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| **OPEN FORUM Comments** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **A-Sefton Park, B- Wigan C- Ainsdale, D-New Brighton** | **A****SP** | **B****Wig** | **C****Ain** | **D****NB** | **Total** |
| Numbers refer to the number of the sheet handed in at that meeting. i.e. B7 = Wigan 7th sheet. |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **SECTION 1 – CURRENT DIVISION STRUCTURE** |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Ladder system right the way down from 1st XI team |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Ground grading for eligibility to play in divisions |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Prem – Div 1, Divs 2 – 5, Divs 6 – 8 |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Shorten season by 1 week. |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
| **2nd XI**  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Keep structure but earlier start |  |  | C1/C2 |  | 2 |
|  | Not fielding full XI |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Play three Sessions (11.00 am start) |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Start Time remain the same  | A6/A7 |  | C4 | D5 | 4 |
|  | Possibility of merging with 3rd XI Premier | A10 | B1/B2 | C4 | D3 | 5 |
|  |  - ladder system |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - No clubs can have two teams in same division (above div 6) |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Restructure 2nd XI / 3rd XI Saturday to enable the strongest sides to play each other. |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Similarly, with the weaker sides to ensure competitive games |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Full merger with 3rd (Format of 2nd XI Prem/Div1/Div 2/Div 3/Div4) | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Happy with current 2nd XI structure | A2/A4/A9 | B2/B8 | C6/C7/C8 | D4 | 9 |
|  |  - (to prepare players for 1st XI) | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Keep same as 1sts  | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Potential Win/Lose in Div 1 and Div 2 |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | No concerns with current |  | B9 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Saturday** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | Remain as is  |  | B7/B8 |  |  | 2 |
|  | No Need to change 3rd Sat Prem |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | Possible Merit league 3rd Sat Div One |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | Top division of 10 | A1/A7 |  | C8 | D3/D4/D5 | 6 |
|  |  - only one side per club | A9 |  |  | D4/D5 | 3 |
|  |  - August B/Hol weekend to be free | A1 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - 1st and 2nd Divisions with 10 or 12  | A7 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | 15 teams too many in division one | A8 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - two divisions of 8 | A8 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Merit table for Division One based on percentage |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Friendly league for weaker teams |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | Premier 3rd and TWO conference divisions |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  |  - or 1 \* 10 team Prem, 1 \* 10 Div one, remainder Friendly league | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - only one side per club in each division | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - No promotion / relegation | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Reduce number of league games | A2/A5 |  |  |  | 2 |
|  | Allow 18/20 games of cricket (making allowances for development | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | No proposals to change (and again progression towards 2nd XI) | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Creation of / use of Fixture pool | A5 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | No games in August (for smaller 8 team division one) | A8 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Possible merge with 2nd XI structure |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Restructure 2nd XI / 3rd XI Saturday to enable the strongest sides to play each other. |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Similarly, with the weaker sides to ensure competitive games |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Knockout / league cup over first eight weeks |  | B11 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Knockout – running out of Sunday free dates |  | B11 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Sunday** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | Family Day (proposed by STCC) |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Participation |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | One Division (regional) playing one fixture against each |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Merit (to decide position) |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Standard dropped after regionalisation introduced in 2018 |  |  | C7 |  | 1 |
|  | Retain Prem |  | B2/B7/B8 |  |  | 3 |
|  | Two Regional Divisions  |  | B2 | C8 |  | 2 |
|  |  - playing each other once to mitigate team folding  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - Reduce travel times which have increased  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - important as the decline in playing numbers will increase |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - Regional with smaller leagues but play same number of games |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Better this year with re-introduction of Premier division |  |  |  | D2 | 1 |
|  | Remove league structure  |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | Two divisions – Premier and a Friendly League |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | T20 or friendlies only – no league structure | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Create a 3rd XI Friendly Pool |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  | Opposed to geographical divisions (benefit is marginal) |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | Needs to have more cricket matches  | A4/A5/A6 |  |  |  | 3 |
|  |  - Too few games | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Maybe start later in May – difficulties with Juniors due to “exam”  | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Increase divisions  | A5 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Travelling – further regionalisation | A7 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Need to structure so that games are competitive  |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - (too many clubs have teams because they have to /not want to) |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Worked very well this season, found regionalisation last year caused too many mis-matches |  | B9 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Allow clubs to choose which league based on performance / geography/other |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **SECTION 2 – CURRENT FORMAT of CRICKET** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1st XI -**  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Do Not change | A2/A4/A6 | B1/B2/ B3/B8 |  |  | 7 |
|  | Times earlier starts (noon all year around) |  |  | C1/C2/C8 |  | 3 |
|  |  - 3 sessions for “local” games in Premier Division only |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - from 11.30 – 13.30, 14.00 – 16.30, 17.00 – 19.00  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Remain Time cricket  | A2/A6 | B12 | C4/C6/C7 | D3/D4/D6 | 9 |
|  | Potentially too many overs in a day  |  |  | C6 |  | 1 |
|  | Not in favour of bringing start times forward at all  |  |  | C6 | D1 | 2 |
|  | Look at 5 Points for games that are called off |  | B5/B8 | C1 |  | 3 |
|  |  - suggest 8/9 points for rained off |  | B5 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Less points for “only” side playing when rest called off |  | B5 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Declaration Cricket  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Bonus points only in a draw or defeat  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - win and batting first given 25 points |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - win and batting second given 20 points |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - maximum of ten bonus points for side not winning |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Early starts not suitable for all due to geography |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | 17 overs maximum per bowler (up to 55 overs) |  | B7 |  | D3/D5 | 3 |
|  |  - limit amount of overs per bowler | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Opposed to limiting bowlers |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | Cap Overs (Maximum of 70 overs) |  | B1/B7/B12 |  |  | 3 |
|  | Maximum of 65 overs allowed in 1st innings |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | Maximum of 60 overs  | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | The 1st XI cup week is a good idea |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  | Digman Cup should not be played on Saturdays now more available Sundays (due to less teams in National) |  | B10 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Flexibility over teatime where overs still to be bowled |  | B5 |  | D5 | 2 |
|  |  - or enforce Slow over rate penalty |  | B5 /B7 |  |  | 2 |
|  | Not in favour of Overs cricket (strongly) (for KO cricket only) |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | No changes that jeopardise Premier League status |  | B5 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Suggest half time cricket fixtures / half 50 overs fixtures |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | As is (reply to all four sections) |  | B9 |  |  | 1 |
|  | If winning toss / Bowling first, then points |  | B11 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Introduce Winning / Losing draws |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Points for rained off games v a win is very large |  | B12 \*\* see below. |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Incentivises sides to try and play on “unfit” grounds |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
| **2nd XI**  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Earlier start as per 1st XI | A2/A3 | B2/B6 | C1/C2 |  | 6 |
|  |  - combined with travelling makes it difficult to recruit 2nd Xi | B6 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Remain Time Cricket | A2/A3/A6 | B1/B3 | C4/C7 | D3/D4 | 9 |
|  |  - (as it is the pathway to 1st Team) |  |  | C7 |  | 1 |
|  | Declaration Cricket |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Start time to remain as it is  | A6 | B2/B8 |  | D1 | 4 |
|  |  - maintains Social aspect |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Maximum bonus points to be 180 at 45 overs |  |  |  | D3/D5 | 2 |
|  |  - bonus point system needs looking at  |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  | Check scores over the season |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | Add time to bowl last 2 / 3 overs before tea |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  | Limit amount of overs per bowler | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - restrict overs to get more players involved |  | B6 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Not ruling out Overs cricket / should be considered | A4 | B6 |  |  | 2 |
|  | No Toss – away team chooses | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Same system with 3rd XI Saturday (whatever chosen) | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Half Time cricket fixtures / half 45 overs cricket fixtures |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - featuring coloured clothing |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Review points disparity for Abandoned Games |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Discussion over start times (mixed views) |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | More use of (existing) flexibility over start times |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Saturday** |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Earlier start | A3/A9 |  | C2 |  | 3 |
|  | Remain same start time | A8 | B8 |  |  | 2 |
|  | Remain Time cricket |  | B1/B7/B8 | C4 | D3 | 5 |
|  | Declaration Cricket |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Premier Division of ten teams |  |  |  | D1 | 1 |
|  | 3rd XI Cup play two rounds on Saturdays |  |  |  | D1/D3/D5 | 3 |
|  | Earlier starts don't suit players with families and may reduce Bar takings with players leaving earlier |  |  |  | D2 | 1 |
|  | Shorter games especially Div One |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | 3rd Cup to play on 1st / 2nd Cup week on Saturday |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | this is the place to trial / test new points |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | Limit amount of overs per bowler | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - limit to 15 overs max per bowler | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Limit number of overs per game (or reduce playing time) | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Look at back to back T20s | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Consider “mix and match” | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Same system with 2nd XI Saturday (whatever chosen) | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Overs cricket but not just W/ L | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - win draws / lose draws | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Points for a draw | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Points system to incentivise trying to win (Winning draws) | B1 | B1 |  |  | 2 |
|  | Limit the imbalance in overs between innings |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Sunday** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | OK as is  |  | B3 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Points at 75 / 100 / 125 / 150 / 175 |  |  | C1/C7 |  | 2 |
|  | Result Based  |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Have a 12.45 start with 17.00 last hour |  |  | C2/C7 |  | 2 |
|  | Premier Division – retain same start time |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Earlier start time - children in school next day | A9 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | No appetite for T20 |  |  | C5/C8 |  | 2 |
|  | Prefer overs cricket |  |  | C6 |  | 1 |
|  | win / Lose based on Overs cricket |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Discourage draw cricket |  |  | C6 |  | 1 |
|  | Declaration Cricket |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Sunday Cricket is for development of junior players - they already play T20 in junior formats |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Consider T20 and timed – teams to make choice | A4 |  |  | D2 | 2 |
|  | Trial T20 with flexible start times |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | More flexibility on start times  |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | Should think about playing (MYC) U13 games midweek (to allow U13s to play senior cricket on Sundays) | A2 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Limit amount of overs per bowler | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Bowling restrictions to allow 5 minimum bowlers |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Limit number of overs per game (or reduce playing time) | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Look at back to back T20s | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | T20 or Friendly games only | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Overs cricket only | A10 | B2/B7 |  |  | 3 |
|  |  - Overs cricket for lower divisions |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Can 1st Division be split between 1\* timed / 1 \* T20 |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Fielding Restrictions |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
| **General** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Stick to timed cricket across all formats and all teams |  |  | C5 |  | 1 |
|  | Points for draw and bonus points might mean fewer abandoned games | A8 |  |  | D3 | 2 |
|  | Difficulties regarding points for abandoned games .. get the game on principle |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | Player availability definitely affected by late finishes |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | Earlier start time at end of season affect player availability if long trip to Lytham/ Colwyn Bay |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | No existential evidence that limited overs increase participation | A1 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Overriding point is the impact of cup games and player availability | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Format fine (all divisions) – best all-round team wins |  | B11 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Bad weather – lay down a series of criteria to be met for games to be cancelled |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | All starts times to be 1.00 pm |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | \*\* suggestion re % of points in rained off games |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | % of points over 5 games points |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  |  | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
|  |  | 60% | 70% | 80% | 90% | 100% |
| **SECTION 3 – PLAYER REGISTRATION and ELIGIBILITY** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| **1st XI** |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | Should Pro Players (Cat 2?) be allowed to play for more than one club |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | Remain as it is |  | B5/B8 | C8 | D2/D4/D5 | 6 |
|  |  - current deadlines excellent |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  |  - tightest in England |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  |  - Seasonal deadlines really important |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | Northern Ireland born players allowed as British (even if played for Ireland) |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | 4 or 5 home grown players – played in clubs U17s |  | B10/B11 |  |  | 2 |
|  | Normalise overseas and home born registrations to 31/07 (why should clubs be penalised if O/Seas player injured in June) |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
| **2nd XI** |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | Re Rearranged games - Availability on countback  |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | Rearrangements due to County Fixtures cause issues |  |  | C7 |  | 1 |
|  | Apply 3rd XI registration criteria for Divs 1 and 2.  |  | B13 | C8 |  | 2 |
|  |  - Extend Post Game registrations |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - (recommendation made by 2016 working group) |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Allow later seasonal deadlines for 2nd XI players |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | All good as it is  |  |  |  | D2/D4 | 2 |
|  | Allow Dual registrations at 2nd XI level |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Saturday** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | Re Sunday re-arrangements |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Eligibility criteria for rearranged Sunday games should not be following Sunday 3rd XI rules |  |  | C4 / C8 |  | 2 |
|  | Better 'symmetry' of fixtures to prevent need for re-arrangements. |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Concern over rearranged games on a Sunday where a player played in 2nd XI on Saturday and then in 3rd XI in the Sunday game (unable to have featured if game had not been rearranged). |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | No change required |  | B8 |  | D4/D5 | 3 |
|  |  - 3rd XI registration excellent |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  | More flexibility to allow players to play | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Do they need to be registered at all ? | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | if play 1's then can't play 3s on Sat or Sunday | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Don’t think we can limit eligibility when sides can't raise 11 easily |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - Introduce more flexibility as long as agreed by opposition captain |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Circular to captains and clubs to play 3rd XI cricket in the right spirit |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Sunday** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | 1st XI Opening batsmen scoring 100 at #7 |  |  | C3 |  | 1 |
|  | Eligibility not clear  |  |  | C5 |  | 1 |
|  |  - Players that fill in a Saturday can play a full part on Sunday  |  |  | C5 |  | 1 |
|  | Spirit of cricket should be considered (left to the captain to manage) |  |  | C6/C7 |  | 2 |
|  | Use of “Spirit of cricket” |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Should be encouraging participation at a time of dwindling numbers, players are needed |  |  | C6 |  | 1 |
|  | Handicaps (restrictions) “doesn't” work |  |  | C7 |  | 1 |
|  | U18s need to be allowed to play both days for development purposes  |  |  | C7 |  | 1 |
|  | Needs addressing  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - Proper 3rd XI  |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  |  - Sunday league - as per Halifax Leagues for example of Sunday League |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Flexible as can be  |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Very Young players – club responsibility |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  | U16 and Over 40s | A7 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | U16 and Over 50 allowed |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | No 1st XI from previous day (or 2nd XI Premier Div players) allowed | A1 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Up to 4\*1st /2nd Division players from previous day allowed (unless U17) can play up to 5 games | A1 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Countback rules for 1st XI youngsters  | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | if play 1's then can't play 3s on Sat or Sunday | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Same for those 2nd XI but restrict batting and bowling (i.e. limit overs they can bowl) | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Declare on 50 overs | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | More flexibility to allow players to play | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Do they need to be registered at all ? | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | For last 4 weeks - No 1st/2nd from previous day | A7 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | No 1st XI players on countback | A9 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Expand Driver Rules |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Simpler eligibility but look at impact that 1st /2nd XI players have on game |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | No criteria other than Overseas / Professionals |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Use of Dual Registrations is very good |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Loan system seems to work quite well |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | 2nd XI Coaches, (under 25) allowed to be eligible under same restrictions as 1st XI U18s when playing Sunday 3rd XI. |  | B9 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Need a comprehensive review |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
| **3rd XI Knock outs** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | need to remove U18 and Over 40s from 3rd XI KO |  |  |  | D2 | 1 |
|  | eligibility for cup needs looking at again (under 16 and over 40s) |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  |  - re Sunday games suggested u16 and over 50s |  |  |  | D5 | 1 |
|  | Count back rules for 3rd XI cups |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | Cup countback should apply | A9 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Flexible until Cup Finals – only legitimate 3rd XI players in Finals |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Count back in the cups to 11 |  | B11 |  |  | 1 |
|  | No 19s from higher teams |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
| **General / unreadable** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | (If a young cricketer takes 4 / 5 wkts, they are rewarded with a over 40s age player 1st /2nd XI team) |  |  | C3 |  | 1 |
|  | Check age limits on locked fixtures for 2nd / 3rd XIs |  |  |  | D3 | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| **SECTION 4 – LACK OF UMPIRES** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | Player |  |  | C2 |  | 1 |
|  | Thankless Task  |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | (Dont know how you solve it) |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | Player conduct (same players) |  |  | C5 |  | 1 |
|  | Search wider public for people to umpire |  |  | C6 |  | 1 |
|  | Put courses on  |  |  | C6 |  | 1 |
|  | Allow umpires to umpire their own clubs |  |  |  | D3 /D5/D6 | 3 |
|  | More incentives (fee and travel expenses) |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | Pay Umpires more as an initial step - Approx 12.30-20.30 for £48 = £6 before travelling time and expenses |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Clubs fined /rewarded (financial or points) for supplying umpires | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | reduced League Fees |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Additional Bonus Points for having 2nd XI umpire | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Maybe give teams points for providing umpires | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Stagger start times | A2 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Trial earlier start times for local derbies (may help the league to to eventually move to an earlier start for all) | A2 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Lots of 2nd XIs haven't supplied umpires for home games | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | No easy answer  | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Are our umpires competitively remunerated  | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Clubs struggling to cover volunteer positions within own clubs | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Must be Independent | A5 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Travelling | A6 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - could appointments be localised to reduce travelling |  | B8 |  |  | 1 |
|  | More advertising from MCUA |  | B2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | ECB Campaign could be stronger (eg follow Wimbledon example of tickets for internationals / major matches. |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Can encourage Umpires to be made more welcome and involve them in social side  |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Player behaviour needs to improve dramatically |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| **SECTION 5 – ANY OTHER ISSUES** |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
|  | 3rd XI Knockout rules on eligibility need changing |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | Teams who concede 1st XI KO games |  |  | C4 |  | 1 |
|  | T20 K/O – play on reserve dates |  |  | C8 |  | 1 |
|  | Changes to rule regarding expulsion to minimise effect on table |  |  |  | D2/D4 | 2 |
|  |  - after 16 games or 3/4s then all results to stand with 25 points awarded to future opponents |  |  |  | D4 | 1 |
|  | Fixture at end of season |  |  |  | D6 | 1 |
|  | No Saturday Cup games (already too many games) | A2 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | What are clubs doing to bring new members to their clubs | A3 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Interested in what other leagues are doing / issues (sharing best practise) | A4 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Results for ALL games to be uploaded on the night of the game | A10 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Guidelines for league games where clubs provide one umpire, but opposition don't should be consistently applied – i.e. stand both ends, etc (not consistent currently) |  | B1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Discipline |  | B4 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Use of Fines put towards educating Coaches |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  |  - use of master classes for coaches |  | B7 |  |  | 1 |
|  | The issue of players being paid when they are “common or garden” standard club players must be licensed at County Level. |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | (we are bringing up a generation that thinks only suckers play for free) |  | B12 |  |  | 1 |
|  | All KO's should have play on and reserve dates |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | KO comps conundrum requires resolution  |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | - Not enough Sunday Umpires |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | - Backlog of Sunday fixtures |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | - Player availability |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |
|  | There is a solution to this !! |  | B13 |  |  | 1 |