



Pre AGM Newsletter

21st February 2018

Greetings all:

1. 2018 AGM

This year's AGM will be held in Bampton Village Hall on Friday 6th April.

This is later than usual owing to extensive refurbishment of the hall during March.

Doors open at 7:30 to take subscription fees and the meeting will commence at 8:00pm.

An agenda will be published on the web site in the preceding weeks.

Please arrange to send a representative to support and, if necessary, vote on the views of your team.

If you want to voice your opinion or vote on any item - **BE THERE – DON'T WHINGE AFTERWARDS!**

2. AGM - Voting

Will members please note that if they wish to raise an issue at the AGM *that will result in a vote*, then they should notify us of that issue *in writing/email, no later than Monday 2nd April.*

Any item spontaneously raised from the floor can of course be discussed, but cannot be voted on.

The Committee will consider such issues and report back to the membership at the next AGM.

Any required voting will take place using issued cards on a strictly one vote per team basis.

No proxy voting (voting on behalf of another team) is permitted.

3. Registration & Recruitment

By the time you read this, it will be possible to register your team(s) via the web site.

We would appreciate registration as early as possible, and to avoid an excessive number of byes, we reserve the right to put latecomers on a reserve list.

The absolute closing deadline for registration is 12:00 noon on 9th April

We continue to actively recruit new venues, teams and players, so if you know of anyone who has the desire *and commitment* to play in the Bampton League, let me know asap.

4. Fees - IMPORTANT

The 2018 fee remains at £45, with a **£5 discount if paid before this year's AGM.**

Cash or cheque, you can post it to me, drop it into the Morris Clown, or bring it to the AGM.

Direct payment into our bank account can also be arranged on request. Receipts will be issued if required.

5. Supplies

Brian Collins will be invited to attend the AGM, so if you need any sticks, dolls, posts, swivels or practice dolls making up, let me know. I'll order them in advance and you can collect and pay for them on the night.

6. Key dates

To give you maximum time to plan your diaries, key dates are already published on the web site.

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