**Track & Field Committee Meeting**

**April 2022**

A meeting of the committee took place on Monday 4th April 2022.

The chair welcomed all to the meeting and advised the appointment of Elaine Grant as the new CEO of ANI. Elaine will take up post at the beginning of May. The Chair and all the committee welcome Elaine to the organisation and wish her well in post.

As part of the overall ANI strategy work continues on the preparation of the competition strategy. The new CEO’s past working experience ensures a good support for the staff working on the strategy.

The CWG policy and the appeals policy are now on the website. All important dates are listed.

Working groups have been meeting and work has commenced on updating memorandums and articles along with Terms of Reference for committees.

Discussions took place on some ongoing matters;

1. New Benches – track staff are working with BCC to have this work completed for the Belfast International event on 28th May.
2. Bangor Facility – there are concerns that the Bangor facility is unfit and unsafe. Members of the facilities sub group are endeavouring to have the facility brought up to usable standards and get Track Mark certified.
3. Belfast International – staff and volunteers are working hard on entries and logistics. It is to be a great event and it is hoped the competition will be well supported
4. Essential maintenance has been carried out on track equipment

The coaching sub group will be looking at the competition rule changes for hammer, discus, horizontal jumps and track infringements and will be communicating these out to coaches.

Barbara Scott

Secretary

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