

RE: WODFORD CC SELECTION COMMITTEE – SELECTION PROCEDURES FOR 2024

As Chair of the Selection Committee I wanted to share with all members the process of selection for senior teams in the hope that this understanding promotes an open and transparent system for the forthcoming season.

The Selection Committee comprises captains and vice captains of all senior teams and a Chair of Selectors.

Selection for the 2024 season will be conducted along the following principles.

The selection meeting will take place on the **Wednesday** of each week during the course of the season, starting at **7.30pm**.

ALL players **MUST** confirm their availability before the meeting starts, this is availability for the weekend not which team you are available for.

During the meeting we will consider:

- Whether subscriptions, and match fees have been paid.
- Performance of individuals available for selection
- Consistency regarding player availability
- Equity regarding 'game time' – we will do all that we can to avoid selecting a player for a team in which they are unlikely to have a chance to perform. This may necessitate alternating selection so that players are given fair opportunity.
- How we can continue to promote the development of junior players.

It should be noted that the purpose of selection is to select teams.

How players feature in the game itself is a matter for the team captain and vice-captain.

Teams will then be circulated with a confirmation of a meeting time. This is not a guide. There are jobs to get done for home games and journeys to be made for away fixtures. It is imperative that players adhere to the meeting time for their match.

Chair, Selection Committee.