



## MKINL 2018/19 Fairplay & Umpire Award Guidelines

### Guidelines to the Fairplay Award

The Fairplay Award is to assist umpires in awarding teams who have:

- 5 – Consistent good manner, good play, good timing, acceptance of decisions, courteous, display good sportsmanship
- 4 – As above with the occasional mishaps such as raised eyebrows or comments.
- 3 – Average play with inconsistent attitude, edging on a bit of aggravation but no major incidents
- 2 – Frequent attitude, more bad than good play
- 1 – Continuous bad attitude, bad sportsmanship, several warnings

An award will be given out to 1 team in the league who has the highest Fairplay Awards, this is a great recognition of good sportsmanship.

### Guide to the Umpire Award

The Umpire Award is to assist teams in awarding umpires who have:

- 5 – Consistent with decisions, well managed, good communication, unbiased
- 4 – Mostly consistent, well managed, good control, good communication, unbiased
- 3 – Inconsistent
- 2 – Frequently missing significant infringement, not keeping up with play
- 1 – Continually missing significant infringements, behind play

An award will be given out to 1 umpire per division who has the highest Umpire Awards, this is a great recognition to say thank you to these umpires for their commitment to the league.

This award will be called the 'Golden Whistle Award'.

These awards are given out to promote good sportsmanship amongst players, umpires and teams overall, without the players and teams there is no league, without the umpires there are no games.

