



Oxfordshire ORFU

Junior competition Co-ordinator Report

February 2014



2013-14 Competitions/League Update

Junior Cups.

U13 Cup

Banbury have secured their place in the final.

Second semi-final between **Chinnor** & **Wallingford** had to be postponed due to the flooding and will take place on 2nd March.

U13 Plate

Witney have secured their place in the final

The second semi-final between **Oxford Quins** & **Chipping Norton** has been rescheduled for 2nd March.

U14 Cup

Chipping Norton have secured their place in the final.

The second semi-final between **Chinnor** and **Henley** has been rescheduled for 2nd March.

U14 Plate

The final will be contested between **Wallingford** and **Oxford Quins/Gosford**.

All finals are due to be hosted by Grove RFC on 16th March 2014

Junior Leagues.

U15 Division 1

Oxford Harlequins withdrew from the league pre-season, leaving 5 teams competing. To date, all matches have been played to schedule. The league table is as follows:

#	Team	Pd	Home			Away			All			Walkovers		Points			Pts
			W	D	L	W	D	L	W	D	L	Wo	Co	F	A	Diff	
1.	Wallingford U15s	5	2	0	0	2	1	0	4	1	0	0	0	102	22	80	21
2.	Chinnor U15s	5	2	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	127	77	50	16
3.	Henley Hawks U15's (A)	6	2	1	0	0	0	3	2	1	3	0	0	81	96	-15	11
4.	Banbury U15	6	1	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	111	168	-57	11
5.	Witney U15s	4	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	64	122	-58	6

U15 Division 2

There are six teams in this league. There are two matches that have had to be postponed. One has been rescheduled to the 23rd March and the other, (Abingdon vs Chipping Norton) has yet to be rescheduled. The league table to date is as follows:

#	Team	Pd	Home			Away			All			Walkovers		Points			Pts
			W	D	L	W	D	L	W	D	L	Wo	Co	F	A	Diff	
1.	Oxford U15s	7	2	0	1	4	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	226	41	185	30
2.	Abingdon U15s	6	3	0	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	208	29	179	30
3.	Stratford Upon Avon U15	6	2	0	1	2	0	1	4	0	2	0	0	98	94	4	19
4.	Chipping Norton U15	6	1	0	3	1	0	1	2	0	4	0	0	84	119	-35	10
5.	Grove U15s	6	1	0	1	0	0	4	1	0	5	0	0	72	182	-110	5
6.	Bicester U15s	7	0	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0	24	247	-223	0



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U15 Play-offs

The winner of Division 2 will be promoted to Division 1 for the U16 season 2014-15. Oxford Harlequins, by withdrawing from division 1 have effectively finished bottom of Division 1 and will be demoted to Division 2 for 2014/15. The club who finishes bottom of the remaining 5 clubs in Division 1 will be deemed to have finished second from bottom and will contest the play off against the club that finishes second to top in Division two. The play offs will be played in April 2014.

U16 Division 1

There are six teams in this league. There are two matches that have been postponed due to pitch conditions. This has left a heavy schedule in March, particularly for Wallingford who have league matches scheduled on all five Sunday's in the month. The league standings are as follows:

#	Team	Pd	Home			Away			All			Walkovers		Points			Pts
			W	D	L	W	D	L	W	D	L	Wo	Co	F	A	Diff	
1.	Banbury U16	6	3	0	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	159	37	122	28
2.	Witney U16s	5	1	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	103	101	2	11
3.	Chinnor U16s	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	74	53	21	9
4.	Wallingford U16s	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	63	60	3	9
5.	Grove U16s	6	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	10	158	-148	0

U16 Division 2

There are just three teams in this league due to pre-season withdrawals. All matches are up to date.

#	Team	Pd	Home			Away			All			Walkovers		Points			Pts
			W	D	L	W	D	L	W	D	L	Wo	Co	F	A	Diff	
1.	Henley Hawks U16's (A)	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	60	34	26	11
2.	Bicester U16s	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	67	37	30	9
3.	Oxford Harlequins U16s	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	15	71	-56	0

2014-15 Season.

Early indications are that there will be 12 teams competing in the U16 league next season. The numbers for the U15s are not as robust with only 6 clubs having confirmed their intention to compete. Those who have committed are:

- Witney (would like to enter a B team into Div 2. How would this be policed ?)
- Chinnor
- Wallingford
- Stratford
- Henley
- Oxford Quins/Gosford
- Abingdon
- Banbury

Oxford have confirmed that they will not have the numbers to compete next year. Grove are not competing this year, and Bicester U14s are combined with their U15s – so neither of these clubs are expected to participate. If Chipping Norton do confirm (which is anticipated), there will be only 9 clubs competing in the U15 league for 2014/15.