

## WACO Performance Officer's Report – 2015

Due to being extremely short of trained Assessors this season, we only managed to arrange off-field assessments for four of our developing umpires, although all of them seemed to find the process and feedback very useful and will be able to use it in their progression portfolios. We also organised one on-field observation by a fellow umpire.

Despite three colleagues attending an ECB Assessors course prior to the start of season, we are still extremely short of Assessors. This made it impossible to undertake all of the assessments that we had originally planned for this season. If any of our more experienced members are interested in helping our new, up-and-coming umpires by undertaking these assessments, please get in touch.

By the time of the AGM we will be in the middle of grading every ACO umpire. It is likely that a number of umpires will see changes in their grades from last season; this is because the grades assigned to our various leagues and divisions have altered slightly since last year.

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