



The Young Umpire Newsletter

North Region

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NORTH YOUNG UMPIRE NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the inaugural North Young Umpire Newsletter!

This newsletter is issued to all of the young umpires registered on the Young Umpire Programme. The objective of the programme is to provide a clear pathway for young umpires from start through to success utilising the regional YUAG's (Young Umpire Action Groups) to provide mentoring days, training opportunity, etc so that all young umpires have the opportunity to develop to Level 1 umpires and above!

We hope that by providing this newsletter, young umpires like you will continue to develop knowledge and skills as well as keeping you up to date with all the latest mentoring dates and other information.

In this and future issues you'll find interesting stories relating to all things umpiring with news stories, equipment articles, umpire profiles, quizzes and much more.

If you know of any news that you think should be contained within this news letter, then please do not hesitate to contact the North Office at north@englandhockey.org.

We hope that you enjoy this issue!

Kind regards

The team at the North Regional Office

Competition Time: We need a catchy name for this all new newsletter. Send us in your ideas for the new name no later than Friday, 18th November 2005 and we'll choose the best name and let you all know who has won!!!



Young Umpire Promising List

The Young Umpire Promising List contains those Young Umpires that have the potential to progress at a national level and beyond!

The promising list is split into two categories; panel A and developmental. Panel A is classed as being able to umpire in any junior England appointment and developmental contains those who show the potential to become panel A.

The North is proud to have two Young Umpires on the promising list, both from Bradford H.C.

They are:

Dan Barstow – Panel A

James Moorhouse – Developmental

Congratulations to both Dan and James for their success and we hope to see them progress further with their umpiring careers!

Young Umpire Profile: Dan Barstow



Dan won Young Umpire of the Year 2004 and is pictured handing the award onto the 2005 winner, Emma Davey (East Region).

Dan started umpiring when he was just 10 years old in the Yorkshire Youth Leagues in between games that he was playing in.

He then progressed into mini hockey events, the Millennium Youth Games and the National Young Umpire Challenge.

Dan has gone from strength to strength with his umpiring whilst still playing and being part of the North YUAG.

Dan is only 17 years old but has already been selected to umpire at:-

U16 Girls 4 Nations Berlin April 2004

U16 Boys Europeans Millfield July 2004

U16 Boys 4 Nations Barcelona March 2005

U18 Boys Europeans Poland 2005

Dan was also appointed to a men's national league match Harrogate v Whitchurch April 2005.

Young Umpire Wordsearch

Y	E	D	J	S	U	A	A	W	H	I	S	T	L	E	K	L	W	V	Q
E	Y	E	A	R	O	F	T	H	E	U	M	P	I	R	E	G	D	O	F
A	E	S	T	I	C	K	T	A	C	K	L	E	P	E	R	O	D	L	U
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Y	U	Y	X	A	Z	H	W	U	W	L	I	R	J	D	M	Z	X	S	T

You are looking for the following words:

Whistle
Stick tackle
Hockey Rules OK
Volunteer
Naomi

Green card
Stick
Skort
Penalty Corner
Lewis

Yellow card
Year of the Umpire
Goalkeeper
England Hockey
Laura

Red card
Third party
Young Umpire
North



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National Indoor Hockey Championships Move to the Midlands



The Championships feature the top four men's sides and top four women's sides from the England Hockey Indoor League which is held in January 2006. These teams are playing off to be the Champions of England and with it qualify for the European championships.

The schedule of play is intended as

0915 hrs	Boys U16 Final
1005 hrs	Girls U16 Final
1100 hrs	Women's Semi 1
1210 hrs	Men's Semi 1
1320 hrs	Women's Semi 2
1450 hrs	Men's Semi 2
1555 hrs	Boys U18 Final
1640 hrs	Girls U18 Final
1740 hrs	Women's Final
1900 hrs	Men's Final

correct at time of press

Qualifiers for the Men's & Women's Semi Finals will be known after 22 January. Qualifiers for the Boys & Girls Finals will not be known until the day.

Tickets will be on sale from 3rd October 2005 and can be purchased by telephone, online or in person from the ICC or NEC box offices. Disabled customers are advised to book early.

Ticket Prices

Adult	£17.00
Concession*	£13.00
Wheelchair/carers	£10.00
Indoor Club	£48.00
Hospitality Box	£750.00

Special Offers

Family ticket
Children~ go half price with 2 adults
(~ min 2, max 4)
Buy 10 tickets get the 11 th free

*Concession - U18s, Students (NUS card holders), Senior Citizens over 60, Birmingham City Council Passport to Leisure holders.

Hospitality boxes

These offer exclusive use of a superbly appointed box for 14 people and a full hospitality package. **Tickets holders for the Indoor Club** receive a full hospitality package and excellent seats in Block 10. For further details and to book these two packages contact England Hockey on 01908 544664.

Credit/Debit Card Ticket hotline
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For further information please contact Stephen Barlow Stephen.barlow@englandhockey.org

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For any information on what's going on in the North, please log on to the England Hockey website www.englandhockey.co.uk and look at the North page. You can find the latest coach and umpire education programmes on there, along with details of any upcoming events in the region.

Register for the England Hockey news e-bulletin for news updates delivered directly to you! Visit the England Hockey website for more information

Mentoring Dates to put in your Diary...

The North is split into 3 Young Umpire sub-regions; North East, North West and Yorkshire.

Each of the sub-regions has a committee known as a Young Umpire Action Group (YUAG) who are responsible for the development of young umpires such as you and ensuring that you are given every opportunity possible to be properly mentored and assisted in your development as an umpire.

Below are dates identified by the North East YUAG for your diary. We have invited those of you from the North East to attend the first two dates but if you have received no invitation from us and are interested in attending any of the dates below, please contact the North Office at north@englandhockey.org.

Watch this space for mentoring opportunities coming to your area soon!!!

Month	Event
November '05	§ Sunday 13 th November – U13 Girls & Boys NEYHL (Nth East Youth Hockey League) – Egglecliffe School, Egglecliffe, Cleveland
December '05	§ Sunday 11 th December – U13 Girls & Boys NEYHL – Egglecliffe School
January '06	§ Sunday, 29 th January – U13 Girls & Boys Nth East Minis Rounds – Maiden Castle
February '06	§ Sunday, 12 th February – U13 Boys NEYHL – Durham School
	§ Sunday, 19 th February – U11 Girls & Boys Nth East Minis Rounds – Maiden Castle
April '06	§ 2 nd April – North Young Umpiring Challenge/North Minis Finals – Maiden Castle

LOCAL CONTACTS

Below is a list of all the County Sports Partnerships (CSP's) in the North region, and the Hockey Development Officers (where in post) who operate within them. For more information about the future proposed delivery of hockey within the County Sports Partnerships, you can download the 'Delivering Hockey- consultation draft' from the EH website (www.englishockey.co.uk) under the 'downloads' section in the 'Young People' menu. For information regarding your county, contact the relevant Development Officer/County Sports Partnership (below)

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