



# British Parachute Association

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**British Parachute Association**  
**Competitions Committee Meeting**  
**Room A, HQ, 5 Wharf Way, Leicester**  
**Tuesday 17 April 2018 1300 - 1700**  
**AGENDA**

- D= Decision**      *Decision/approval required at meeting*  
**A= Advice**        *Issue needing discussion to advise/inform future direction/decision*  
**I = Information**   *Update - requires brief feedback only, no detailed discussion*  
**R = Ratification**   *Of decision made via email before the meeting*

No	D/ A/I/ R	Time	Item	Lead	Pre-read
1	I	1300	<b>Opening Remarks and Apologies received:</b> Michael Wilson-Roberts	Chair	
2	R	1305	<b>Declarations of any Conflicts of Interest</b>	All	
3	I	1310	<b>Committee Minutes:</b> To note that the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 13 February 2018 have been approved and ratified electronically by Committee and Council and published on the BPA website: <a href="http://www.bpa.org.uk/member/agendas-and-minutes/">www.bpa.org.uk/member/agendas-and-minutes/</a>	All	
4	I	1315	<b>Matters arising</b> – not listed elsewhere on the agenda 4.1 11.1 – Team NFTO – Grievance	Chair	Paper of received responses to Chair
5	R R D D I	1320	<b>Domestic Competitions 2018</b> 5.1 Updated Nationals entry form - email agreement 5.2 BPA Meet rules 5.3 FS 8-way trophy retirement 5.4 FS Nationals – Request to cover judges expenses 5.6 Judges attending	Chair All Reps HL GV TH	Copies of available draft rules Queries from Secretary Request paper Allocations spreadsheet
6	I D I	1330	<b>International Competitions 2018</b> 6.1 Heads of Delegation 6.2 1 <sup>st</sup> FAI European Indoor Skydiving Championships, 11-14 Apr, Norway – Completed 6.2.1 Head of Delegation report 6.3 7 <sup>th</sup> FAI World Canopy Piloting Championships, 3-7 Jul, Wroclaw, Poland. 6.4 35 <sup>th</sup> FAI World, and 9 <sup>th</sup> FAI Junior World Freefall Style & Accuracy Landing Championships, 24-31 Aug, Erden, Bulgaria	HL Chair LW	Team List document To follow Record of proposed individuals

	D		<p>6.5 2<sup>nd</sup> FAI World Wingsuit Flying Championship, 26-31 Aug, Prostejov, Czech Rep</p> <p>6.6 18<sup>th</sup> FAI World Championship in CF, 23<sup>rd</sup> FAI World Championship in FS, 12<sup>th</sup> FAI World Championship in Artistics and 2<sup>nd</sup> World Championships in Speed Skydiving, 4-12 Oct, Gold Coast, Queensland</p> <p>6.6.1 Request for Facebook Group</p> <p>6.7 3<sup>rd</sup> FAI World Cup of Indoor Skydiving, 25-28 Oct, Zallaq, Bahrain</p>	GV	
7	D	1340	<p><b>Judging Matters</b></p> <p>7.1 Proposed changes to Form 277 – BPA Judging Procedures</p>	TH	proposal paper
8	A A/D	1410	<p><b>Action Plan &amp; Competitions Budget 1 July 2017 – 30 June 2018</b></p> <p>8.1 Unclaimed sponsorship allocations</p> <p>8.2 Sponsorship Timescales for those representing Team GB in 2018-2019</p>	GV GV	Discussion paper 8.1 Discussion paper 8.2
9	I	1440	<p><b>Skills Coaching Roadshows</b></p> <p>9.1 All Discipline Roadshow dates and Coaches</p>	All Reps	Spreadsheet to follow
10	I	1500	<p><b>Any other Business</b> (To be notified by 1700 on 9 February 2018)</p> <p>10.1 BPA Membership Survey</p> <p>A survey of the membership is planned, about the design concept for the British Skydiving logo. Holding a survey gives an opportunity to ask other questions, say two per committee. To consider whether there are any survey questions from this committee.</p>		
11		1515	<p><b>Dates of Next Meetings:</b> At 12 June, 7 August, 25 Sept and 27 Nov at the BPA Office.</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>	