

Hertfordshire ASA

Notes of the Disability Committee meeting

1<sup>st</sup> February 2017– Civic Centre, Welwyn

**Present:**

Jackie Harvey	Disability Manager
<b>Committee Members</b>	
Ian Mackenzie	Minute Secretary
Murray Devine	
Janet Warrington	SO
Ros Cramp	Hertfordshire Disability Officer

		Action
17/1	<b>Apologies</b>	
17/1.1	Sheila Mackenzie, Carl Cooper	
17/1.2	Leanne Brace, as the Regional Development Manager cannot be part of this committee, but can be co-opted for specific items without the power to vote. She is very willing to attend in this capacity.	
17/1.3	The meeting is not quorate so these are notes of the meeting	
17/2	<b>There were no 'Conflicts of Interest' identified</b>	
17/3	<b>Minutes of the last meeting were agreed as true and correct.</b>	
17/4	<b>Matters Arising - There were no items raised</b>	
17/5	<b>ASAER committee report</b>	
17/5.1	All but one county representative attended	
17/5.2	The main discussion was about the forthcoming Regional Competition.	
17/5.3	There was to be classifications carried out and Carl had this under control.	
17/5.4	There was to be an officials disability course prior to the event.	
17/5.5	Jackie had allocated all the jobs required to be covered and everyone was in place	
17/5.6	Jackie to produce guidelines for Counties so there is more integration of disability athletes and they are treated equally across the region.	
17/6	<b>Herts ASA Conference 2017</b>	
17/6.1	The conference has changed its title to a Development Weekend	
17/6.2	Various courses were to happen and they are being filled	
17/6.3	Regional Training – will take place as in the past. HSP have given us free water time and free rooms.	

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17/6.4	There will be no charge to the athletes from the region	
17/6.5	Carl will lead a coaches skill development, prior to the water session, for coaches from the region.	
17/6.6	Support will be required from committee members on the Saturday	<b>ALL</b>
17/7	<b>Regional Talent</b>	
17/7.1	There was a long course session at Basildon on Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> November – Long Course which was an excellent session.	
17/7.2	It gave good experience of LC for the athletes and two other coaches attended.	
17/7.3	Parents were also included in the discussions	
17/8	<b>Special Olympics 26<sup>th</sup> November 2016</b>	
17/8.1	JW reported that it was an excellent event, probably the best	
17/8.2	There is not to be a Spring 2017 SO	
17/8.3	In May there is to be a SOGB event in Leeds	
17/8.4	JW had organised ribbons this year to award the athletes.	
17/9	<b>Nationals - Manchester</b>	
17/9.1	Nationals took place in Manchester in November, hence the long course training at Basildon.	
17/9.2	Carl looked after the East Athletes on Saturday as Janet could not attend. Janet attended on Sunday	
17/9.3	There were three athletes from Hertfordshire	
17/10	<b>Athletes</b>	
17/10.1	Three of our athletes are on National programmes Grace Harvey – Podium Potential Louise Fiddes – Academy Elise De La Torre - Academy	
17/11	<b>SO dates</b>	
17/11.1	Provisional dates; 25 <sup>th</sup> November 2017 28 <sup>th</sup> April 2018	
17/11.2	Janet is to contact HSV to check availability of dates	
17/12	<b>AOB</b>	
17/12.1	County colours awarded to Grace Harvey and Lucy Jordan-Caws	
17/12.2	Grace Harvey has been awarded Young Ambassador of the year by Cerebral Palsy Association.	
17/13	<b>Date of next meeting</b>	
17/13.1	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> April @ 7.30pm	

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