NDCNA – County Committee Meeting

14 June 2026 -In Person

Attendance

Joanna Makepeace Woods - Chair
Fiona Srogi – Secretary
Angela Stoker
Emma Hubbard
Lauren Hall
Gemma Sandberg
Ashleigh Elliott
Julie Kimber

Apologies

	Action
Chair update First part of the meeting was reviewing the code for sports governance Health check and Action plan-	All to action as attached
Umpiring Update Drop outs continue to be a problem. We are also seeing a lot of requests for out of county participants wanting assessments. Lot of younger trainees coming through, which is leading to prioritisation given to older due to the restrictions on what levels younger can umpire	AS to monitor
Senior league Been quite lax with bench rules – at Harton observers should be outside of the fenced area – Comms to be done. There is a waitlist of teams to be entered – New strategy should allow this to happen Suggestion of Safeguarding being added to admin support role. Review to be carried out on acceptance of non County clubs into the league	
Junior League Similar to Senior and will be included in the New strategy going forward giving preference to County Clubs over out of area. But still allowing for some out of area submissions to keep level of competition Scouting at leagues to be addressed in strategy, and looking to run an entry tournament for Junior league.	

Performance Trails are 13-15 yrs 19/20 September Under 18 3 September Under 11s 9 July Job adverts out I the next few days and consideration on job description has been given to safeguarding - Documents will be circulated along with appointment information Recruitment pack is on the website and a working group will be set to appoint from applicants Looking to work with Sunderland college and will be having further conversations however first proposal is for under 11's to move to there, waiting on written confirmation of the offer before cancelling other venues	
Schools No Update	
Safeguarding Jayne Novell is to take on the safeguarding role in the interim, then stand for election at AGM	AE
Comms EN 100 years celebration – currently little information other than counties to run events themselves. Celebrations to be launched in March.	
AOB Medals – stock levels to be checked and requirements to be confirmed and ordered with Total Sport	LH