

**Minutes Track & Field Committee,
6pm, Wednesday 4th February 2026,**



WELSH ATHLETICS
ATHLETAU CYMRU

Present:

Joyce Tomala (JT), Rob Campion (RC), Lisa Campion (LC), Lynette Harries (LH), Elinor Cole (EC), Zoe Holloway (ZH)
JT welcomed ZH to the meeting.

1. Apologies:

Lee Hayward, Darran Williams (DW), Rowland Williams

2. Coopted members

Lynette Harries and Lee Hayward

3. Declaration of Conflict of Interest

None

4. Actions from Previous Minutes:

- a. Secretary TF Committee - *JT welcomed EC as the new track and field committee secretary.*
- a. Update Track hire costs (ZH) - *An update was provided on facilities and TrackMark accreditation status.*
 - i. *24 facilities were reviewed with some inaccuracies identified in track marking records.*
 - ii. *Current TrackMark status across 31 venues/sites:*
 - iii. *Track hire fees across Wales vary significantly, with Rhondda currently noted as one of the lowest and NIAC among the highest.*
 - iv. *Venues stating increased costs reflecting rising maintenance and energy costs.*
 - v. *Introduction of TFR (track and field rater), a simple, anonymous online feedback form - presents an opportunity to submit real time feedback in between formal TrackMark inspections which take place every three years. The TFR can be accessed here: [Track & Field Rater \(TFR\)](#)*

ACTION – ZH to circulate presentation materials to regions for sharing

5. WA Updates:

- a. Competition Update
 - i. Outdoor updates 2026
 - 1. Senior Championships – June 27th/28th Cardiff (CISS)
 - 2. Junior Championships – June 6th & 7th in Deeside
 - 3. Regional Championships – South/East 9th May, North 9th May, West 10th May.
 - 4. Inter-regional Championships (Aberdare, 13th June)
 - 5. Event Specific Meetings
 - *Run with the Wind events in Cardiff (April 11th and 26th, May 13th, June 3rd).*
 - 6. Throws meetings (LHa)
 - *LHa unavailable however RC gave date updates*
 - *South Wales Throws event in Aberdare (June 16th, July 21st, August 11th) Provision dates.*

- *Welsh Long Throws Championships Feb 14th in Aberdare, LH will be in attendance to support Lha.*

7. *Welsh Junior Competitions 2026 dates/venues tbc*

- b. WA Performance update - N/A
- c. Records (DW) – **ACTION: Defer to next meeting**

6. DISCUSSION

- a. Inter-Regional Championships 2026 –
 - i. U14, U16, U18 timetable and regional duties shared (See pages 3/4)
ACTION: Regions asked to submit any comments to JT in next week.
- b. How do we encourage Schools to ensure athletes are aware of who they should contact regarding championships dates and selection for Internationals.

ACTION: refer back to GC to identify contacts for schools' competitions

7. REPORTS:

- a. General Council –
 - i. *Regional Funding – Discussion around lack of regional funding, EC suggested implementing spectator fees at competitions as a way to recoup some of the costs. EC suggested asking clubs within the regions to contribute towards regional costs.*
 - ii. *Athletix (Project 2030) - Discussion on concept of project and concern raised on lack of viability to clubs on how this works in practice.*
- b. *Welsh Schools - Lack of engagement from Welsh Schools with athletes unaware of who to contact for opportunities.*
- c. *Regional Issues - None*
- d. *Officials Committee (SH) – N/A*
- e. *WA Staff update – Euan C leaving WA Feb 8th to move to UKA.*

8. Any Other Business.

- *Photo finish system currently not operational in Wales after 14 February; as equipment requires sending to France for calibration.*
- *Low attendance from Welsh Athletics noted.*

a. Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 8th April 2026

b. Dates of Future Meetings: 8th April, 3rd June, 7th October, 9th December

Inter -Regional Champs Timetable				13th June 2026, Aberdare			
Track				Field			
T1	400mh	U18M	11:30	F1	HT	U16G	11:00
T2	400mh	U18W	11:40	F2	HT	U16B	11:00
T3	300mh	U16G	11:50	F3	HJ	U14G	11:00
T4	300mh	U16B	12:00	F4	HJ	U14B	11:00
T5	100m	U14G	12:10	F5	HT	U18W	11:45
T6	100m	U14B	12:15	F6	HT	U18M	12:45
T7	100m	U16G	12:20	F7	HJ	U16G	12:15
T8	100m	U16B	12:25	F8	HJ	U18W	12:15
T9	100m	U18W	12:30	F9	SP	U14G	13:00
T10	100m	U18M	12:35	F10	SP	U14B	13:00
T11	800m	U14G	12:40	F11	HJ	U16B	13:30
T12	800m	U14B	12:45	F12	HJ	U18M	13:30
T13	800m	U16G	12:50	F13	SP	U16G	14:00
T14	800m	U16B	12:55	F14	SP	U18W	14:00
T15	800m	U18W	13:00	F15	LJ	U14G	14:00
T16	800m	U18M	13:05	F16	LJ	U14B	14:00
T17	80mh	U16G	13:15	F17	JT	U14G	14:15
T18	3K	U16W	13:25	F18	JT	U14B	14:45
T19	3K	U18W	13:25	F19	JT	U16G	15:15
T20	100mh	U16B	13:40	F20	JT	U18W	15:15
T21	100mh	U18W	13:50	F21	LJ	U16G	15:00
T22	110mh	U18M	14:00	F22	LJ	U18W	15:00
T23	3K	U16M	14:10	F23	SP	U16B	15:00
T24	3K	U18M	14:10	F24	SP	U18M	15:30
T25	300m	U16G	14:25	F25	LJ	U16B	16:15
T26	300m	U16B	14:00	F26	LJ	U18M	16:15
T27	400m	U18W	14:05	F27	JT	U16B	16:15
T28	400m	U18M	14:10	F28	JT	U18M	16:15

lunch		break	
T29	1500mS/C	U16G	14:40
T30	1500mS/C	U18W	14:40
T31	1500mS/C	U16B	14:55
T32	2000mS/C	U18M	15:10
T33	4 x 100m	U14G	15:25
T34	4 x 100m	U14B	15:35
T35	4 x 100m	U16B	15:40
T36	4 x 100m	U16G	15:45
T37	4 x 100m	U18W	15:50
T38	4 x 100m	U18M	15:55
T39	4 x 300m	U16G	16:00
T40	4x 300m	U16B	16:05
T41	4 x 400m	U18G	16:10
T42	4x 400m	U18B	16:15

Regional Duties
2026

East	Hammer	U16G/U16B	11:00
	High Jump	U16B/U18M	13:30
	Javelin	U14G	14:15
	Javelin	U14B	14:45
	Shot	U18M	15:30

West	Hammer	U18W	11:45
	Shot	U14G/U14B	13:00
	Long Jump	U16G/U18W	15:00
	Javelin	U16B/U18M	16:15

North	High Jump	U16G/U18W	12:15
	Shot	U16G/U18W	14:00
	Javelin	U16G/U18W	15:15
	Long Jump	U16B/U18M	16:15

South	High Jump	U14G/U14B	11:00
	Hammer	U18M	12:45
	Long Jump	U14G/U14B	14:00
	Shot	U16B	15:00