



NORTHUMBERLAND GIRLS FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Est 2005



MANAGERS MEETING 21st April 2008

Attendance: Vice Chair – Steve Pate, Secretary – Charlie Kitson, Treasurer – Michelle Mitchell, Events Secretary – Nicola Hepworth, AE Phoenix, Bedlington, Blyth Town, Chester Athletics, Cramlington Blue Star, Cramlington Juniors, Forest Hall, Kingston Park, Longbenton, Newbiggin Hall, New Fordley, , North Shields, Ponteland, Prudhoe, Seaton Burn, Walbottle, Wansbeck & Wallsend.

Apologies: Chair – Dave Henderson, AE Phoenix, Blyth Spartans, Hexham, Newcastle East End & Stanley.

Registration and meeting commenced at 19.30. The meeting opened with a welcome from Steve Pate.

Speaker	Details
SP	Does anyone have anything to raise from the minutes of the last meeting? - No
MM	Treasurers report – All Fees have now been paid AT LAST, thanks
CK	There have been 2 problems this season – The first being the weather which low and behold is out of our hands and the second is teams cancelling fixtures and sometimes not even bothering to tell the committee or even the other team. This will be stopped, I spent 3hrs trying to re-jig things and sort out who has and who has not played. I have ensured that the main games are fixture in, games that will decide leagues and positions. As we are running out of time I have left some games out, if you wish to reschedule them yourselves please feel free. ALL GAMES WILL BE PLAYED BY 17TH MAY – NO GAMES PLAYED AFTER THIS DATE WILL BE ENTERED ONTO THE TABLES. 10 TH May – Cup games + some league – 17 th Semi finals – 24 th Finals.
	Some clubs asked if they could play there league and cup games at the same time as they were away in tournaments – after discussion it was agreed that if both teams wish to play it in one go they can.
SP	There will be trophies for league winners and a medal for everyone this year. The medal will have our new Northumberland Crest on as we have been given permission to use this as our league emblem.
NH	Presentation – Saturday June 21 st - we are proposing to hold a girls festival and presentation together. The games will be run in 2 hour slots give or take. The presentation of the league will run after the sessions for the 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd place. At the next meeting everyone will get a fixture list.
SP MM	AOB – What is law on drop balls as we had a parent of a referee on phone complaining about comments made after the referee used the correct restart procedure? The correct procedure is a drop ball, if the teams decide if can be an uncontested drop ball but that is their decision not the refs
MM	Next meeting – 13 th May Sporting Club