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**Agenda for a meeting of the  
Competitions Committee to be held on  
Tuesday 24 November 2015 1300-1700**  
at the office of BPA Ltd, 5 Wharf Way, Glen Parva,  
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**Please  
note venue**

- 1 Apologies for absence** – Jackie Harper
- 2 Declarations of Interest**
- 3 Minutes**  
To note that the minutes (circulated) of the meeting held on Tuesday 6 October 2015 have already been approved by the Committee, ratified electronically by Council and published on the BPA website: [www.bpa.org.uk/member/agendas-and-minutes/](http://www.bpa.org.uk/member/agendas-and-minutes/).
- 4 Matters arising from the minutes not covered elsewhere on the agenda**
  - 4.1 min 56.2 – The hire of further Protracks – Discipline Rep: Speed
- 5 Report on IPC and RAeC**
  - 5.1 IPC Plenary 2016 – request from Jackie Harper
- 6 Domestic Competitions 2016 bid forms** – completed bids circulated via email on 16 Nov
  - 6.1 British Open Nationals – Classics & 4-way VFS
  - 6.2 Grand Prix – CF, CP, Accuracy & 2-way VFS
- 7 International Competitions 2015** – completed
  - 7.1 1<sup>st</sup> FAI World Indoor Skydiving Championships, 21-24 Oct, Prague, Czech Rep – Head of Delegation report
- 8 International Competitions 2015** – yet to be completed
  - 8.1 2015 World Air Games, 1-12 Dec, Dubai
    - 8.1.1 Invitation extended to Tim Porter – to note FAI response, circulated with agenda
    - 8.1.2 To note invitation extended to Wez Westley - CP
    - 8.1.3 Any other issues
- 9 International Competitions 2016**
  - 9.1 6<sup>th</sup> FAI World Canopy Piloting Championships, Fareham, Canada, 21-28 Aug
  - 9.2 FAI World Parachuting Championships – Mondial, Chicago, USA, 9-22 Sep
    - 9.2.1 CFUK withdrawal from CF 4-way Seq and CF 2-way Seq  
Replacement teams – CF 2-way, Wise Prankers and CrwSaders
- 10 Funding Applications** – Applications circulated with agenda
- 11 Competitions Budget and Action Plan: 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2016**
  - 11.1 British Team Fund remittance following Nationals 2015
  - 11.2 Specialised judging equipment
- 12 Skills Coaching Roadshows**
- 13 Judging matters not already covered**
  - 13.1 Overall results for Awards Presentation Ceremony
  - 13.2 Proposed Judges and Judges Nomination List
  - 13.3 Judges Free membership and new ratings

**14 Any other business** – Items must be received by 1200 on Friday 20 November 2015

**15 Dates of next meeting** – At 1300 on Council meeting dates to be arranged at the inaugural Council meeting.

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### International Competitions

<b>2015 World Air Games</b>	Dubai (UAE)	1 Dec to 12 Dec 2015
<b>6<sup>th</sup> FAI World Canopy Piloting Championships</b>	Fareham, Canada	21 Aug to 28 Aug 2016
<b>2016 FAI World Parachuting Championships – Mondial</b>	Chicago, USA	9 Sep to 22 Sep 2016

### Competitions Action Plan: 1 July 15 to 30 June 16

Target	From	To	By	How	Budget
1. World Class Performance	<b>2015</b> medal winning performance	<b>2016</b> Continued medal winning performance	Jun 2016 and on-going	Funded support to BPA selected teams based on performance in competition 2015	£166,573 <sup>n</sup>
2. Coaching Road Show Events	<b>2015</b> Supported events	<b>2016</b> Continued support of events	Jun 2016	Run coaching road show events at BPA Drop Zones to support competitive interest and enhance members skills	£8,000
3. Judging Team	<b>2015</b> UK pool of 19 Judges	<b>2016</b> UK judging team retained/increased and improved ratings	Jun 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support all currency requirements under FAI rules</li> <li>• Provide financial help with pre-season refresher training</li> <li>• Supply judges to non-National UK events</li> <li>• Encourage/train new judges to gain International ratings</li> <li>• Supply of Judges Jackets &amp; T-shirts</li> </ul>	£14,000
4. Retain, improve and maintain competition equipment in line with IPC requirements	<b>2015</b> Current holding	<b>2016</b> Equipment stock in line with IPC changes	Jun 2016	Purchase / Hire of equipment as rules evolve and dictate	£6,000
5. Delegation Uniform	<b>2015</b> Delegation uniform	<b>2016</b> Continued issue of uniform	Jun 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Issue of T-shirt generic BPA design</li> <li>• Issue of BPA logo embroidered badges</li> <li>• Supply Jackets &amp; polo shirts</li> <li>• Offer for tender design, manufacture and distribution</li> </ul>	£5000 <sup>**</sup>
<p><b>*Target 1: plus £69250 carry forward from 2014/15</b>  <b>**Target 5: Uniform will continue to be funded from the British Team Fund</b></p>					