



## **Yorkshire R.F.U**

### **Disciplinary Hearing**

A Yorkshire RFU Ltd Disciplinary Committee meeting at Express by Holiday Inn, Oulton, Leeds on October 17<sup>th</sup> 2011 heard the following cases:

1. Adam Cox, of Richmondshire RUFC, who was sent off for punching, on September 10<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended until he appears.
2. Semi Lul Thomas, of Richmondshire RUFC, who was sent off for stamping, contrary to law TE10 (4) (b) on September 17<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 6 weeks and can resume playing on the 1<sup>st</sup> November 2011.
3. Gary Woodcock, of Dinnington RUFC, who was sent off for 2 yellow cards, contrary to law LE10 (4) (m) on September 10<sup>th</sup> 2011, sending off sufficient.
4. Sean Kelly, of Keighley RUFC, who was sent off for a dangerous tackle, contrary to law LE10 (4) (g) on September 10<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 1 week and can resume playing on the 20<sup>th</sup> September 2011.
5. Mike Walker, of Hornsea RUFC, who was sent off for stamping, contrary to law MR10 (4) (b) on September 10<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 3 weeks and can resume playing on the 25<sup>th</sup> September 2011.
6. Kerry Wood, of York R.I RUFC, who was sent off punching, contrary to law LE10 (4) (a) on September 17<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 2 weeks and can resume playing on the 4<sup>th</sup> October 2011.
7. Andrew Townend of Hessle RUFC, who was sent off for punching, contrary to law LE10 (4) (a) on September 17<sup>th</sup> 2010, was suspended for 2 weeks and can resume playing on the 4<sup>th</sup> October 2011.

8. James Walker, of Rishworthians RUFC, who was sent off for a dangerous tackle, contrary to law MR10 (4) (j) on September 17<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 4 weeks and can resume playing on the 1<sup>st</sup> November 2011.
9. Ryan Donnelly, of Dinnington RUFC, who was sent off for punching, on September 24<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended until he appears.
10. James Blakemore, of Dinnington RUFC, who was sent off for a head butt, contrary to law LE10 (4) (a) on September 24<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 2 weeks and can resume playing on the 25<sup>th</sup> October 2011.
11. Steven Hayward, of Castleford RUFC, who was sent off for punching, contrary to law TE10 (4) (a) on September 24<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 2 weeks and can resume playing on the 25<sup>th</sup> October 2011.
12. Paul Dobson, of Bradford Salem RUFC, who was sent off for stamping, contrary to law MR10 (4) (b) on September 24<sup>th</sup> 2011, was suspended for 3 weeks and can resume playing on the 18<sup>th</sup> October 2011.
13. Nathan Cooper, of Hemsworth RUFC, who was sent off for punching, contrary to law MR10 (4) (a) on October 1<sup>st</sup> 2011, was suspended for 3 weeks and can resume playing on the 25<sup>th</sup> October 2011.
14. David Taylor, of Old Modernians RUFC, who was sent off for a head butt, contrary to law MLE10 (4) (a) on October 1<sup>st</sup> 2011, was suspended for 2 weeks and can resume playing on the 1<sup>st</sup> November 2011.
15. Andy Lowe, of Old Modernians RUFC was suspended from the touchline for 4 weeks. Suspension suspended until the end of the season when it will lapse if there are no further incidents.

Sheffield RUFC – Sheffield RUFC were severely reprimanded for allowing an infringement of Rule 15.1.2 to occur on 7<sup>th</sup> May 2011.

Committee recognised the actions already taken by Sheffield RUFC in response to this infringement.

1. Sheffield RUFC were to put up posters to make their Members aware that the Club had been reprimanded.
2. Meetings to be held with each age grade parents to make them aware of regulations. Minutes of these meetings to be sent to the Disciplinary Committee.
3. John Sheppard to keep Disciplinary Committee informed of actions taken by Sheffield RUFC and success of courses held.

The panel was chaired by R Childs and also comprised A. Posthuma, P. Taylor, J. Sheppard and R Matthews (Secretary)