## **Yorkshire League Matches Rulings and Appeals**

In most cases, Yorkshire League matches count as one played privately, in that there is no Tournament Director available at the venue. The EBU has posted on its website a list of TDs prepared to give rulings arising out of such matches, with their phone numbers. For more information click on the following link.

## https://www.ebu.co.uk/laws-and-ethics/tournament-director-list

EBU Congress Tournament Director Barrie Partridge (Sheffield) has kindly offered to provide the following services to players and team captains while Yorkshire League matches are taking place.

- 1. Providing or advising on TD rulings (whichever is desired) should there be uncertainty at the venue, whether for Law Book rulings or bridge judgement rulings such as possible misinformation or unauthorised information cases.
- 2. By agreement between the teams, acting as a referee to determine an appeal against a first instance decision by a local TD, or where appropriate referring the case on for determination by another EBU TD or referee, or providing any other advice on appealing any ruling, including his own!

Barrie's phone number is 01629 584567. He won't necessarily be available on every match day, so if he isn't try someone else on the EBU list bearing in mind that other Yorkshire TDs might themselves be playing on match days.