

## **Development Co-ordinator's report November 2017**

### **Coaching**

Derek Herd will be attending the EMOA based Level 2 course over the next few months.

### **Club Nights**

Numbers have dropped off at Groby, but are steady at Glenfield and Ashby.

### **Permanent Courses**

We have had some income for our sales from the BOF downloads. After discussion with BOF I have returned a lot of it but we still have £150 from a year's sales. Steve Chafer is part way through his review and will report to February Committee.

The East Midlands BBC filmed a family in Coalville park taking part in one of four taster sports. The Inside Out Programme is to be broadcast in January. The Permanent course here needs two posts before being complete.

### **NW Primary Schools**

Peter Hornsby and I have a meeting (20 nov) with Brian Rushe to discuss the event on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2018. Brian is our latest primary contact; staff last two years in the role before moving on! We are using the Activ8 promotion scheme to get children to our NW schools offer. We will be looking to see what else Brian can do for us. We are not making use of facebook as Roger Phillips did for Level Cs and we probably ought to.

### **Bradgate April 2018**

Maureen & Andy are handling this Saturday afternoon activity. We met today and they are offering a maze and white using the POC plaques. Contact with Bradgate Park needs pursuing before finalising. We will have a banner for the series and a next step leaflets.

### **Autumn Park Series**

We need to establish the team. We probably need some of the team to attend a meet & greet demo.

### **British Orienteering Support**

Meeting with Tim Herod on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November. Tim met a few club juniors and parents in early September at Monday night club night.

### **Youth Retention**

The four British Orienteering regional contacts also have one major project to manage. Phil Conway (south) is leading youth retention and you will have seen two offers. The half term camp at Buxton and Lake District in February. These are aimed at getting more to go to training camps. This is predicated on those who go to camps tend to stay in orienteering so we need more than just Lagganlia for those who are not as good or have joined late! Eg James Young was interested in Buxton but not so keen going on his own.

The club needs to consider what support it's prepared to offer those interest in going especially as there are no selection criteria.

### **Web site Content Management**

Officers meeting to progress still to be scheduled.

Roger Edwards

Wed 8<sup>th</sup> November