



WELSH ATHLETICS
ATHLETAU CYMRU

Welsh Athletics Track and Field Committee.
Minutes of Meeting held on Monday 24th September 2018.
Venue: Welsh Institute of Sport Sophia Gardens

Present

Lynne Brier (**LB**) (Chair); Joyce Tomala (**JT**) (East); Rhiannon Linington-Payne (**RLP**); Sue Hooper (**SH**)

1. Apologies

Darran Williams, Tom Marley, Judith Gooding, Crispin Backshall

2. Alan Currie – Record Ratification Update (not covered)

3. Matters arising from previous minutes

3.1 Point 2 – **LB** confirmed that no one was aware whether there was a wind gauge used or not for the LJ at the Triangular Match – record not accepted due to this.

3.2 Point 2.1 – Triple Jump – development event taking place at Indoor Senior Championships with potential for another event at the Indoor International.

3.3 Point 3 – Questions around the new proposed structure of Inter Regional Championships – inclusion of U20's after discussions to remove & whether splitting the events works. East would like figures of how many U20's competed in the Regional and Inter Regional Championships. West are not happy with the new proposed structure – provides the only opportunity for some athletes to gain a representative vest. Committee questioned as to whether it provides good quality competition?

3.4 Point 4 – Number of officials going through training & not officiating – Zoe has been addressing in the office; sending out welcome packs etc.

3.5 Adrian to be invited to future committee meetings as Programme Manager. Visit the structure of the committee (and selection panel) in the next meeting as current structure is out of date.

4. Championships Update

4.1 Senior Championships inc. CE International - Sat 26th & Sun 27th Jan; Junior Championships – Sat 2nd & Sun 3rd Feb; International – Sun 3rd March

4.2 Outdoors – Senior Championships – Sat 13th & Sun 14th July; Junior Championships – Sat 15th & Sun 16th June; International – Wed 24th July; Inter Regionals – initial date of 3rd Aug may be changed (to Sunday 4th) due to **RLP** unavailability with UKWAL.

5. Events/age groups at Regional & Inter Regional Championships

Deferred until next meeting to discuss with **TM**.

6. Any Other Business

JT – Information from UKA regarding cages is not accurate. All Welsh cages are compliant for 2019 season with the appropriate safety measures in place & risk assessments etc.

JT – YDL Promotion match no longer in Newport as clashes with Transplant Games so has been moved to Swansea.

RLP – Selection meeting on Monday 11th February for the Welsh International. Marian to attend as T&F nominated individual. RLP/Adrian will go out for expressions of interest for a new pool of Team Manager for the next 2-year cycle once indoors has finished & the committee will then approve.

SH – Will be contacting local officials to see if they are available for Transplant Games.

LB – Confirmation of who actually now sits on the committee – some of the distribution lists are no longer accurate – consider roles which would be useful on the committee going forward.

Date of next meeting – Tuesday 12th March 2019, 18.30 start at Sport Wales National Centre.

Agenda items for next meeting to be received by the secretary for collection and distribution. AOB to be presented in the meeting.

The meeting finished at 19.22pm

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