

Whelan Cup 2008

The winners will receive the Perpetual Trophy presented by the late Mr. Billy Whelan, Senior Vice-President of the Railway Union club.

Regulations (for rounds other than the final)

1. Competition is for teams in the Intermediate A League or below or as decided by the Junior Branch Committee.
2. Eligibility of players is on the basis of the current league starring list. However unstarred players from the team above are not eligible. Any player who plays in two or more rounds in a higher midweek competition is not eligible, except with the specific permission of the Junior Branch Committee. Note also Paragraph 4:4 of the general playing regulations, regarding players not available on a regular basis.
3. Starting time 6.00 pm or by agreement of the captains, final 11.00 pm.
4. The Home Team is responsible for confirming the fixture.
5. Matches should be played on the dates shown or as soon as possible thereafter if the home teams ground is not free on that date. If the home team cannot provide a ground before the due date of the next round, they must concede home advantage.
6. League or Cup matches in progress take precedence over Whelan Cup matches.
7. Each innings will consist of a maximum of 15 eight ball overs.
8. No bowler may bowl more than 4 overs.
9. Higher runs scored wins. In the event of runs scored being level, the team taking the greater number of wickets wins. If these are also equal, the runs scored after 10 overs will decide the winner regardless of the number of wickets down. If runs scored at this point are equal, wickets down will decide. If none of these resolve the matter. the game shall be replayed at the reverse venue provided the competition schedule allows.
10. Where a match commences and is interrupted by weather, it shall continue on the next night that the ground is available (i.e. without cancelling any other competitive match under LCU aegis). If the first innings has not been completed when play is suspended the captains may agree to a complete restart which should take place on the next available night as above. If the home team's ground is not available to complete the match in line with the competition schedule, the matter shall be referred to the Junior Branch Committee who may order that the game be restarted on the reverse ground
12. Results to be notified on result cards in the normal way to Michael Sharp, Hon. Secretary of the Junior Branch, ensuring that they are received before the due date for the next round.

