



# British Parachute Association

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**British Parachute Association**  
**Competitions Committee Meeting**  
**Room A, HQ, 5 Wharf Way, Leicester**  
**Tuesday 8 August, 1300 - 1700**  
**AGENDA**

*Decision/approval required at meeting*

*Issue needing discussion to advise/inform future direction/decision*

*Update - requires brief feedback only, no detailed discussion*

*Of decision made via email before the meeting*

1	I	1300	<b>Opening Remarks and Apologies received</b>	Chair	
2	D	1305	<b>Committee Composition:</b> All decisions must be ratified by Council until resolution of the Terms of Reference - Composition	Chair	Terms of Reference paper
3	I	1320	<b>Declaration of any Conflicts of Interest</b>	All	
4	R	1325	<b>Committee Minutes:</b> For approval and ratification	Chair	Minutes
5	I/D	1330	<b>Matters arising</b>	Chair	
6	I/D	1340	<b>Judging Matters</b>	HL	Judging Matters papers: 6.1 & 6.2 inclusive
			6.1 Judges attending domestic competitions 6.1.1 International judges attending 6.2 New Training Judges 6.3 Judges Laptop update	HL	Correspondence: 6.3
7	I	1400	<b>Domestic Competitions 2017 – completed</b> Results on BPA website	All	
			7.1 BPA National Championships in Accuracy, 2-4 Aug, Skydive Swansea – Chief Judges Report pending 7.2 BPA UKSL & GPS 2017 7.2.1 UKSL Meet 3, 15-16 Jul, Skydive Northwest Chief Judges's report		

			<p>7.2.2 Canopy Formation, 9-10 Jul, Skydive Langar Chief Judges report</p> <p>7.2.3 Accuracy, Meet 2, 15-16 Jul, Skydive Buzz Chief Judges report</p> <p>7.2.4 Canopy Piloting, 5-6 Aug, Skydive Buzz Chief Judges report - pending</p>		<p>Report: 7.2.2</p> <p>Report: 7.2.3</p>
8	I I I/D	1415	<p><b>Domestic Competitions 2017</b></p> <p>8.1 BPA Nationals in FS 4-way, 19-21 Aug and Arts, Speed and FS 8-way, 26-28 Aug, Target Skysports</p> <p>8.2 4-way VFS, 16-17 Sept, Skydive Buzz</p> <p>8.3 BPA GPs</p> <p>8.3.1 Canopy Piloting, 1-3 Sep, Skydive Buzz</p> <p>8.3.2 Canopy Formation, 8-10 Sep, BKPC</p> <p>8.3.3 Speed 8, 16-17 Sep, UK Para Sibson</p>	All Reps	
9	I	1430	<p><b>International Competitions 2017</b></p> <p>9.1 FAI World Cups &amp; European Championships in FS, Speed, Artistics and CF, 7-12 Aug, Saarlouis, Germany</p> <p>9.2 9<sup>th</sup> FAI European Championship, 6<sup>th</sup> FAI Junior European Championship in Style &amp; Accuracy, 24-31 Aug, Podgorica, Montenegro</p> <p>9.3 2<sup>nd</sup> World Cup of Wingsuit Flying, 2-8 Nov, Overton, USA</p> <p>9.4 9<sup>th</sup> World Cup of Canopy Piloting, 27 Nov – 1 Dec, Dubai, UAE</p>	MS	
10	D	1445	<p><b>Domestic Competitions 2018 – Bid Forms: Draft</b></p> <p>10.1 Contract – Competition host</p>	HL TH	Drafts: 10 & 10.1
11	I D I	1530	<p><b>Action Plan &amp; Competitions Budget 1 July 2017 – 30 June 2018</b></p> <p>11.1 World Class Performance – sponsorship allocation proposal Pending</p> <p>11.2 World Class Performance – Sponsorship and Contract: Discussion to include: Failure to attend an international competition Sponsorship, Competitor Contract and Team Structure Roadshow obligation and sponsorship</p> <p>11.3 Delegation uniform: Discussion to include Rebranding/t-shirt design and possibility of t-shirts for Coaches</p>	Chair/GV  PM  PM	Discussion paper: 11.2 & 11.3
12	I	1600	<p><b>Skills Coaching Roadshows – Feedback</b></p> <p>12.1 Wingsuit Roadshow</p>	All Reps MW	Form: 12
13		1630	<p><b>Any other Business</b> <u>(To be notified by 1700 on 3 August 2017)</u></p>		
14		1645	<p><b>Date of Next Meeting:</b> 3 October, 28 November – Headquarters, Leicester</p>		

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## Competitions Action Plan: 1 July 17 to 30 June 18

Target	From	To	By	How	Budget
1. World Class Performance	<b>2017</b> medal winning performance	<b>2018</b> Continued medal winning performance	Jun 2018 and on-going	Funded support to BPA selected teams based on performance in competition 2017	£55,862* <u>£69,600</u> £125,462
2. Coaching Road Show Events	<b>2017</b> Supported events	<b>2018</b> Continued support of events	Jun 2018	Run coaching road show events at BPA Drop Zones to support competitive interest and enhance member's skills	£4,670* <u>£10,000</u> £14,670
3. Judging Team	<b>2017</b> UK pool of 13 Judges	<b>2018</b> UK judging team retained/increased and improved ratings	Jun 2018	<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> <li>Judging Equipment Specialists</li> </ul>	£30,000
4. Retain, improve and maintain competition equipment in line with IPC requirements	<b>2017</b> Current holding	<b>2018</b> Equipment stock in line with IPC changes	Jun 2018	Purchase / Hire of equipment / specialist equipment, as disciplines and rules evolve and dictate	£6,000
5. Delegation Uniform	<b>2017</b> Delegation uniform	<b>2018</b> Continued issue of uniform	Jun 2018	<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>	£5,000**
6. Targeted coaching support for National non-senior champion teams / competitors	<b>2017</b> Coaching Support	<b>2018</b> Coaching Support	Jun 2018	Coaching support for National Champion 2017 teams of all disciplines moving to progress to higher event that meet the criteria of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Having won Nationals in 2017</li> <li>Have 60% of their team remain the same – including videographer (flexibility for Freestyle &amp; Freely)</li> <li>Compete in 2018 Nationals at a higher level</li> </ul>	£8,000 <u>£3,000</u> £11,000
7. Heads of Delegation & Team Manager/s	<b>2017</b> 5 Officials	<b>2018</b> Continued funded support	Jun 2018	Funded support for BPA Officials attending FAI 1 <sup>st</sup> Class events to cover <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Entry Fees</li> <li>Reasonable Travel Expenses</li> </ul>	£8,000***

\*Targets 1 and 6: brought forward from the 2016/2017 Action Plan

\*\*Target 5: Uniform will continue to be funded from the British Team Fund

\*\*\*Target 7: Reoccurring item

# Competitions Dates 2017

## BPA National Championships 2017

<i>Discipline</i>	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Dates</i>
<b>Formation Skydiving 4-way</b>	<b>Target Skysports, Hibaldstow</b>	<b>19-21 Aug 2017</b>
<b>Artistic, FS 8-way Speed Skydiving (Back-up weekend of FS 4-way)</b>		<b>26-28 Aug 2017 Back-up weekend FS 8- way, Arts &amp; Speed 2-4Sep 2017)</b>
<b>Canopy Piloting</b>	<b>Skydive Buzz</b>	<b>1-3 Sep 2017</b>
<b>Canopy Formation</b>	<b>BKPC</b>	<b>8-10 Sep 2017</b>
<b>Speed 8</b>	<b>UK Para, Sibson</b>	<b>16-17 Sept 2017</b>