
ECBA Selection Committee (SC): management of Eastern Counties League (ECL) matches.

1. At the start of each selection year (usually January) the SC will meet and discuss the composition of the whole ECL squad. It is expected that the composition of the squad will be subject to on-going review with SC members making recommendations for discussion at any time.
2. Once match dates and pairs' availabilities are to hand (obtained by the established Google Form system) the SC will start to allocate players to matches and will, usually, inform the players at least two months in advance of each match date.
3. The Division 1 team for each match will be named first. The Division 2 team will then be allocated pairs, one of which will be named reserves for the Division 1 team. The Division 3 team will then be chosen, one pair of which will be the named reserves for the Division 2 team. A reserve pair will be chosen for the Division 3 team.
4. The SC will appoint a match captain for each division who must ensure that he/she is familiar with the duties of that role. The Division 1 captain will be the overall match-day captain.
5. One week before each event the SC will request confirmation from all selected players and reserves that they remain available. (See instructions to players about change in availability in "Information about ECL availability form 2024-25".)
6. When home matches are face-to-face, the SC will confirm in good time that booked venues and caterers remain available.
7. The SC will monitor players' performances and may use that data to inform further selections.
8. The SC will collectively prepare any reports on teams' performances for the Chair to present to the main committee.
9. The SC may co-opt a member from the county to undertake specific roles with regard to match management, training or other activities as the SC determines.

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