



COMPETITIONS COMMITTEE MEETING
Wednesday 9th October, Teams 10:00 – 11:30

Meeting Notes

1. Apologies **KP**

2. Notes of the Previous Meeting **KP**

KaP proposed, JH seconded

3. Matters Arising **KP**

SA point 5 adopt minimum age for all comps that lead to WC needs clarity junior and if there is a minimum age imposed by WC we need to make sure that no players enter junior champs and play but would then not be eligible to represent their team at WC level if they win.

4. Competition Draws **CG**

Open champs extended to end of month as per board request. CG updated that it will be extended to end of October and that it will be promoted again in your curler which has a 70% open rate and on average 1500 clicks. It was also noted that the date clashes with farmers event at Hamilton so keep this in mind when scheduling for next year.

KaP asked about mixing men and women, but it was felt that, this was a great idea, and 1 female team had already indicated they wouldn't want to enter on this basis.

KP asked regards entries around seniors, and it was confirmed 21 male and 6 female teams had entered.

Discussions around mixed doubles and entry numbers

5. Action Log **CG**

CG went over any outstanding points and any actions required

6. Junior Championships entries

SA

Discussions took place regards adding a max of 8 entries for junior champs similar to scottish champs and that all teams must have to enter junior champs qualifier in in 25/26 to be considered for academy into 26/27.

SA to send onto committee

Can a question be added to feedback form to see what folks thoughts on quals and then champs

JH had some questions regards timings and how long would quals be etc concerns regards seedings also, to look at how this is worked out

KP noted it would shorten juniors week as a whole and saving a few days

JM to revise rules to include cap of 8 teams to send to AS for new rule book

25/26

7. Date of next meeting: 11th Dec 2024

KP	Keith Prentice	Convenor, Director
JM	John McGowan	Umpire Convenor
Ka.P	Kaye Paterson	Umpire Rep
FM	Fraser Montgomery	RCCC Chair
DW	David Whiteside	Representative
VB	Vincent Bryson	CEO, SC
EML	Eilidh McCall Lawrie	HOD
EM	Elaine Mills	Administrator, SC
CG	Charlene Graham	Competitions Officer, SC
JH	Jim Hogg	Representative
NM	Neil Murray	Representative
AH	Alan Hannah	Director
SA	Scott Andrews	Academy Manager