

BADMINTON

ENTRY FEE

- 1.1 The entry fee for the 2009/2010 ULU Inter-Collegiate League Season shall be determined by ULU and ratified by ICSC at the beginning of the academic year.

COMPETITION FORMAT

- 2.1 The League will abide by the rules and regulations of the Badminton England (www.badmintonengland.co.uk)
- 2.2 Fixtures are listed on a Monday, for completion prior to the following Monday, to allow maximum flexibility in acquiring court time.
 - 2.2.1 Clubs **MUST** inform ULU of their proposed home 'match day' for the season, along with Venue. Games must be played on the match day of the home side.
- 2.3 Teams will be required to play each other once over the course of the league season.
- 2.4 Clubs **MUST** update their home matches on the league website, along with the venue.
- 2.5 3 points will be awarded for a win, 0 points for a loss.
- 2.6 In addition to the league there shall be one separate Cup Competition run during the course of the league season. All the regular League Rules shall apply in addition to regulations 6.1 & 6.2
- 2.7 If a match is forfeited by a team the score shall be recorded as 9-0 to the team not at fault and the team at fault will be deducted 3 points.
- 2.8 Leadership of the League Table will firstly be determined on points alone. If there is a tie on points, the result of the games between the teams concerned shall be the determining factor. If one or more of the teams involved in the tie has received a walkover, then all results involving the team that gave the walkover will be discounted.
- 2.9 Where there is no other method of completing the entire league programme, a cup match may be played as a double header, representing both league and cup fixtures.

CONDUCT OF MATCHES

- 3.1 The type of shuttle used for league matches is to be feather, with speed optional – to be provided by the home team.
- 3.2 Teams shall consist of three mixed pairs. A match shall consist of each pair playing the opposition three pairs.
- 3.3 Normal (BE) rules of badminton shall apply. Play 3 games apiece to 15.

SUBMISSION OF RESULTS

- 4.1 **Home teams** will be responsible for entering all of their ULU League and cup results into the on-line results system within 48hrs of each completed fixture. **Failure to do this will result in a 1 match penalty point deduction being imposed against the home team.**

CUP COMPETITIONS

- 5.1 Teams wishing to enter the Cup will be drawn in a free draw.
- 5.2 **Cup fixtures MUST be played within their scheduled week.** Failure to do so will result in the team at fault being eliminated from the competition.