



Dear National Council members,

The results of Ballot No. 61 were as follows:

	Item	Yes / No / Abstain
1.	Remove Youth Development Officer role from National Council	1 No All others Yes Carried
2.	Remove Women's Officer role from National Council	Unanimously carried
3.	Remove Medical Advisor role from National Council	Unanimously carried
4.	Remove Legal Advisor role from National Council	Unanimously carried
5.	Remove Permit Secretary role from National Council – tasks to be given to General Secretary role	Unanimously carried
6.	Agreement to advertise for volunteers for the Treasurer role*	Unanimously carried
7.	Agreement to advertise for volunteers for the Coaching Secretary role	Unanimously carried
8.	Agreement to advertise for volunteers for the Technical Secretary role	Unanimously carried
9.	Agreement to advertise for volunteers for the Drugs Controls Officer role*	Unanimously carried
10.	Agreement to advertise NW Div Rep role*	Unanimously carried
11.	Agreement to advertise NE Div Rep role*	Unanimously carried

The purpose of this Ballot is simply to vote for those vacancies identified in Ballot 61. Once those posts are established I shall follow on very quickly with another series of issues which have been raised with me over the past few months – and which – if they are to be taken to WDFPF World Congress, need to be determined quite quickly.

I am absolutely delighted that so many individuals have come forward to volunteer in so many different capacities in order to further strengthen our Association. In addition to those names below I have heard from several individuals offering general help and support. This is great news.

For most of the NC vacancies we have received one or two volunteers but for the Technical Secretary position we have received more interest. Rather than turn away a lot of dedicated and technically competent individuals I would like to propose that instead of asking one person to do this critical role, we have one central person who would co-ordinate a team of volunteers based around the country who can help at events; inform clubs and divisions of changes to rules; and provide a range of technical points of view on issues raised by lifters or by WDFPF. So when voting for this post please consider who might be best placed to take on a central co-ordinating role.

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Where there are multiple volunteers please give the name of the volunteer you wish to have the role. Where there is only one volunteer please indicate if you are happy or not for them to be appointed to this role with Yes or No (or Abstain) vote.

	Item	Yes / No /Abstain / Name of preferred volunteer
1.	Treasurer role Sue Bethell	
2.	Coaching Secretary role Wendy Evans Tiffany Heaven	
3.	Technical Secretary role James Minear Pat Reeves Louise Brookwell Chris Martin (when not at sea)	
4.	Drugs Controls Officer role Ann Thomas	
5.	NW Div Rep role Neil Ratcliffe	
6.	NE Div Rep role Scott Thompson	

Please send your response by 19th August 2016 to President.bdfpa@outlook.com copied to Pat Reeves