



THE RUGBY FIVES ASSOCIATION

LADDER COMPETITION FORMAT

This form of Competition is ideal for all Club players whether they are highly competitive or just a player that likes to meet other Club members over the course of the Year. Players will be placed one above the other.

How can the Club Start a Ladder?

You can start the Ladder in various ways, one which saves upsetting players because of the ranking you give them is by putting all the participants names in a 'hat' and draw the names out. That will determine the Ranking order initially.

What Rules Apply?

Again, the Rules can be made to suit your Club's personal preference, however, the following is a suggestion:

1. Play 1 game to 15 points.
2. Any player can Challenge 2 player's directly above them and if victorious they take that players position on the Ladder. If you lose you cannot challenge the same player for 3 weeks.
3. Once you challenge a player they have to confirm a date to play you within a week of the Challenge and play within 3 weeks. If they fail to arrange to play, you are entitled to take their place.
4. If a player is injured or on holiday, for over the 3 week period before your challenge, please refer this situation to the Referee to adjudicate.

How long does a Ladder go on for?

Entirely the Club's choice, however, it can be a good idea to have an end of year Fun Play Off, for positions then start again?