

MEMORANDUM

TO :: Lee, Gary, Cyril, Ben.

FROM :: Chairman
SUBJECT :: Flint Tournament

Date :: Monday, 25 December 2023



CHRIS FLINT JUNIOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS :: 2nd/3rd MARCH 2024

There is just a smidgeon over 4 weeks before the above tournament: I am concerned that if we do not move swiftly we could end up with egg on our collective faces; therefore, as I have no experience in events like this I would pose the following questions etc.

- 1. We should advertise the event immediately, but to whom do we direct or aim the Advert? Other Clubs, County Associations? Etc
- 2. Bearing in mind the timescale the closing date for entries should be no later than1st February 2024.
- 3. At what rate should we set the entry fee ? [£10 just to cover costs of cotton tee shirts?]
- 4. Do we have an example of an entry form which we could copy?
- 5. What colour tee shirt? What lettering? [Supply could be three weeks!]
- 6. Awards or prize. I believe that Annette has procured a cup but I don't know if it has been engraved or not. Should we produce decent certificates and/or small replica cups?
- 7. Should we provide cash prizes or vouchers? Cash prizes of say £50 per category should be simpler but are there rules governing giving cash prizes?
- 8. What categories? Under 18; U15; U12 for both boys & girls?
- 9. We should seek a good number of volunteers for all sorts of Tasks.
- 10. First of all, the Rugby Club has full programme of matches on both days; this will require people to volunteer as Car Park Stewards, particularly on the 3rd.
- 11. Organisation on the days will call for volunteers to carry out "Registration/Reception" duties.
- 12. Quality markers/referee for the matches. Have we got enough one spot or blue balls?
- 13. What sort of hospitality/refreshments should we provide? Free or at cost to everyone?