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Welsh Athletics – 2020 Annual General Meeting



2020 Welsh Athletics AGM

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THE LAST 12MONTHS



- Continued growth in membership 13,452
- Continued growth in number of Coaches/Leaders – 2093 qualified
- 464 licenced officials
- Significant focus on developing the infrastructure of the sport
 - Coach Development
 - Facilities
 - Schools & Pathway
 - Club modernisation

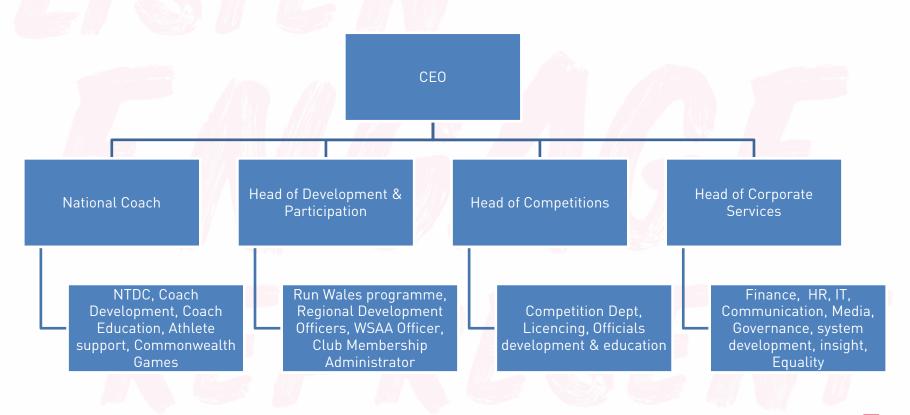


7 YEAR STRATEGY

- ✓ Launched in October 2019
- Infrastructure being put in place to deliver
- Operational plans aligned to new strategy
- Budget setting process aligned
- Strategy still guides how we operate
- The need to clarify the roles the clubs and regions will play

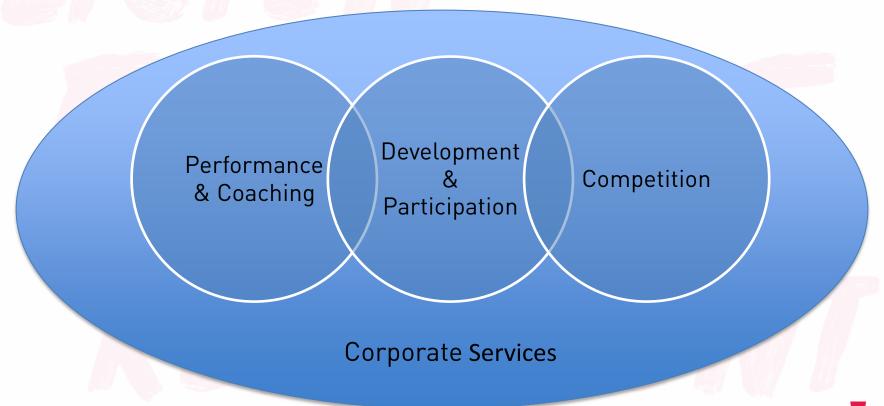


ORGANISTAIONAL STRUCTURE





A ONE TEAM APPROACH





EVENTS





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Welsh Athletics and Run Wales National Conference Vale Resort, Hensol Saturday 19th October 2019















UK ATHLETICS & HCAFS

- Dame Sue Street Report UK Sport
 - Wide ranging set of measures
 - Key timelines
 - Joint Master Agreement signed
 - Sport Council overview
- Quinlan Safeguarding Review
- Joint Strategy
- Closer working relations
- Sharing best practice
- COVID support
- Welsh Athletics permanent position on Board of UKA





COVID 19

- The Sport suspended on 17th March
- Remain in place until end of June
- Lifting Athletics out of lockdown roadmap launched June 1st
- Guidance documents released and continuously updated

Timeline







Establish a COVID-19 Working Group



Appoint a COVID-19 Officer



Work with Facility Providers



Keep members informed



Carry out Risk Assessments



Implement Risk Management protocols



Adopt increased cleaning protocols



Consider additional COVID-19 signage



Implement cleaning stations



Wash Hands Regularly



Maintain Social Distancing (2m)



Minimise Equipment Us

Our immediate focus;

 Protect the sport, protect the organisation, protect jobs, support our clubs/groups

Our approach

- Commitment to engage, communicate and support our members
- Support innovation Opentrack
- Virtual competition
- Collaboration sharing challenges/best practice



COVID 19

Significant financial concerns

- Projected reduction in self generated income of approx. £380k
- Membership 70% year to year
- Zero income being budgeted from Race Licencing/competition
- Coach Education 15% year to year
- Expenditure reduced by £320k in non funded areas
- Sport Wales investment re-purposed
- Re-structure of Run Wales Department
- Job retention scheme utilised 9 members of staff
- Additional grant received from Sport Wales
- Investment fund has recovered initial losses
- Projecting a deficit budget
- Situation evolving month by month
- Close financial scrutiny throughout this period



OUR RESPONSE

Virtual Competitions
– Opentrack

•26 Licenced Virtual Events

Webinars – over 122 delivered – over 3,000 particpants

12 Ask Us open webinars

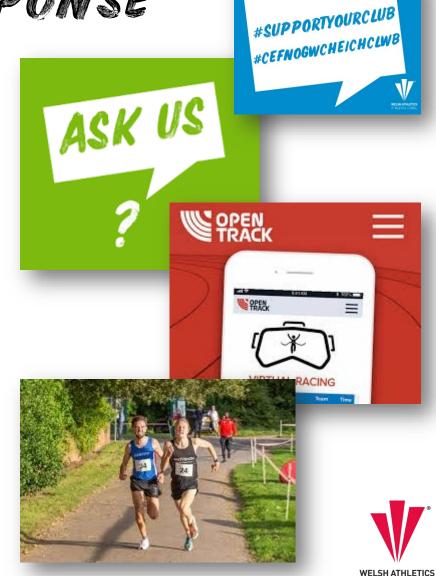
11 Pilot Competitions

HCAF activity

Online Training – 75 hours

Elite Training Hub

Online Coach/Officials Education



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AND FINALLY ...

Thank you to our clubs, groups, coaches, officials, volunteer, covid officers, parents, The Board, staff, & athletes...

... we will return stronger!





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2019/20 Financial Report



> KEY CHANGES SINCE MARCH POSITION

- ➤ Sport Wales Grant of £200k deferred
 - Places for Sport' Investments into Welsh athletics facilities (reducing both income & expenses)
- Further Drop in Income of £24,400
 - £6k sponsorship write-off, DWFF into administration
 - £15,000 donation from R4WCF Covid
 - £3,400 net of gains (membership) & losses (RunWales)
- ➤ Additional Expenses of £25,346
 - ➤ £22,237 Loss of value on investments due to Covid 19 (since recovered in 20/21 Accounts)
 - Change to Depreciation of Fixed Assets policy, accelerating non-cash charges to the P&L



	Budget	Actuals	£ Variance
Income	£1,820,163	£2,006,955	£186,792
Expenses	£1,849,508 *	£2,020,635	-£171,127
Net Income	-£29,345 *	£-13,680	+£15,665

* INCLUDES £9.2K EXPENDITURE FROM RESERVES (STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT)

FINAL POSITION

	March Position	£ Actuals	Variance
Income	£2,006,955	£1,782,551	-£224,404
Expenses	£2,020,635	£1,845,981	-£174,654
Net Income	-£13,680	- £63,430	-£49,750



ATHLETAU CYMR⁴⁵

LIFE MEMBER

Joyce Tomala





AMARD OF HONOUR

- Jeff Aston
- Dic Evans
- Kevin Evans MBE
 - Rob Hooper
 - Sue Hooper
 - David Jones
- Dorrien Thomas



MERITORIOUS AWARD

- Lynn Brier
- Mark Hobbs
- Andrew Jenkins
 - Sharon Leech
- Christopher Price
 - Kevin Tobin



ATHLETE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

- Steve Brace
- Neil Horsefield
- Catherine Murphy
 - Sarah Moore





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Welsh Athletics - Thank You

