

## Durham County Rugby Football Union Referees' Society

### Referees' Grades – Season 2017-18

**January 2018 updated March 2018**

RFU Panel	Former RFU Panel	RFU - ARs	Group – Level 5
John Meredith	John M. Pearson Alan Hughes Brendan Fitzmaurice Will Halford	Paul Fincken	Nathan Howarth Adam Morrison Nikki O'Donnell
Level 6	Level 7	Level 8	Level 9
Matt Dunn * Charl Erasmus Gareth Foreman * Carl Hall Mark Harrington Mark Jude Alex Mackinder * Paul Musgrave	Paul Candlish Les Cash Colin Davison Steven Green * (David Hines) Andrew Scott Ray Sutherland David Swainson Philip Walton Andrew Wilson	Trevor Alley Kevin Allison Andrew Bennett * Derek English Phil Jukes Kevin Lund Andrew Purves Joe Riddle Tony Rutherford Mark Smith Mark West Simon Williams * Mark Wise	Simon Ashton Michael Brace Shaun Cox Frank Cruise Chris Evans John Forester Andy Grey Tim Hilditch Mark Hirst Alan Irvin (Gary McKay) (Mark Moss *) Cameron Patterson +* Mark Piert Kevin Scott
Level 10	Level 11	NNASA	Young Officials' Squad
Lindsay Evans James Gray +* Upul Kumarapeli Stuart Major Sam Noble Philip Reay Greg Russell Lewis Tucker Chris Wilcox	Paul Corner Andrew Fisher Andrew Graham Daniel Lumb Aaron Nichols Gareth Richards Michael Tonra Adam Twedde Marc Watchman-Atkinson Fred Wenham Jonathon Williams	Not Normally Available for Saturday Appointment  Barrett Aldwinckle L 6 Ian Astley L 10 David Bennett L 10 Sean Connell L 11 John S. Denham FP Michael George L 9 John Heselwood L 8 Huw Lacey L 10 Tim Lang L 11 Laura Lines L 10 Duncan Moore L 11 Alan Thompson L 9 David Winthrop L 8	Michael Holder Ben Hutchinson Derrin Koca Josh Miller

\* Federation Development Squad.      + Young Officials' Squad      (-) indicates NOT available due to injury.  
Relative positions determined from reports to date.      Names within the grade are in alphabetical order.

#### **Fitness requirements – Season 2018-19**

Those wishing to be considered for appointment at Levels 5 and 6 in September must pass the appropriate fitness test by Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

Anyone at level 6 or above who has not passed their fitness test by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018 will automatically be moved to Level 7 and will only return to Level 6 through the normal grading process.

Passing their fitness test after the 31st October 2018 will NOT entitle them to return to their original grade.