

LEI Committee 16th May 2019

Report from Events Sub Committee.

1. Changes to Rules.

A number of rule changes will come in to effect on 1st January 2020 that will impact on how we organise events. In Summary they are:

- I. Level C events will require an out of club Controller.
- II. Level B events will require an out of region Controller.
- III. Level B events will require the Controller to submit a Terrain Assessment Report to Events and Competitions Committee 12 months before the date of the event.
- IV. There will be a 12-month embargo on areas used for a Level B event.
- V. English Area Championships will become level B events.

2. British Sprint Championships 2019.

Contracts have been agreed with SI for entries and start time allocation, the University for accommodation and catering and the Commentary and Public Address teams.

Entries are now open!

Team Leaders have been appointed.

3. Summer League.

As everybody is aware the 2019 League is up and running. All the organiser/planner's slots have been filled. The build up to the League seems to have gone much more smoothly this year than in the last three or four years. I believe this is because of the work that Ursula has done over the last year in persuading and cajoling people to help (AKA serious arm twisting!)

Alastair Paterson has taken on the role of Minor Results Secretary. Kevin Bradley is expecting to be at most of the League events this summer and will lead on handling downloads aided by Peter Hornsby, Roger Phillips and Alastair.

4. Level C Events.

I am currently recruiting event officials for the autumn events. Our events official's crisis has been slightly eased by a number of members attending the Regional Training Day at the end of 2018. However, members of the committee should be aware that given the steady stream of our older members who are retiring from acting as organisers, planners and controllers, there is still an urgent need to recruit and train more of our membership to take on these key roles.

Chris