

Dear Club Secretary, M & Y Contact and Fixtures Secretary

GRFU is delighted to introduce you to a new **Online Fixture Exchange** at www.crfp.info

PLEASE NOTE YOU HAVE TO **REGISTER ON THE SYSTEM FIRST** BEFORE YOU CAN START USING IT. YOU CANNOT JUST ENTER FIXTURE REQUESTS AS AND WHEN.

This is a 24/7 service which has been in operation since 2005 and has the full endorsement of GRFU. It is also used by Warwickshire & Leicestershire RFU as their official pool service and Yorkshire RFU clubs are in the process of joining for this season.

Club Fixture Secretaries operate it by posting their requirements on the calendar and also looking for potential opposition; meaning it's constantly up to-date, unlike other social media or email set-ups.

Each County has its own dedicated calendar so its clubs can view just the fixtures in their county - but with the option of looking at clubs in other Counties by selecting it from the menu. This is particularly useful for clubs on county borders.

You can also post-date a fixture for any week in the season - a feature which M&Y sections find particularly useful.

The CRFP is registered with HMRC as a 'not-for-profit clubs & society account' and charges an annual IT admin fee of £10 which covers the whole club.

However, any new club joining the service gets the first season **FREE OF CHARGE** so you can evaluate the system before committing to the fee for subsequent seasons.

If you are interested in this pool service for your club please use the link www.crfp.info or contact Tony Wakelin, CRFP Administrator, 07778 465120, who can provide a temporary log-in should you wish to evaluate the system first.

When your Club Secretary receive copies of the new GRFU Handbook you will find full details on page 54.

We sincerely hope this will take a lot of stress away from our busy Fixture Secretaries to the benefit of the whole game.

Kind regards

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