

SCNA Officiating Notice

To all Leagues and Clubs

Please note we have become aware of clubs using umpires who are not active members of England Netball. All league rules require all officials to be a fully paid up and active member of England Netball through the Engage website and it is for clubs to check that independent umpires they use are proper members. Likewise umpires who are working towards their C Award MUST have attended a C Award Course within the last 2 years.

Clubs need to be cautious when accepting umpires from requests on social media and should ask to see evidence that such an umpire is a full member of England Netball. If necessary leagues can make enquiries and carry out checks so if any club has a concern or requires checks to be made they should contact the league secretary BEFORE the umpire officiates at any match. Clubs must take on board that any person umpiring without the due membership is not carrying the appropriate insurance or meeting the league rules so penalties may be applied

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