

## Development Report to HBA Committee Meeting 21 Mar22

BE

**Excellent support from Julie Pike.**

**BE Club Segmentation Progress & Information email to clubs 2 March.**

**General Committee:** DB's GC term (since 1996) came to an end last year.

January Minutes 4.1, statement:

'To receive the new Membership Scheme and Membership Fees for the 2022/23 season

The Membership Scheme was not yet complete and additional consultation and planning was underway to ensure the Scheme achieves its intention to create a more flexible and tiered model to better suit members and clubs. The following additional comments and points were noted:

The final scheme will be deferred to the next General Meeting, with the associated fees.

☑ **All Counties will be consulted on the scheme. Has this happened?**

New CEO, Sue Storey, starts on the 9th May

28th March at 7pm Coaching Young People Webinar (DB signed up).

### Countywide

**HJBA:** DB attended all HJBA meetings except the most recent.

Successful Inter-secondary Schools Finals Tournament, 9 December: about 30 schools participated: helped by MK, BJ, KW, DB, JP. Herts was the only(?) county in the region to run one. Next season should go back to regional and national finals.

### Coaching

L2 10Oct-12Dec21: Level 2 training course ran at Berkhamsted. Only 3 out of the 6 participants passed. Request in to JP and BE Coaching on Mentoring session to try to help improve.

Foundation course 19/20Feb22

There were just 6 from Herts: Sue and Julie took 12 participants each (on 2 courts). I attended and explained what HBA could do to help the coaches with. See mini-write up and photo on HBA website: <http://www.hertsbadminton.net/>. It was held at Beaumont school sports facility which, built to SE/BE standards with a very wide space around the courts, is excellent for badminton events.

**Community Badminton:** Julie Bradbury keen to meet HJBA & HBA committee members for mutual opportunities: <https://hertfordshire.communitybadminton.org/>. **Waiting response to my email invitation 9 Mar.**

### Herts Sport Partnership:

Hertfordshire PE Conference 2022: Positive Futures and Positive Minds, postponed to Friday 20th May 2022. Previously for Primary schools (attendance 370), now for both Primary & Secondary. We will promote Racket Pack, and Primary & Secondary Resources (with Julie Pike, Brian, Ken, Gill).

Keith Burns and DB chosen by HSP to represent badminton clubs in Herts 'Club Advocacy' Group: meeting 26Jan22 (Agenda, TOR, HSP direction, Priorities, Conference, Coach Ed week, Specialisms, Sustainability). Next meeting to include Clubs' Security of Tenure.

HSP Clubs Forum, 10Feb, DB represented Badminton with HBA stand: DB attended Working with schools, and Community Clubs workshops. Slide available:

<https://sportinherts.org.uk/workforce/clubhub/>

## **HBA Media**

Website: Information updated sporadically, particularly CBNs. Membership benefit: Tennisnuts have renewed discount of 5% to all HBA members (useful when Goode sport ran out of feathers).

FaceBook: last 2 publications:

All England Masters 19th-21st November 2021 **306 reached**

FREE COACHING!!!! Sunday 12th December 202 **187 reached**

## **East Herts CBN**

Appears healthy and flourishing with good support and several projects. Most recent report attached.

## **Herts West Badminton Development Group**

Good attendances from HSP, and Local Authority Sports Development, and schools (NB: Tanya Angus, Herts School Games Organiser; Oaklands College, St Albans Campus, and Natalie Barton, St Helens school and holiday camps), but only Harpenden BC (Dave Hill, Treasurer) and DB from clubs. Several projects funded others in progress (details on HBA HW CBN webpage).

£774 for the two approved projects approved, £2385 in bank.

**DB would like to stand aside and recruit a chair and sec.**

## **Letchworth & District CBN**

See Bob Green's report.

## **Welwyn Hatfield CBN**

No meeting. Clubs back and junior and adult sessions have mostly returned. New School Sports Organiser to be met.

Gosling Sports Park Redevelopment with 8 court Hall: Nick Rimmer reports WH Borough Council Meeting 'in March' JP to attend.