

## **Athletics Norfolk Meeting – Minutes** **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2018, 7.30pm, Sportspark.**

Present: Clive Poyner (Chairman/CoNAC), Ian Harvey (Treasurer), Rebecca Tuff (Development coordinator/Ryston), Brendon Byrne (Norfolk Schools), Mark Taylor (GYDAC), Linda Farrow (QuadKids), Chris Harbord (GYRR), Sally Hook (Trophy Sec), Liam Hunt (SON/UEA Athletics), Nikki Clark (Harling), Tony Bradfield (CoNAC), Richard Polley (CoNAC)

### **1. Apologies:**

Mick Johnson (Thetford), Wally Oliver (WNAC), Brenda Hutcheon (BVH), Dave Hutcheon (BVH), Kay Bailey (SON), Gaye Clarke (Ryston), Andrew Baker (GYRR), Lizzy Searjeant (CoNAC), Tania Spurling (England Athletics), Nigel Bullen (Norfolk Gaz), Jacqueline Keay (NNH)

### **2. Minutes of the last meeting**

Agreed as being a true record.

### **3. Finance (as of 4<sup>th</sup> Feb)**

*Competition fund:* Total assets £14,234.53

*Development fund:* £4506.36

### **4. Competitions**

*Track & Field* - County Champs feedback discussed. Next year plan to promote provisional programme with entries and potentially have later entries at an increased cost/name not in programme. Disability records to be collated for all IPC classified athletes across County and uploaded to website. Inter-counties U15/20 team (1<sup>st</sup> Sep - Becks) and Hibbard Trophy team (8<sup>th</sup> Sep - Clive) to be pulled together over July-Aug. Combined Events, including Norfolk Champs 30<sup>th</sup> Sep at Peterborough.

*Cross country* – Planning for County Champs to commence in July. To be held in January again at Thetford.

*Sportshall* – Norfolk will host Regional Sportshall Championships again in Norwich. Sportshall AGM on 27<sup>th</sup> June at Sportspark, Norwich.

### **5. Courses**

*Officials* – As discussed at AGM: Provisional planning for two free courses funded by Athletics Norfolk, one at end of T&F season in October and one at beginning in March. Becks to gather an idea of numbers/interest and find out possibility of organising this with England Athletics based on tutor availability. Hoping to embrace the new EA scheme and put in place 'official mentors' around the County.

*Coaching* – Coaching Assistant, 30<sup>th</sup> June & 1<sup>st</sup> July at Lynnsport, King's Lynn. Leadership in Running Fitness, 30<sup>th</sup> Sep at Easton & Otley College, Norwich.

### **6. A.O.B**

- a) All Norfolk Clubs are now affiliated to Athletics Norfolk. UEA Athletics Club interested – Becks/Liam/Ian to communicate re affiliation.

- b) GDPR sub-committee met to discuss plans for how we manage data moving forward. Next meeting in August to review. All data affected by new GDPR removed from Dropbox.
- c) Welfare issue highlighted and discussed options for County process for making Clubs aware of concerns. UKA/EA should contact Club with concern, it could then be discussed with all involved as to the best way to share certain information across clubs – based on what is allowed to be known.
- d) English Schools – 14 places of 32 filled – selections made on 25<sup>th</sup> June. Norfolk Schools and Athletics Norfolk to consider possibility of working with Norfolk School Games in the future for talent spotting.
- e) As discussed in AGM: Looking to invest in our own Photo Finish system. With the support of Tanya Daniels from CoNAC, funding options will be investigated -awaiting a price from Gaye.

### **7. Date of next meeting**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August, Sportspark Norwich, at 7.30pm.

Meeting closed 8.32pm.