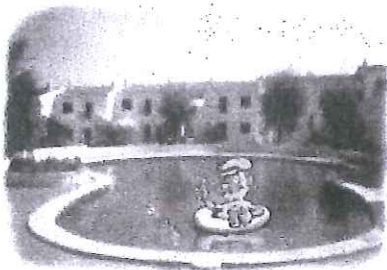
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Sun	May	19	Cheshire	Oswestry
Sun	June	9	Derbyshire CB	Lullington
Sun	June	16	Lancashire CB	Wellington
Sun	July	7	Staffordshire	Porthill Park
Thur	Aug	1	Quarter-Final	Wroxeter
(No reserve day)				(Provisional)
Thur	Aug	15	Semi-Final	Bridgnorth
(Reserve day Aug 16)				(Provisional)
Tues	Sept	3	Final	Worcester
(Reserve day Sept 4)				(Provisional)

CHAMPIONSHIP

S/M/T	June	2-4	Devon	Exmouth
S/M/T	June	23-25	Wiltshire	Shrewsbury
S/M/T	July	14-16	Herefordshire	Shifnal
S/M/T	July	28-30	Wales MC	Swansea
M/T/W	Aug	5-7	Cornwall	St Austell
S/M/T	Aug	18-20	Oxfordshire	Whitchurch
S/M/T	Sept	8-10	Championship Final	Home

C&G TROPHY 2002

Wed	May	29	Gloucestershire	St. Georges
(Reserve day May 30)				

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Thur	Sept	12	Buckinghamshire/Suffolk	Beaconsfield
(Reserve day Sept 13)				