

Users: Grading Officers
Versions: Joomla! 3.6.4 CLM 3.2.5a, CLM 3.3.x
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How To... create ECF Grading Files

1. Create Files for ECF Grading

- Go to the league website, login at the back-end

<http://www.clm3.merseysidechess.org.uk/administrator>

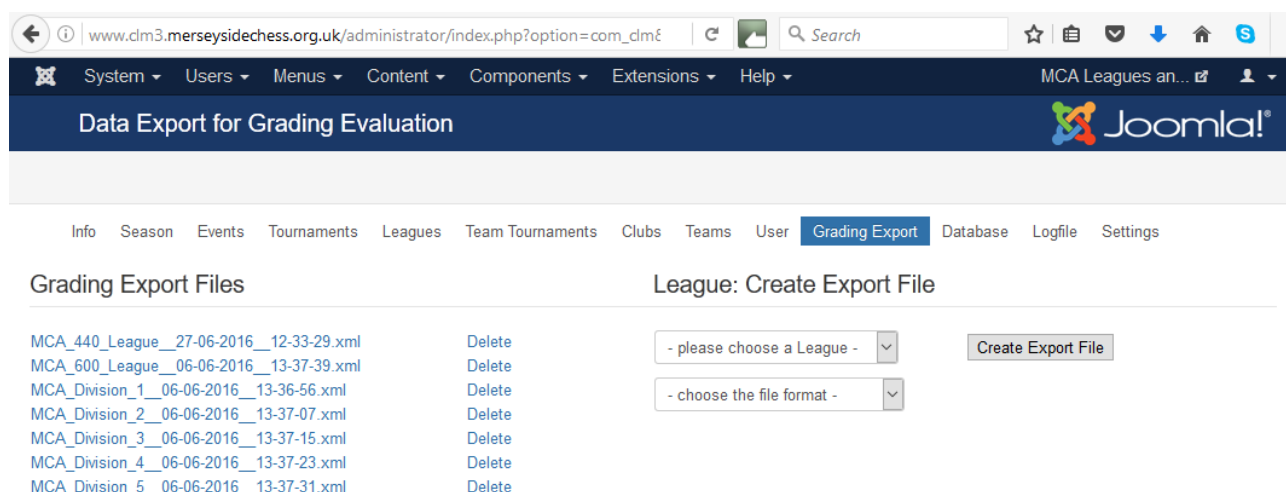
- Login with your User-Name and Password (Don't forget it!):



User-Name:

Password:

- Navigate to: "Components/ChessLeagueManager" and click on "Grading Export"

A screenshot of the Joomla! administrator interface. The browser address bar shows the URL: www.clm3.merseysidechess.org.uk/administrator/index.php?option=com_clm. The top navigation menu includes System, Users, Menus, Content, Components, Extensions, and Help. A dark blue banner reads 'Data Export for Grading Evaluation' with the Joomla! logo. Below this is a secondary menu with items: Info, Season, Events, Tournaments, Leagues, Team Tournaments, Clubs, Teams, User, Grading Export (highlighted), Database, Logfile, and Settings. The main content area is titled 'Grading Export Files' and lists several XML files with their respective dates and times, each with a 'Delete' link. To the right, under the heading 'League: Create Export File', there are two dropdown menus: '- please choose a League -' and '- choose the file format -', followed by a 'Create Export File' button.

Look below "League: Create Export File"

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<http://www.chessleaguemanager.de/>

Now - please choose a League -
and - choose the file format -
The only available format is "XLS based on XLM (England)", so choose this format.

Click on "Create Export File". The file will now be generated by the CLM 3.

If there are warnings like

Warning

Warning! Probably some results are missing Round: 2 Series: 1

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 7 Series: 1

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 1 Series: 2

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 2 Series: 2

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 3 Series: 2

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 4 Series: 2

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 5 Series: 2

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 6 Series: 2

Warning! Probably the results are missing Round: 7 Series: 2

File created successfully: MCA_Division_1__08-12-2016__23-53-45

ignore them. These warnings occur because all mentioned rounds have not been played by now and/or the results have not been entered.

After the end of the season, when all rounds have been played and all results have been entered, there should be no warning.

The name of the new created file consists of
Name of the League + Date of Creation + Time of Creation . Format of the File (= xml)

e.g.: MCA_Division_1__08-12-2016__23-53-45.xml

Name of the League: MCA Division 1
File Date an Time: created at 8th of December 2016 at 23:53:45 o'clock.

Now click on the name of this file:

Grading - MCA Division 1 Super User 2016-12-08T23:53:46Z CLM Team ChessLeagueManager 11.9999 Event Code Max 10 characters. Your two-letter Grader Code followed by 1 - 8 characters of your choice Submission Number 1 Use 1 for first submission and increase with each submission Event Name MCA Division 1 Max 60 characters. Make the nature and location of the event clear. Event Date Start Date of Event Final Results Date Last Date of Event - same as preceding for one-day events Grader Name Grader's Name Grader Address Grader's email address ONLY. Will be used to return feedback. Treasurer Name Treasurer's Name Treasurer Address Treasurer's postal address - on one line with commas Moves in first session e.g. 36 or 40 (leave blank for rapidplay) Minutes for first session e.g. 90 or 120 (leave blank for rapidplay) Moves in second session e.g. 20 or leave blank if immediate quickplay finish Minutes in second session e.g. 60 or leave blank if preceding cell is blank Minutes in final session e.g. 15 or leave blank if no quickplay finish Minutes for game Minutes for rapidplay or all-in-one-session standardplay Seconds added per move Seconds per move added in Fischer mode else blank Grand Prix Enter Y if results from event are to be included in ECF Grand Prix FIDE rated Enter Y if event is to be FIDE rated PIN BCFCCode Name Gender DOB ClubCode ClubName BCFMemNo FIDENAME Comment Title Initials Forename Surname 01 0 7ATT01 104442E Philp, Steven M 7ATT Atticus Chess Club 7ATT02 264205A Redmond, John P M 7ATT Atticus Chess Club 7ATT03 300185E Sala,

A right-click in the browser-window and save the file as an .xml-file on your computer.

At last open this .xml-file with spreadsheets (LibreOffice Calc or MS Excel): Now you've

got what you wanted:

	A	B	C
1	Event Code		Max 10 characters. Your two-letter Grader Code followed by 1 - 8 characters of your choice
2	Submission Number	1	Use 1 for first submission and increase with each submission
3	Event Name	MCA Division 1	Max 60 characters. Make the nature and location of the event clear.
4	Event Date		Start Date of Event
5	Final Results Date		Last Date of Event - same as preceding for one-day events
6	Grader Name		Grader's Name
7	Grader Address		Grader's email address ONLY. Will be used to return feedback.
8	Treasurer Name		Treasurer's Name
9	Treasurer Address		Treasurer's postal address - on one line with commas
10	Moves in first session		e.g. 36 or 40 (leave blank for rapidplay)
11	Minutes for first session		e.g. 90 or 120 (leave blank for rapidplay)
12	Moves in second session		e.g. 20 or leave blank if immediate quickplay finish
13	Minutes in second session		e.g. 60 or leave blank if preceding cell is blank
14	Minutes in final session		e.g. 15 or leave blank if no quickplay finish
15	Minutes for game		Minutes for rapidplay or all-in-one-session standardplay
16	Seconds added per move		Seconds per move added in Fischer mode else blank
17	Grand Prix		Enter Y if results from event are to be included in ECF Grand Prix
18	FIDE rated		Enter Y if event is to be FIDE rated

3. Need help or assistance? Have a question?

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