



WPAS Working Group. "Development Programmes"

**MEETING DATE: 23/24 April 2020**

Minutes recorded by JS

### **Roll Call**

Jane Stevens (JS), Erik Leirfallom (EL), Maike Hujara (MH), Roman Jakic (RJ), Sylvana Mestre (SM) , Antonio Chiracu (AC), Nick Elsewaerd (NE),

Guest, Erik Peterson

### **Revision of previous minutes**

Accepted

### **Questionnaire Update**

(AC) has sent through a draft questionnaire for nations. As this has only been sent to all the group in the last few hours group to please review the proposed documents and return comments to the group.

### **Initiatives**

(JS) Group needs to narrow down the good ideas that have been put forward in preparation for the Nations meeting and presentation.

(AC) presented a document that explains the directions/focuses of the IPC. There are 3 strategic directives which are

1. Support members and partners to increase participation offerings through grassroots programmes
2. Advance female participation in programmes of member associations and partners
3. Expand opportunities for a wider suite of athletes, including athletes with high support needs

Group discussion on how our previously discussed projects and ideas will fit into the above. Most will but also need to not just focus solely on the above.

(AC) Creation of a pathway and then information distributed to NPC.



Discussion,

(MH) Focus on those who already ski

(NC) establish guidelines on how and who to follow up with

(AC) Not enough development events

Discussion,

Calendar/development tab with website that has been suggested is a good idea with organisation of discovery camps and wide spread of information can be achieved. This should/could happen nationally and internationally, and guidelines need to be developed by the group. Discussion on Polish initiative.

(JS) Each member to put forward 3 ideas under the 3 strategic topics for discussion over email and to assist in what plans will be requested for help to run on behalf of WPAS development.

Meeting ended.

Next meeting 7/8<sup>th</sup> May.