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

Minutes of Meeting

1. Apologies **KP**

Sarah Lean

David Whiteside

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

VB proposed

JM seconded

3. Matters Arising **KP**

No matters arising

4. Competition Draws **CG**

Champs draw is still pending with a format agreed for camps – committee to discuss practise and stone selections. Committee agreed to offer stone selection for semis but no practise JM to create post round robin schedule and CG to distribute to teams

JH raised issues regards masters draw – was not seeded correctly as per processed previously agreed by committee. It was decided to reseed and reissue the document correctly. JM to reseed and CG to upload and distribute to teams

SA raised issued an issue that was brought to him regards for U21 at Curl Aberdeen, due to St Gallen being a seed and this was explained to athlete in question.

JM then raised should slams be seeded as per overall leaderboard instead of previous slams.

5. Action Log **CG**

Junior champs going to 8 teams same as champs so will need a qualifier in the calendar. Teams will be encouraged to enter qualifiers as a requirement for

academy next year to give qualifiers a good turnout of teams and allow Academy Manager to observe athletes.

Committee agreed 8 end games for junior qualifiers – does this need to be in rule book? CG to check who makes that decision and take to appropriate committee

JM to change uniform rule for junior championships to include matching uniform for qualifiers and identical uniform for championships

6. Competitions Calendar – 25/26 CG

All agreed and CG to share updated calendar – few comps on WC schedule are still TBC but best guestimates are noted on the calendar

7. Pairs & Province entries and amounts allowed per rink KP

JM confirmed rules for this, and rinks should get additional teams if approved by comps committee to ensure there are 24 teams in each competition.

NM has 8 entries from Stirling

JH has indicated that informal agreement of top two teams can enter

Committee has basic agreement to make up numbers and determine draw based on entries

Capped at 24 teams for both

8. Date of next meeting – CG to send out doodle poll to be issued to all committee members

9. AOB

Discussions took place around the Gateway ruling max of two (consecutive) years on entry in any 4-year period. This causes confusion when entering and agreed that teams can enter the gateway competition twice in a four year period they don't have to be consecutive years

Can the gateway run as the same as Morton / maxwell style to encourage local competition

ASHAM rulings – not included in rule book can this be added in

Can we do more on the tour and share it on social media

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**	**Head of Sport & Communities**
CG	**Charlene Graham**	**Competitions Officer, SC**
JH	**Jim Hogg**	**Representative**
NM	**Neil Murray**	**Representative**
AH	**Alan Hannah**	**Director**
SA	**Scott Andrews**	**Academy Manager**