

EAST MIDLANDS NATIONAL GOVERNING BODY OFFICER FORUM

Meeting Agenda, Tuesday March 23rd 2010 At: SportPark Loughborough University

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09.00	Refreshments
09.15	1. 16+ / LAAs (NGBs divided by capacity)
10.15	2. LAAs / 16+ (NGBs divided by capacity)
11.15	Break
11.30	3. NGB Equity Plans (whole group)
13.00	Lunch
13.30	4. Future of the NGB Forum
14.00	5. Apprenticeships
14.30	6. CSP Updates
15.30	7. AOB / date of next meeting
15.45	End

Notes:

16 + Agenda – Presenter: Melissa Handford (Badminton England)

Session to include facilitated discussion on how sports can:

- address strategies that appeal to young people re retention & communications
- engage younger people in the governance of sports to help them stay playing
- adopt different competition structures in order to retain players – e.g. more mixed competition, more structured friendly competition

Local Area Agreements – Presenter: Russell Turner (Sport England)

Session to include:

- Overview of National Indicators and their delivery
- What's available to NGBs
- How does an NGB tailor its programmes to fit in with local need
- Role of CSPs in brokering arrangements

NGB Equity Plans – Presenter Cath Arter (Transition UK)

Equalities & Human Rights Commission, East Midlands Office, has recently commissioned a project looking at improved engagement between sport and people within the 7 Equality Strands. This session will aim to find out what equality targets NGBs have in their Whole Sport Plans, which partners they want to engage with and the difficulties they currently face in trying to develop equitable delivery.

It will be possible to follow the session up, at the next NGB Forum, with an item that invites targeted partners, seeks to understand their drivers and discusses actions to support NGB delivery.

Apprenticeships – Presenter SkillsActive

In this new development, all 16 year olds have a right to an apprenticeship or similar programme of learning. (Until end of March there is a golden "hello" of £2.5k for employers taking up an apprentice.) Local Authorities are now the

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commissioning body for “Young People and Learning” through the YPLA (Young Peoples’ Learning Agency). This session will offer an overview from a National Apprentice Service Employer Engagement Officer. The Officer works with all types of organisations in the region and counties and the presenter will explain the opportunities this offers to NGBs.

Future of the NGB Forum – Presenter JW / JP

At the last NGB Planning Group meeting most details for the future running of the Forum were sorted out. The responsibility for the workload of preparing for and running meetings has been divided up. So no one person has a significant workload from this. A paper has been written to explain these things and this is available on the website in the “NGB Forum Meetings” section.

In brief, the NGB Planning Group membership has been agreed. So, depending on who the Chair & Vice Chair of the Forum will be, we now require either one rep or two reps from the NGBs to sit on the Planning Group. Within this session we will get an update from Sport England about their future support for NGB Forums, discuss the proposals from the Planning Group and agree the Rep(s) of the NGBs.