

Fantasy League 2009 – Rules

Object of the Game

The objective of the game is to pick a squad and then manipulate it to maximise the number of points scored.

Duration of Game

The competition will run from 18th April 2009 to 20th September 2009 inclusive.

Valid Competitions

Teams will score points in the NYSD senior league matches only. Points will not be awarded for playing in any of the cup competitions.

Composition of a Fantasy Team

A fantasy team consists of 11 players of which 5 must be batsmen, 4 bowlers, 1 all rounder and 1 wicketkeeper. **Only one professional may be selected.**

Each amateur player will have a rating between 1 and 5; professionals will automatically have a rating of 6. The total rating of the team must not exceed 30.

These 11 players will accumulate points.

The rates are assigned to players as follows:

Based on the final league averages from the 2008 season, combining all three divisions.

Rating	Batsmen	Bowlers	All rounders	Wicketkeepers
1	< 100 runs	< 10 wickets	Highest option from Batsmen or Bowlers	< 10 victims
2	100 – 200 runs	10 – 14 wickets		10 – 14 victims
3	201 – 300 runs	15 – 19 wickets		15 – 19 victims
4	301 – 400 runs	20 – 25 wickets		20 – 25 victims
5	401 + runs	26 + wickets		26 + victims
6	Professional Cricketer			

Transfer of Players

You will be allowed to transfer two players which can take place between Monday 22nd June and Friday 26th June providing the relevant transfer fee of £1 accompanies the transfer application. Any transfers received after this date will not be accepted.

Also after your transfer application has been submitted your total rating must not exceed 30 otherwise your transfer form will not be accepted and you will continue the season with your original team.

If after selecting your team you wish to make an amendment, as long as the season has not started then you will be allowed to submit a revised team.

Disputes / Refund Policy

In any dispute, the decision of the organising committee will be final.

Accuracy of Information

Every effort will be made to keep the information on the web-site accurate. However, we cannot accept any responsibility for the consequences of inaccurate data.

Entry Fees

There is a £2.50 entry fee per team which must be paid when submitting your team. Teams which have not been paid for will not be entered into the competition.

Closing date for entries is Friday 17th April 2009.

Scoring Points

The point scoring system is as follows:

	All Players
Appearance	10
Win	5
Lose	-5
Draw	2
Wickets Taken	25
Runs conceded	-1
4+ wicket Haul	30
Maiden Over	5
Catches Taken	10
Stumping/Run Out	10
Runs Scored	1
Half Century Scored	20
Century Scored	40
Not Out	5
Did Not Bat	0
Duck	-25

Run Outs are accredited to the thrower of the ball not the receiver.

If two teams have an equal number of points then the one with the lowest team rating will take precedence.

If a game is called off before the away team travels then no points will be awarded, however, if both teams are at the ground and the match is called off then appearance points will be awarded.

Prize

The prize money will be shared between 1st and 2nd place.

The total prize money will be declared after the first match and the split will be:

1st place will receive 70% of the monies
2nd place will receive 30% of the monies

In the event of there being two teams finishing on the same number of points then the team with the lowest team rating will take precedence.

If there are two or more identical teams entered and they then finish in either first or second place then the money will be split accordingly.

e.g. If there are two teams the same and they both finish first then the prize money will be split as follows:

Joint 1st place will receive a total of 70% of the monies
35% to each winner
2nd place will receive the remaining 30%.