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Kit: (Home) Royal Blue, Royal Blue, Royal Blue. (Away) Red, Red, Red

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Kit: (Home) Purple, Black, Purple. (Away) White, Black, White

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Kit: (Home) Red/White stripe, Black, Black. (Away) Blue, Blue, Blue

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Ground: Kidbrooke Playing Fields, Dursley Road, Kidbrooke, London, SE3 8PB

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Kit: (Home) Yellow, Black, Black.. (Away) Red, Black, Red

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Kit: (Home) Red, Black, Red. (Away) Yellow/Black, Black, Yellow

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Kit: (Home) White, Red. Navy (Away) Yellow, Blue, Blue

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Kit: Pink,Pink,Pink (Away) Blue, White, White

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Ground: The Crouch, Crouch Gardens, Branber Lane, Seaford Tel: 01323 892221

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Ground: Broomfiels Park, The Grove, Swanscombe, Kent, DA10 0AD Tel: N/A

Kit: (Home) Yellow/Black,Black,Black (Away) Red/Black. Black, Black

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Ground: Danes Recreation Ground, Old Charlton Road, Dover, Kent Tel: N/A

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SECWFL Rules 09-10

NOMENCLATURE AND CONSTITUTION

1. (A) This Competition shall be designated the South East Counties Women's Football League and known as the South East Counties Women's Football League and shall consist of not more than 100 Clubs who shall be Full Member Clubs

All such Member Clubs must be affiliated to an affiliated County Football Association and their names and particulars shall be returned annually by the appointed date on the Form "D" to the Kent County Football Association. The area covered by the Competition Membership shall be Kent, Sussex and Surrey.

This Competition shall apply annually for sanction to the Kent County Football Association and the constituent teams of Member Clubs may be grouped in divisions, each not exceeding 12 in number.

Member Clubs shall not enter any of their teams playing in the Competition in any other Competitions (with the exception of F.A. and County F.A. Competitions) except with the written consent of the Management Committee of the Competition. Member clubs may only enter their primary County F.A.'s competitions without the written consent of the Management Committee

(B) At the Annual General Meeting or a Special General Meeting called for the purpose, a majority of the delegates present shall have power to decide or adjust the compilation of the divisions at their discretion. When necessary this Rule shall take precedence over Rule 12.

ENTRY FEE, SUBSCRIPTION, DEPOSIT

2. (A) Applications by Clubs for admission to this Competition or the entry of an additional team(s) must be made in writing to the Secretary and must be accompanied by an Entry Fee of £20 per team which shall be returned in the event of non-election.

At the discretion of a majority of the accredited voting members present applications, of which due notice has been given, may be received at the Annual General Meeting or a Special General Meeting. The Entry Fee shall apply.

When Rule 12(B) is applied or a team seeks a transfer or is compulsorily transferred to another division no Entry Fee shall be payable.

(B) The Annual Subscription shall be £30 per Club payable on or before the 1st June in each year.

(C) Each Club shall within on the day of election pay a Deposit of £0 which shall be returnable to Clubs on leaving the Competition provided they have fulfilled their fixtures and complied with all orders of the Management Committee.

(D) A Club shall not participate in this Competition until the Entry Fee, Annual Subscription and Deposit have been paid.

(E) Clubs must advise annually to the Secretary in writing by 1st July of its respective County Football Association affiliation number for the forthcoming Season, failing which they shall be fined £10. Clubs must advise the Secretary in writing, or on the prescribed form, of details of its Headquarters, Officers and any other information required by the Competition.

OFFICERS

3. The Officers of the Competition shall be the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary, Fixtures Secretary, Meetings & Minutes Secretary, Registration Secretaries, Referees Secretaries, and two Women's Football Conference Representatives to be elected annually at the Annual General Meeting.

The Annual General Meeting may also elect, if they so desire, the Patron, President, Vice Presidents and any Trustees in accordance with FA Rules. These shall not serve on the Management Committee, but may attend, if so invited, meetings of the League without voting powers.

MANAGEMENT, NOMINATION, ELECTION

4. (A) The Competition shall be governed in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of The Football Association by a Management Committee comprised of the Officers and not more than 4 members who shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting.

(B) Retiring Officers shall be eligible to become candidates for re-election without nomination. All other candidates for election as Officers or Members of the Management Committee shall be nominated to the Secretary in writing, signed by the Secretaries of two Member Clubs, not later than 30th April in each year. Names of the candidates for election shall be circulated with the notice of the Annual General Meeting. In the event of there being no nomination in accordance with the foregoing for any office, nominations may be received at the Annual General Meeting

(C) The Management Committee shall meet as often as is necessary to deal with business as it arises.

On receiving a requisition signed by two-thirds of the Members of the Management Committee the Secretary shall convene a meeting of the Committee.

(D) Except where otherwise mentioned all communications shall be addressed to the Secretary who shall conduct the correspondence of the Competition and keep a record of its proceedings.

(E) All communications received from Clubs must be conducted through their Secretary.

(F) Each Club must maintain at least 1 official club e-mail address for the receiving of competition correspondence.

POWERS OF MANAGEMENT

5. (A) The Management Committee may appoint sub-committees and delegate such of their powers, as they deem necessary. The decisions of all sub-committees shall be reported to the Management Committee for ratification.

(B) Subject to the permission of the Sussex County Football Association having been obtained the Management Committee may order a match or matches to be played each season, the proceeds to be devoted to the funds of the Competition and, if necessary, may call upon each Club (including any Club which may have withdrawn during the season) to contribute equally such sums as may be necessary to meet any deficiency at the end of the season. (See Rule 6(e)).

(C) Each Member of the Management Committee shall have the right to attend and vote at all Management Committee Meetings and have one vote thereat, but no Member shall be allowed to vote on any matters directly appertaining to such Member or to the Club so represented. (This shall apply to the procedure of any sub-committee).

In the event of the voting being equal on any matter, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

(D) The Management Committee shall have powers to apply, act upon and enforce the Rules of the Competition and shall also have jurisdiction over all matters affecting the Competition, including any not provided for in the Rules. Except where these Rules provide for the imposition of a set penalty any Club, Official or Player alleged to be in breach of a Competition Rule must be formally charged in writing and given the opportunity to present their case before the Management Committee. All breaches of the Laws of the Game, Rules and Regulations of The Football Association shall be dealt with in accordance with F.A. Rules.

(E) All decisions of the Management Committee shall be binding subject to the right of appeal to the Board of Appeal in accordance with Rule 16.

Decisions of the Management Committee must be notified in writing to those concerned within 14 days.

(F) Four Members of the Management Committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business of the Management Committee and Three Members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business by any sub-committee of the Competition.

(G) The Management Committee, as it may deem necessary, shall have power to fill in an acting capacity, any vacancies that may occur amongst their number.

(H) A Club having failed to comply with an order or instruction of the Management Committee, or failing to satisfactorily attend to the business and/or the correspondence of the Competition, shall be liable to be fined or otherwise penalised at the discretion of the Management Committee.

(I) All fines and charges shall be paid within 14 days of the date of posting of the written notification.

Clubs, Officials or individuals committing a breach of this Rule will incur such penalties as the Management Committee may impose.

(J) A member of the Management Committee appointed by the Competition to attend a meeting or match may have any expenses incurred refunded by the Competition.

(K) The Management Committee shall have the power to fill any vacancy that may occur in the membership of the Competition between the Annual General or Special General Meeting called to decide the constitution and the commencement of the Competition season.

(L) A Club failing to be represented at a Council or General Meeting may be fined £25.00 for the first occasion, £45.00 for the second occasion and £65.00 for any subsequent occasion in the same season. Clubs failing to be represented at two consecutive meetings without satisfactory reasons being given shall be further dealt with as the Management Committee may determine.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

6. (A) The Annual General Meeting shall be held not later than 1st July in each year. At this meeting the following business shall be transacted provided that at least 10 Members are present and entitled to vote:-
- (i) To receive and confirm the Minutes of the preceding Annual General Meeting.
 - (ii) To consider any business arising there from.
 - (iii) To receive and adopt the Annual Report, Balance Sheet and Statement of Accounts.
 - (iv) Election of Clubs to fill vacancies (as recommended by the Management Committee).
 - (v) Constitution of the Competition for ensuing season.
 - (vi) Election of Officers and Management Committee.
 - (vii) Appointment of Independent Examiner.
 - (viii) Alteration to Rules, if any (of which notice has been given).
 - (ix) Fix the date for the commencement and conclusion of playing season.
 - (x) Other business of which due notice shall have been given and accepted as being relevant to an Annual General Meeting.
- (B) A copy of the duly verified Balance Sheet, Statement of Accounts and Agenda shall be forwarded to each Club, and to the Sussex County Football Association, at least fourteen days prior to the meeting.
- (C) A signed copy of the duly verified Balance Sheet and Statement of Accounts shall be sent to the Sussex County Football Association by 30th September, following its adoption by the Annual General Meeting.
- (D) Each Full Member Club shall be empowered to send two delegates to an Annual General Meeting. Each Club shall be entitled to one vote only. Not less than 14 days' notice shall be given of any Meeting.
- (E) Clubs who have withdrawn their Membership of the Competition during the season being concluded or who are not continuing Membership shall be entitled to attend but shall vote only on matters relating to the season being concluded. This provision will not apply to Clubs expelled in accordance with Rule 17.

(F) All voting shall be conducted by a show of voting cards unless a ballot be demanded by at least one third of the delegates qualified to vote or the Chairman so decides.

(G) No individual shall be entitled to vote on behalf of more than one Full Member Club.

(H) Any new or continuing Member Club failing to be represented at the Annual General Meeting without satisfactory reason being given shall be fined £25.

(I) Officers and Management Committee members shall be entitled to attend and vote at an Annual General Meeting.

AGREEMENT TO BE SIGNED

7. The Chairman and the Secretary of each Club shall complete and sign the following agreement which shall be deposited with the Competition together with the Application for Membership for the coming season, or upon indicating that the Club intends to compete.

"We, A, _____ of _____ (Chairman) and B, _____ of _____ (Secretary) of the _____ Football Club have been provided with a copy of the Rules and Regulations of the South East Counties Football League and do hereby agree for and on behalf of the said Club, if elected or accepted into Membership, to conform to those Rules and Regulations and to accept, abide by and implement the decisions of the Management Committee of the Competition, subject to the right of appeal in accordance with Rule 16."

Any alteration of the Chairman and /or Secretary on the above Agreement must be notified to the relevant County Football Association(s) to which the Club is affiliated and to the Secretary of the Competition.

(Note: The spaces above are intended for the inclusion of the signatures and addresses of officers and members).

QUALIFICATION OF PLAYERS

8. (A) Contract players, as defined in Football Association Rules, are not permitted in this Competition.

(B) A registered playing member of a Club is one who, being in all other respects eligible, has:-

(i) Signed a fully and correctly completed Competition registration form in ink, countersigned by an Officer of the Club, and who has been registered with the (Registration Secretary two days prior to playing and whose completed registration counterfoil or Photo card has been received by the Club prior to playing or confirmation from the Registration Secretary has been obtained).

In addition, two passport-sized photographs, duly endorsed on the reverse by the player and an Officer of the Club, recognized by the League, must be included with each application for a new member of the Club. No registration of a player shall take place without the appropriate fee, form, and photographs.

Clubs may apply in writing for replacement of lost ID Card, the application to include a payment of £5.

Clubs with more than one team in the SECWFL may apply in writing for additional ID Cards for players. The application to include a payment of £1 and one passport-sized photograph, duly endorsed on the reverse by the player and an Officer of the Club, recognized by the League per card

(C) A team shall not include more than TWO players who have taken part in SIX or more games for a higher team during the current season. Unless a period of 40 days has elapsed since that player last played for a higher team- either within this Competition or within a higher Competition.

(D) A player having taken part in matches for any Club affiliated to any County Football Association shall not be allowed to join, be transferred to, or sign for a Club in the Competition without first proving to the officials of the intended Club that the player has discharged all reasonable financial liabilities to the previous Club or Clubs, and a Club official may not accept such player's signature without first ascertaining whether such claims have been discharged to the satisfaction of the Club, or Clubs, for which the player last played.

A correctly completed Clearance form must be sent to the Registration Secretary, showing that the player has discharged all reasonable liabilities to the previous Club or Clubs.

(E) A fee of £4.00 shall be paid for all players signing for the first time for a new club or who's registration requires a new photo card, a fee of £3 shall be paid for all players re-signing for the last club for which they were registered in the SECWFL and whose registration does not require a new photo card. £1.00 of which shall be donated to the League Benevolent Fund, also a maximum of £1 may be allocated to League Representative football.

(F) The Management Committee shall decide all registration disputes.

In the event of a player signing a registration form or having a registration submitted for more than one Club priority of registration shall decide for which Club the player shall be registered. The (Registration) Secretary shall notify the Club last applying to register the player of the fact of the previous registration.

(G) It shall be a breach of Rule for a player to:-

(i) Play for more than one Club in the Competition in the same season without first being transferred.

(ii) Having signed for one Club in the Competition, sign for another Club in the Competition in that season except for the purpose of a transfer.

(iii) Submit a signed registration form for registration that the player had wilfully neglected to accurately or fully complete.

(H) (i) The Management Committee shall have power to accept the registration of any player.

(ii) The Management Committee shall have power to refuse, cancel or suspend the registration of any player or may fine any player at their discretion who has been charged and found guilty of registration irregularities. (Subject to Rule 16).

(iii) The Management Committee shall have power to refuse or cancel the registration of any player charged and found guilty of undesirable conduct and to disqualify the player in question from participating in all games in the Competition. (Subject to Rule 16).

Undesirable conduct shall mean an incident of repeated conduct, which may deter a participant from being involved in this Competition.

(Note: Action under Clause (iii) shall not be taken against a player for misconduct until the matter has been dealt with by the appropriate Association, and then only in cases of the player bringing the Competition into disrepute.)

(I) Subject to The Football Association Rules dealing with players without a written contract when a player desires a transfer, the Club the player wishes to transfer to shall submit a transfer form to the Registration Secretary accompanied by a fee of £4.00. Such transfer shall be referred by the Registration Secretary to the Club for which the player is registered. Should this Club object to the transfer it should state its objections in writing to the Registration Secretary and to the player concerned within seven days of receipt of the transfer form. Upon receipt of the Club's consent, or upon its failure to give written objection within seven days, the Registration Secretary may, on behalf of the Management Committee, transfer the player who shall be deemed eligible to play for the new Club from such date of receipt of such transfer.

In the event of an objection to a transfer the matter shall be referred to the Management Committee for a decision.

(J) A player may not be registered for a Club nor transferred to another Club in the Competition after the last day in February except by special permission of the Management Committee.

(K) A Club shall keep a list of the players it registers and a record of the games in which they have played, and shall produce such records upon demand by the Management Committee.

(L) A register containing the names of all players registered for each Club, with the date of registration, shall be kept by the Registration Secretary and shall be open to the inspection of any duly appointed Member Club representative at all Management Committee meetings or at other times mutually arranged. Registrations are valid for one Season only.

(M) A player shall not be eligible to play for a team in any special championship, promotion or relegation deciding match (as specified in Rule 12(A)) unless the player has played four games for that team in this Competition in the current season.

(O)(i) Any team playing an unregistered or otherwise ineligible player or players may have the points gained in the match deducted from its total and may be fined and/or otherwise dealt with at the discretion of the Management Committee.

(ii) In addition the team may have up to three points deducted from its total at the discretion of the Management Committee and may be dealt with in any further manner, which is thought to be fit.

(iii) The Management Committee in exceptional circumstances may, at its discretion, award any points deducted from a Club under this Rule to the opponents in the match in question, subject to the match not being ordered to be replayed.

(The following Clause applies to Competitions involving players in full-time secondary education):-

(P) (i) Priority must be given at all times to school and school organisations activities.

(ii) The availability of children must be cleared with the Head Teachers (except for Sunday Leagues).

(iii) Children under 16 shall not play in a team involving players who are more than 2 years older.

(Note: For players under the age of 18 the provisions contained in Football Association Rules will apply.)

(Q) Each Club shall have at least ten players per team registered with the Registration Secretary by August 15th. Failure to comply with this rule shall incur a fine not exceeding £20.00.

(R) It is the responsibility of all Clubs to inform the Registration Secretary of the suspension of any player by the relevant County F.A. The registration Secretary must be informed of the player's name and duration of suspension prior to the commencement of the suspension. Failure to comply with this rule shall incur a fine not exceeding £20.00.

(S) All players must be 16 or over before being registered.

CLUB COLOURS. CLUB NAME

9. (A) Every Club must register the colour of its shirts and shorts with the Secretary by 31st July who shall decide as to their suitability.

Goalkeepers must wear colours, which distinguish them from other players and the referee.

No player, including the goalkeeper, shall be permitted to wear black or very dark shirts.

Any team not being able to play in its normal colours as registered with the Competition shall notify the colours in which they will play to its opponents at least SEVEN days before the match.

If, in the opinion of the referee, two Clubs have the same or similar colours, the away team shall make the change. Any team not having a change of colours or delaying the kick-off by not having a change shall be fined £10.

The Secretary of the Competition may request shirts to be submitted if complaints are received as to lack of distinguishing colours, and the Management Committee may refuse to permit any shirts or shorts as they think fit. Shirts must be numbered.

(B) Any Club wishing to change its name and/or colours must obtain permission from its affiliated County Association and from the Management Committee.

PLAYING SEASON. CONDITIONS OF PLAY

TIMES OF KICK-OFF. POSTPONEMENTS. SUBSTITUTES

10. (A) The Annual General Meeting shall determine the commencing and concluding dates for the ensuing season which shall be in accordance with Football Association Rules. No Club shall be compelled to play after the concluding date. Original fixtures arranged by the Fixtures Secretary, must not be arranged for a date later than seven days preceding the concluding date determined by the Annual General Meeting.

(B) All matches shall be played in accordance with the Laws of the Game as determined by the International Football Association Board.

Clubs must take all reasonable precautions to keep their grounds in a playable condition. All matches shall be played on pitches deemed suitable by the Management Committee. If through any fault of the home team a match has to be replayed, the Management Committee shall have power to order the venue to be changed.

The Management Committee shall have power to decide whether a pitch and/or facilities are suitable for matches in the Competition and to order the Club concerned to play its fixtures on another ground.

All matches shall have a duration of 90 minutes unless a shorter time (not less than 70 minutes) is mutually arranged by the two captains in consultation with the referee prior to the commencement of the match, and in any event shall be of equal halves.

The times of kick-off shall be fixed by the A.G.M. or the Management Committee. Any Club failing to commence at the appointed time may be fined a sum not exceeding £25 or be otherwise dealt with as the Management Committee may determine.

Referees must order matches to commence at the appointed time and must report all late starts to the Competition.

The home team must provide at least two footballs fit for play and the referee shall make a report to the Competition if the footballs are unsuitable. Goal nets must be used.

(C) Except by permission of the Management Committee all matches must be played on the dates originally fixed but priority shall be given to The Football Association and all relevant County Association Cup Competitions. All other matches must be considered secondary. Clubs may mutually agree to bring forward a match with the consent of the Fixtures Secretary.

(D) The Secretary of the home Club must give notice in writing of full particulars of the location of, and access to, the ground and time of kick-off to the match officials and the

Secretary of the opposing Club at least SEVEN clear days prior to the playing of the match. The away Club shall seek and acknowledge receipt of such particulars.

Any Club failing to comply with this Rule shall be liable to a fine of not exceeding £20.

(E) Every Club shall play its best available qualified team or teams in all matches in the Competition.

(Note: The intention of this Rule is not to interfere with normal team selection by Clubs, but to prevent Clubs deliberately fielding a weakened team in order to unreasonably reserve players for another game or to boost the strength of another or lower team. It is NOT intended that Clubs MUST field higher team players in lower teams when the higher team has no engagement. If, in the opinion of the Management Committee, the substance or spirit of the Rule is obviously being disregarded, the Club or Clubs concerned may be called to account for its/their actions and shall be subject to such decisions as the Management Committee may determine, despite the fact that Rule 8 has not been infringed.)

In the event of a Club playing in any match with less than EIGHT players they may be fined £5.00 for each missing player. A minimum of SEVEN players will constitute a team for a Competition match.

(F) Home and away matches shall be played. In the event of a Club failing to keep its engagement the Management Committee shall have power to inflict a fine, deduct points from the defaulting Club, award the points to the opponents, order the defaulting Club to pay any expenses incurred by the opponents or otherwise deal with them except the award of goals. Notwithstanding the foregoing home and away provision, the Management Committee shall have power to order a match to be played on a neutral ground or on the opponent's ground if they are satisfied that such action is warranted by the circumstances.

Any Club with more than one team in the Competition shall always fulfil its fixture, within the Competition, in the following order of precedence:- First Team, Reserve Team, A Team. Clubs in breach of this requirement shall be fined a sum not exceeding £50 or otherwise dealt with by the Management Committee.

Any Club unable to fulfil a fixture must, without delay, give notice to the Fixtures Secretary, the Competition Referees Secretary, the Secretary of the opposing Club and the match officials. Any Club failing to comply shall be dealt with by the Management Committee who may inflict any penalty it may deem suitable.

In the event of a match not being played or abandoned owing to causes over which neither Club has control, it shall be played in its entirety on a date to be set by the Fixtures Secretary.

Notice of postponement of any match, must be given without delay by the postponing Club (or notice of a Club being unable to fulfil any match must be given 48 hours prior to the match by the Club) to the Fixtures Secretary, the Competition Referees Appointments Secretary, the Secretary of the opposing Club and the match officials. Any Club failing to comply shall be dealt with by the Management Committee, which may inflict any penalty it deems suitable.

In the case of a referee/grounds person/local authority decision at the ground of the Home Club, a letter of explanation from the person making the decision is required within 14 days.

The Management Committee shall review all matches abandoned in cases where it is consequent upon the conduct of either or both teams. Where it is to the advantage of the Competition and does no injustice to either Club, the Management Committee shall be empowered to order the score at the time of the abandonment to stand. In all cases where the Management Committee are satisfied that a match was abandoned owing to the conduct of one team or its Club member(s) they shall be empowered to award the points for the match to the opponents and/or take what other action they may deem necessary. In cases where a match is abandoned owing to the conduct of both teams or their Club members, the Management Committee shall take such action as they consider appropriate. Such action is subject to any disciplinary action taken by the appropriate Affiliated Association.

(G) A Club may at its discretion and in accordance with the Laws of the Game use 3 substitute players in any match in this Competition who may be selected from 5 players.

Both teams must provide a list of players, including substitutes, with their correct shirt number, to the Referee at least 10 minutes before the scheduled kick-off time and in the presence of a representative from the opposing Club. Team sheets will then be exchanged. Failure to do so will incur a fine of **£20.00**.

A player who has been selected, appointed or named as a substitute before the start of the match but does not actually play in the game shall not be considered to have been a player in that game within the meaning of Rule 8 of this Competition.

(H) The half time interval shall be of 10 minutes duration, but it shall not exceed fifteen minutes. The half time interval may only be altered with the consent of the referee.

(I) Applications for postponements of fixtures due to illness or injury must be accompanied by official medical certification evidence to the Fixtures Secretary within 48 hours of the scheduled fixture.

(J) In the event of car or minibus breakdown or accident, a letter from the AA/RAC or police or other such organisation giving the time and place of breakdown or accident will be required. Clubs in breach of this rule shall be fined a sum not exceeding £50.

(K) Before the commencement of a match, an opposing team official (and/or member of the Management Committee) shall inspect the identity cards of all opposing players, including named substitutes. Failure to undertake this inspection will result in a fine of £10 for any offending Club.

To facilitate the inspection, players should line up round the centre circle 5 minutes before kick-off time. Any team not providing identity cards for inspection shall be reported by the other club to the match referee. The match referee will duly inform the Competition of the report on the match return card. The Match will be played. The Management Committee will review such cases and take appropriate action which may include the award of the match under Rule 8(0) and a fine not exceeding £100.

Any exceptional circumstances which might have prevailed will be taken into consideration by the management Committee. Any individual player without her identity card shall sign the match return form, (Yellow and pink copies) for signature verification by the registrations secretary. In the event of a dispute over the identity of a player that cannot be resolved between the two teams prior to the start of the match, an objection should be lodged with the match referee. The match referee will duly inform the Competition of the objection on the match return card. The Club making the objection should refer the matter to the Management Committee in accordance with Rule 15. No protest over the eligibility of individual player(s)

will be entertained under Rule 15 if the objection has not been lodged with the referee. Should a player without their identity card play in a match, the terms of Rule 8(O) shall apply.

(L) Any midweek fixture, once agreed by both teams and the Fixture Secretary, becomes bound by all League or cup Rules 14 days before the scheduled date. The Fixture Secretary will arrange midweek fixtures when necessary.

(M) A warm adequate facility to hold an after match reception with the provision of refreshments must be provided for all Premier Division matches.

REPORTING RESULTS

11. (A) The Registration Secretary must receive within THREE days of the date played, the result of each Competition match, and Cup match, including external Competitions and any abandonment's in the prescribed manner. This must include the forename(s) and surname of the team players (in block letters) including the substitutes used. Failure to do so will incur a fine not exceeding £25 and/or the Club being dealt with as the Management Committee decide. Shirt numbers must correspond to the numbers appearing on the Match Return Form. Clubs failing to comply shall be fined £10 for each match, which infringes this Rule.

(B) The Home Club shall telephone the result of each match, or confirm its postponement, to the Secretary or appointed person as advised by the League within TWO hours of the end of the match. Clubs competing in a competition outside the jurisdiction of the League (FA Cup, County Cup etc), whether home or away, must also telephone the result to the Secretary or appointed person as advised by the League within two hours of the end of the match. Failure to do so will result in a fine of £5 for the first offence, but will be increased by £5 for each future offence in the same season by the same Club..

(C) The match result notification, correctly completed, shall be signed by a responsible member of the Club. The Management Committee shall have power to take such action as they deem suitable against a Club, which submits an incomplete form or incorrect information.

DETERMINING CHAMPIONSHIP

12. (A) Team rankings within the Competition will be decided by points with THREE points to be awarded for a win and ONE point for a drawn match. The teams gaining the highest number of points in their respective Divisions at the conclusion shall be adjudged the winners. Matches must not be played for double points.

In the event of two or more teams being equal on points team rankings will be decided in the following order:-

- (ii) goal difference
- (iii) goals scored
- (iv) deciding match(es) played under conditions determined by the Management Committee.

(B) Automatic promotion shall be applied for the Winning team in each division. Automatic Relegation shall be applied for the bottom THREE teams in the Premier division and the bottom Two teams in all other Divisions except as provided for hereunder, subject to the provisions of Rule 1(b).

(i) Should one or more teams withdraw from any one Division after the fixtures have commenced an equal number of teams to those withdrawing in that Division shall not be automatically relegated.

(ii) Vacancies occurring after the conclusion of the season may be filled on any of the following ways:

- (a) retention of otherwise relegated team(s)
- (b) additional promotion of the next ranked team(s) from the Division below
- (c) election

(iv) When a senior team is relegated to a lower Division of which its reserve team is a member, or entitled to be a member, such reserve team must accept relegation to, or retain its position in, the next lower Division; and should the senior team be relegated to the lowest Division its reserve team automatically retires from the Competition.

(v) Should either or both of the leading teams in any of the Divisions have its senior team in the next higher Division, promotion shall fall, at the discretion of the General Meeting, to the next highest team or teams in the Division concerned.

(C) In the event of a team not completing 75% of its fixtures for the season all points obtained by or recorded against such defaulting team shall be expunged from the Competition table.

(D) Where a promotion and/or relegation link exists between Competitions ONE Clubs, providing they meet the appropriate grading criteria, will be eligible to make application to the London & South East Regional Competition at their Annual General Meeting. Should the Champion Club not wish for promotion or, alternatively, not have the necessary grading criteria, then the 2nd or 3rd place Club will be eligible under the same conditions.

At the end of each season and depending on the geographical location of Clubs gaining promotion to or being relegated from the London & South East Regional Premier Division, it may be necessary for the Competition either (a) to accept a Club from the London & South East Regional Premier Division, or (b) have a Club transferred to the same Competition.

The bottom TWO Clubs in the London & South East Regional Premier Division will be relegated. Each relegated Club will be allocated either to the London & South East Regional London Division or to the South East Counties Premier Division recommended as most appropriate by the Joint Liaison Committee.

In the event of there being no eligible Club with the necessary grading criteria from any of the Competitions, this will reduce the number of Clubs to be relegated from the London & South East Regional Premier Division.

(E) Where necessary the Management Committee shall have the power to order play-offs as appropriate to solve promotion and relegation issues.

REFEREES

13. (A) Registered Referees and Assistant Referees for all matches shall be appointed in a manner approved by the Management Committee and by the sanctioning Association(s). Where Assistant Referees are appointed, their fees and expenses shall be paid equally by the competing teams.

(B) In the event of the non-appearance of the appointed Referee, the senior assistant referee, where appointed, shall referee the game and the home club will be responsible for the provision of a club assistant referee. In case where there are no officially appointed Assistant Referees, then the Home Club shall be responsible for the provision with the agreement of the Away Club, which shall not be unreasonably withheld. A Referee thus agreed upon shall, for that game, have the full powers, status and authority of a registered Referee.

(C) The Management Committee may, if they consider it desirable, or upon application by the two competing Clubs, appoint Assistant Referees, if available, to any match. Where Assistant Referees are not appointed each Team shall provide a Club Assistant Referee. Failure to do so will result in a fine of £10 being imposed on the defaulting Team.

(D) The appointed Referee shall have power to decide as to the fitness of the ground in all matches and the decision shall be final subject to either in the case of a ground of a Local Authority or the owners of a ground, the Representative of that body is the sole arbiter and whose decision must be accepted unless the ground is declared fit for play.

(E) Match Officials appointed under this Rule shall be entitled to charge standard class public transport expenses or private car expenses of 25p per mile and any other permitted expenses actually incurred together with the following match fees:-

Referee £25. Registered Referees appointed by the Management Committee as Assistant Referees £15, subject to any limits laid down by the sanctioning Association(s).

The Home Club shall pay the Officials their fees and expenses within 30 minutes of the conclusion of the match.

(F) In the event of a match not being played because of circumstances over which the Clubs have no control, the Match Officials, if present, shall be entitled to half fee plus expenses. Where a match is not played owing to one Club being in default, that Club shall be ordered to pay the Officials, if they attend the ground, their full fee and expenses.

(G) A Referee not keeping an engagement, and failing to give a satisfactory explanation as to any non-appearance, may be reported to the Association with which the Referee is registered.

(H) Each Club shall, in a manner prescribed from time to time by The Football Association, award marks to the Referee for each match and the name of the Referee and the marks awarded shall be submitted to the Competition on the prescribed Form provided within THREE days of the date played. Where a mark of 50 or less is given, a written explanation of the reason for the marking must be given. Clubs failing to comply with this Rule shall be liable to be fined or dealt with as the Management Committee shall determine.

The Competition shall keep a record of the markings and, on the Form provided by the prescribed date(s) each season (currently required on a monthly basis), shall submit a summary to The Sussex County Football Association..

(I) The Referee shall submit a report Form, supplied by the Competition, giving the result of the match, the name of and mark for each Assistant Referee, a sportsmanship mark for each side and the time of kick-off to the Referees Secretary or other person as advised by the League within two days of the match.

(J) Referees and Assistant Referees shall be supplied, each Season, with a copy of the Competition Rules free of charge.

(N) If a Club does not confirm an appointment with a Match official at least FIVE days before the date of the match, that Match Official must contact the Referees Secretary.

(O) Each Club shall have a set of assistant referees' flags available. Failure to do so will result in the Club being fined **£5**.

CONTINUATION OF MEMBERSHIP OR WITHDRAWAL OF A CLUB

14. (A) After 31st December in the current Season a Club intending, or having a provisional intention, to withdraw a team from the Competition on completion of its fixtures and fulfilment of all other obligations to the Competition must notify the Secretary in writing by 31st March each Season or be liable to a fine not exceeding £15.

(B) A Club shall not be allowed to withdraw any or all of its teams from the Competition after the arrangement of fixtures for the following Season. Any Club infringing this Rule shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £50 per team and shall also be liable for its share of any call which may be made under Rule 5(B).

(D) In the event of a Member Club which is an unincorporated association withdrawing and/or disbanding it shall be immediately liable to discharge all its financial and other obligations to the Competition.

In the event that any such obligation remains undischarged after a period of twenty-one (21) days then such obligation shall be met by the then current Club Members, excluding those under the statutory school leaving age. Until a Member's pro rata obligation is discharged in full the Member shall not be allowed to participate in the Competition, which may apply to the Club's Parent County Association for a suspension order.

PROTESTS AND COMPLAINTS

15. (A)(i) All questions of eligibility, qualifications of players or interpretations of the Rules shall be referred to the Management Committee.

(ii) Objections relevant to the dimensions of the pitch, goals, flag posts or other facilities of the venue will not be entertained by the Management Committee unless a protest is lodged with the Referee before the commencement of the match. Any Club lodging such protest

and not proceeding with it shall be deemed guilty of a breach of this Rule and shall be dealt with by the Management Committee.

(B) Except in cases where the Management Committee decide that there are special circumstances, protests and complaints (which must contain full particulars of the grounds upon which they are founded) must be lodged in duplicate with the Secretary within SEVEN days (excluding Sundays) of the match or occurrence to which they refer. A protest or complaint shall not be withdrawn except by permission of the Management Committee. A Member of the Management Committee who is a member of any Club involved shall not be present (except as a witness or representative of his Club) when such protest or complaint is being determined.

(C) Any dispute occurring between Clubs in the Competition shall be referred for determination by the Management Committee whose decision shall be binding upon all parties subject to Rule 16.

(D) No protest of whatever kind shall be considered by the Management Committee unless the complaining Club shall have deposited with the Secretary a sum of £25. This may be forfeited in whole or in part in the event of the complaining or protesting Club losing its case. The Competition shall have power to order the defaulting Club or the Club making a losing or frivolous protest or complaint to pay the expenses of the enquiry or to order that the costs to be shared by the parties.

(E) All parties to a protest or complaint must be afforded an opportunity to make a statement when the protest or complaint is being heard and must have received 14 days notice of the hearing, together with a copy of the submission. When dealing with a protest or complaint the Management Committee shall take into consideration the possession by the protesting or complaining Club of any information which, if properly used, might have avoided the protest or complaint.

BOARD OF APPEAL

16. Within 14 days of the posting of written notification of any decision of the Management Committee or the Competition a Club, Official or Player against whom action is taken may appeal against such decision by lodging particulars in duplicate with the Secretary of the Sussex County Football Association, including a fee of £35, for adjudication of a Board of Appeal. A copy of the particulars of the Appeal shall also be sent to the Competition Secretary. The grounds of appeal shall be in accordance with FA Rules. The Board of Appeal may order the appeal fee to be forfeited and shall decide by whom the costs of the appeal shall be borne. The decision of the Board of Appeal is final and binding on all parties concerned.

No appeal can be lodged against a decision taken at an Annual or Special General Meeting unless this is on the ground of unconstitutional conduct.

EXCLUSION OF CLUBS.OR TEAMS
MISCONDUCT, CLUBS, OFFICIALS, PLAYERS

17. (A) At the Annual General Meeting, or at a Special General Meeting called for the purpose, Notice of Motion having been duly circulated on the Agenda, the accredited delegates present shall have the power to exclude any Club or Team from further membership which must be supported by more than two thirds (2/3) of those present and voting. Voting on this point shall be conducted by ballot.
- (B) At the Annual General Meeting, or at a Special General Meeting called for the purpose, in accordance with the provisions of Rule 19, the accredited delegates present shall have the power to exclude from further participation in the Competition any Club whose conduct has, in their opinion, been undesirable, which must be supported by more than two-thirds (2/3rds) of those present and voting. Voting on this point shall be conducted by ballot. A Club whose conduct is the subject of the vote being taken shall be excluded from voting.
- (C) Any official or member of a Club proved guilty of either a breach of Rule, other than field offences, or of inducing or attempting to induce a player or players of another Club in the Competition to join them shall be liable to expulsion or such penalty as a General Meeting or Management Committee may decide, and their Club shall also be liable to expulsion in accordance with the provisions of Clauses (A) and (B) of this Rule.
- (D) Any Club or Team failing to complete 50% of its fixtures in any season shall (unless the conditions are beyond their control, or the accredited delegates present at the Annual General Meeting or a Special General Meeting decide otherwise by a majority of two-thirds of the votes cast) be debarred from membership the following season.

TROPHIES:- LEGAL OWNERS, CONDITIONS OF TAKING OVER,
AGREEMENT TO BE SIGNED. AWARDS.

18. (A) If a Competition is discontinued for any reason a Trophy or any other presentation shall be returned to the Donor if the conditions attached to it so provide or, if not, dealt with as the sanctioning Association may decide.
- (B) The following agreement shall be signed on behalf of the winners of the Cup or Trophy:-
- “We A _____ and B _____, the Chairman and Secretary of _____ FC, members of and representing the Club, having been declared winners of _____ Cup or Trophy, and it having been delivered to us by the Competition, do hereby on behalf of the Club jointly and severally agree to return the Cup or Trophy to the Competition Secretary on or before _____. If the Cup or Trophy is lost or damaged whilst under our care we agree to refund to the Competition the amount of its current value or the cost of its thorough repair.”

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETINGS

19. Upon receiving a requisition signed by two-thirds of the Clubs in membership the Secretary shall call a Special General Meeting.

The Management Committee may call a Special General Meeting at any time.

At least 14 days notice shall be given of either meeting under this Rule, together with an agenda of the business to be transacted at such meeting.
Each Full Member Club shall be empowered to send two delegates to all Special General Meetings. Each Club shall be entitled to one vote only.

Any continuing Member Club failing to be represented at a Special General Meeting without satisfactory reason being given shall be fined £25.

Officers and Management Committee members shall be entitled to attend and vote at all Special General Meetings.

ALTERATION TO RULES

20. Alterations shall be made to these Rules only at the Annual General Meeting or at a Special General Meeting specially convened for the purpose called in accordance with Rule 19. Any alteration made during the playing season to the Rule relating to the qualification of players shall not take effect until the following season.

Notice of proposed alterations to be considered at the Annual General Meeting shall be submitted to the Secretary by 1st May in each year. The proposals, together with any proposals by the Management Committee, shall be circulated to the Clubs by 22nd May and any amendments thereto shall be submitted to the Secretary by 29th May. The proposals and proposed amendments thereto shall be circulated to Clubs with the notice of the Annual General Meeting. A proposal to change a Rule shall be carried if a majority of those present and entitled to vote are in favour.

A copy of the proposed alterations to Rules to be considered at the Annual General Meeting or Special General Meeting shall be submitted to the sanctioning Football Association 21 days prior to the date of the meeting.

Any alterations or additions decided upon at any meeting shall not become operative until the approval of the Association issuing sanction shall have been obtained.

RULES BINDING ON CLUBS

21. Each Member Club shall be deemed to have given its assent to the foregoing Rules and agreed to abide by the decisions of the Management Committee subject to Rule 16. Each Member Club must abide by any issued Football Association Code of Conduct.

FINANCE

22. (A) The Management Committee shall determine with which bank or other financial institution the funds of the Competition will be lodged.
- (B) All expenditure in excess of £150 shall be approved by the Management Committee. Cheques shall be signed by at least two Officers nominated by the Management Committee.
- (C) The financial year of the Competition will end on 30th April.
- (D) The books, or a certified balance sheet, of the Competition shall be prepared and shall be verified annually by some suitable person(s) who shall be appointed as independent examiners at the Annual General Meeting.

CHILD PROTECTION

1. Any act, statement, conduct or other matter which harms a child or children, or poses or may pose a risk of harm to a child or children, shall constitute behaviour which is improper and brings the game into disrepute.
- 2.(a) In these Regulations the expression "Offence" shall mean any one or more of the offences contained in the Schedules of the Criminal Justice and Court Services Act 2000 and any other criminal offence which reasonably causes The Association to believe that the person accused of the offence poses or may pose a risk of harm to a child or children.
- (b) All persons in such positions that The Association deems relevant whose normal duties include caring for, training, supervising or being in sole charge of children are required to obtain an Enhanced Disclosure via The Association's CRB process.
3. Upon receipt by The Association of:
- 3.1 notification that an individual has been charged with an Offence; or
- 3.2 notification that an individual is the subject of an investigation by the Police, Social Services or any other authority relating to an Offence; or
- 3.3 any other information which causes The Association reasonably to believe that a person poses or may pose a risk of harm to a child or children then The Association shall have the power to order that the individual be suspended from all or any specific football activity for such period and on such terms and conditions as it thinks fit.
4. In reaching its determination as to whether an order under Regulation 3 should be made The Association shall give consideration, inter alia, to the following factors:
- 4.1 whether a child is or children are or may be at risk of harm;

- 4.2 whether the matters are of a serious nature;
- 4.3 whether an order is necessary or desirable to allow the conduct of any investigation by The Association or any other authority or body to proceed unimpeded.
5. The period of an order referred to in 3 above shall not be capable of lasting beyond the date upon which any charge under the Rules of The Association or any Offence is decided or brought to an end.
6. Where an order is imposed on an individual under regulation 3 above, The Association shall bring and conclude any proceedings under the Rules of The Association against the person relating to the matters as soon as reasonably practicable.
7. Where a person is convicted, or is made the subject of a caution in respect of an Offence, that shall constitute a breach of the Rules of The Association and The Association shall have the power to order the suspension of the person from all or any specific football activity for such a period (including indefinitely) and on such terms and conditions as it thinks fit.
8. For the purposes of these Regulations, The Association shall act through its Council or any committee or sub-committee thereof, including the Board.
9. Notification in writing of an order referred to above shall be given to the person concerned and/or any club with which he is associated as soon as reasonably practicable.
10. The applicable standard of proof shall be the civil standard, of the balance of probability. The more serious the allegation taking into account the nature of the misconduct alleged and the context of the case the greater the burden of evidence required to find the matter proved. Save that for charges pursuant to The Football Association's Child Protection Policy, where the welfare and protection of children shall be paramount and the test shall be whether more likely than not.

The South East Counties Women's Football League

Rules governing all Cup Competitions for season 2009-10

Rule 1. Control.

The entire control and management of the competitions shall be vested in the Management Committee, hereinafter referred to as the Committee, and their decisions shall be final.

Rule 2. Organisation of the competitions

The Cups shall be competed for annually by clubs currently affiliated to this League, and the Football Association, and shall in all matches play their full available strength.

Rule 3. Entry.

{a} The S.E.C.W.F.L. may run three separate Cup competitions:

i) The League Challenge Cup - shall be open to all club's first teams, who play in the SECWFL only. Premier Division teams shall be seeded in the first round. . Entry may be granted to Reserve sides whose first team plays outside the SECWFL at the discretion of the Management Committee.

ii) The Chairman's Cup - shall be open to all club's first teams, who are eliminated in rounds up to and including the first round of the League Challenge Cup. Entry may be granted to Reserve sides whose first team remains in the League Cup at the discretion of the Management Committee.

(iii) The Reserves Cup - shall be open to reserves teams playing in the SECWFL, and contributory County Leagues. Where there are two reserve teams of the same club in the SECWFL, it is a condition that these two teams cannot be drawn against each other until the quarter-final stage, or later, of this competition.

{b} Matches shall be played on the dates set by the Fixture Secretary. Clubs wishing to play their matches on any other date may only do so having received permission of the Fixtures Secretary, and providing that their opponents agree.

Rule 4. Players Qualification.

{a} } No player in a current season shall be allowed to play for more than one club in the same competition. Players qualified by having appeared in 6 or more games of a higher team during the current season, cannot play in cup matches involving lower teams. Unless a period of 40 days has elapsed since that player last played for a higher team.

{b} The Committee shall have the power to disqualify any competing club, or player(s) of any competing club who may be proved, to the satisfaction of the Committee, to be guilty of any breach of the rules of the competition.

{c} In the case of postponed, abandoned or replayed matches, only those players shall be allowed to play who were eligible on the date fixed for the completion of the round, in which the match was originally played, or was to be played. In the event of fixture backlog of prior rounds preventing a cup-tie being resolved on the date set, that tie shall be rescheduled at the discretion of the Fixtures Secretary.

{d} For all rounds and the semi-finals of the competition a player must have been a registered playing member of her club on the original date fixed for the match to be played.

{e} Players eligible to play in the semi final of the competition, shall be allowed to play in the final tie

{f} Any club found guilty of fielding an ineligible player shall be removed from the competition, their opponents being reinstated, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £50.

Rule 5. Notice to opponents.

The club having choice of ground shall, seven days at least prior to the date of the tie, notify the secretary of the opposing club, and the referee, in writing of all particulars necessary for the playing of the tie, including the name of the appointed referee. The away club shall also be responsible for acknowledging receipt of such particulars. Clubs unable to provide proof of posting in the event of match details not arriving within the stipulated time shall be fined £10.00 for the first offence, and any subsequent offence shall be dealt with at the discretion of the Committee, and may lead to the offending club being considered in default of the fixture as per Rule 7.

Rule 6. How drawn.

The names of the clubs entering the competition shall be placed in one lot or in lots, at the option of the Committee, and shall be drawn from such lot or lots in couples at a time, the first drawn club having home advantage. These couples shall compete with each other at the time specified by the Committee and the names of the winning clubs shall be placed in a lot or lots, drawn in couples and compete as in the first tie, and so on until the final tie is reached. When it can be arranged, a club shall not have more than one bye during the same season.

Rule 7. Failure to play.

Any club failing to play the club against which it has been drawn within the time intimated to it, without sufficient reason for doing so, shall be adjudged to have lost the match and may be liable to a fine not exceeding £50.00. At the Committee's discretion, defaulting clubs may be refused entry to, or disqualified from, all cup competitions under the jurisdiction of the League in the current and/or subsequent season

Rule 8. Kick off times.

{a} All cup games shall commence as determined by the Fixtures Secretary. In the event of a team not ready to commence play at that time, the referee shall order the game to commence as soon as possible, allowing for the playing of extra time and the taking of penalties. If time does not allow, the game will be declared null and void and will be referred to the Committee for a ruling.

{b} The referee shall report any late starts to the Referees Secretary, and a defaulting team may be liable for all match expenses, and a fine. Failure to provide a satisfactory explanation may also result in the match being awarded to the opposing team, in a manner as previously decided by the Committee.

{c} During the months of November to February inclusive, all cup matches shall commence at 1.30pm. Agreement may be reached with the opponents, and the Fixture Secretary, for a later start if floodlights are available.

Rule 9. Referees and Assistant Referees.

{a} The Committee will appoint referees and assistant referees in the semi-final, and final ties. The referee in all matches, and the assistant referees in the semi-final and final ties, shall be neither past nor present members of either of the competing clubs, and their duties are defined in the Laws of the Game.

{b} Where no play is possible owing to causes over which neither club has control, the referee, if present, shall be entitled to half-fee plus expenses.

Rule 10. Referee's fees.

{a} Officials' fees in rounds prior to the final shall be as per League Rule 13 (E).

{b} The referee and assistant referees in the final shall receive a suitable memento plus standard traveling expenses paid for by the League.

Rule 11. Duration of matches.

{a} The playing duration of each tie in rounds prior to the semi-finals shall be 90 minutes, or such shorter period of not less than 70 minutes, as the referee may decide is advisable; but the referee shall extend such time limit to the extent which he considers time has been lost or wasted by accident or other cause. The half-time interval shall normally be five minutes, unless otherwise agreed by the referee, but shall not exceed fifteen minutes.

{b} Should the match result in a draw, after normal time, an additional 15 minutes each way extra time will be played. If, in the opinion of the referee prevailing circumstances would not permit the match to be finished, ten minutes each way may be played. If the referee decides to play ten minutes each way, he must notify both clubs before the commencement of extra time.

{c} Should the match still result in a draw then it will be decided on penalty kicks in accordance with the International Board recommended procedures.

Rule 12. Postponed, or abandoned matches.

{a} The Management Committee shall review all matches abandoned in cases where it is consequent upon the conduct of either or both teams. Where it is to the advantage of the Competition and does no injustice to either Club, the Management Committee shall be empowered to order the score at the time of the abandonment to stand. In all cases where the Management Committee are satisfied that a match was abandoned owing to the conduct of one team or its Club member(s) they shall be empowered to *award the match to the opponents and/or* take what other action they may deem necessary. In cases where a match is abandoned owing to the conduct of both teams or their Club members, the Management Committee shall take such action, as they consider appropriate. Such action is subject to any disciplinary action taken by the appropriate Affiliated Association.

{b} If a game is postponed twice for reasons relating to the pitch, the tie will be switched to the opponents ground. The Fixtures Secretary may agree to a neutral venue being used, in the case of further postponements

Rule 13. Ownership of the trophies.

{a} Clubs being presented with cups or shields must sign an agreement, as per League Rule 18. All cups and shields must be returned in good condition to the Chairman, or Secretary, of the SECWFL at the League Council Meeting in February. Clubs failing to do so shall be liable to a fine of not less than £10.

{b} Should the cup be lost, stolen, destroyed or damaged by fire or other accident whilst under the care or custody of the club, that club shall refund to the League the amount of its replacement value, or the cost of thorough repair.

{c} The cups can never become the absolute property of any club, and in the event of the dissolution of this League, it shall again become the property of the donors.

{d} The Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer of the League shall be, for all intents and purposes, the legal owners of the cup in trust for the donors.

{e} The League will present 16 mementos to both clubs competing in the final tie.

CODE OF CONDUCT - Re Club Websites

The Management Committee are concerned at the content of some Clubs Websites, which from time to time contain material, which could be construed as

1. Being libellous.
2. Being liable to bring the game into disrepute.

The Committee feels that it is vital to maintain the highest possible standards and therefore the following Code of Conduct must be adhered to, failing which appropriate disciplinary action may be taken which could include reporting the facts to the relevant County FA.

1. **Code of Conduct for Club Websites**

The website must not contain any words or phrases which are, or could be construed as

a) Libellous [for Example - "The Referee Jo Bloggs is a known cheat, and often takes bribes "]

b) Liable to bring the game into disrepute [for Example – " Next time we meet AFC XYZ we will have a real fight, blood will flow "]

c) Discriminatory in any form, whether race, creed or colour.

All content of the website should,

- a) Not use inappropriate language
- b) Not condone violations of the Laws of the Game,
- c) Show due respect towards Match Officials
- d) Show due respect towards the Team Officials and players of the opposition.
- e) Show due respect towards League & County FA Officials
- f) Not comment on anyone less favourably, on grounds of sex, sexual orientation, race, nationality, ethnic origin, colour, religion or disability.

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