

FRA Plan -Outcomes in the current plan – seeking member’s suggestions for actions to implement these proposals.

Please return your suggestions to Nick Harris chair@fellrunner.org.uk

Corporate strategic issues.	
Outcomes.	Actions you would like to see.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. English Senior championship b. Inter counties championship organised c. Junior championship d. Fell runner e. Handbook and calendar produced f. Financial plan g. Audited annual accounts 	
Operational issues – general.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. That the AGM functions attracts more than the quorum. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> b. Active succession planning involving members. 	

c. Accurate records are available to the Committee and other members.	
d. To ensure that there is agreed accountability across the organisation.	
e. Financial planning maintains the organisation in a solvent position with adequate reserves equivalent to 6 months' income	
f. That the FRA published rules take into account Access and Environment requirements.	
g. Appropriate publicity materials. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. courses for members and other activities. b. guidance for race organisers remains relevant for them and their teams. c. new fell runners have information on the sport and safe running and racing. d. maintain membership at 6000. 	
h. To publicise and review rules and other documentation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Compliance with published documents by race organisers and runners. j. To take action where violation of the rules is established. 	

k. That published fell running rules comply with those required by UKA and the law	
Membership	
a. Clear guidelines with reference to eligibility for members to compete for more than one club.	
b. Increased awareness of safety rules and requirements amongst all participants through FRA membership.	
c. Reduction in cost of work provided by Sportident.	
d. Increasing membership by 10% with a focus on increased female and junior members.	
e. Develop better links with larger clubs.	
Welfare.	
a. To have an agreed Welfare policy available for members and other runners	
b. To have agreed terms of reference for the Welfare Officer, to include issues relating to the Welfare Policy, the England Athletics Equal opportunities and disability policies; the UKA/BA policies in relation to transgendered athletes and the UKA/BA policies in relation to drug abuse.	

c. To ensure that the risks inherent in the management of welfare issues are identified and managed	
Juniors.	
a. Well attended junior races in the English Championships with positive feedback from participants in the age categories up to age 18.	
b. Annual Junior Do, prize giving and training/inspiration session	
c. Good uptake of entries for the ESFRC, to include those children who might otherwise not have access to fell racing as a competitive sport.	
d. More counties entering teams in the IC race	
Coaching.	
a. Deliver sufficient Leader and Coach courses to meet demand within the fell running community.	
b. Provide CPD opportunities for existing Leaders and Coaches.	
c. Explore provision of Leader and Coach courses in Wales, Scotland and N Ireland.	
d. Seek external funding	

International.	
To ensure that the FRA plays a full part in the development of fell and hill running within the UK and internationally	
Communications.	
a. That publications using electronic media or paper copy are produced to inform members about fell running and races	
b. That photographs and videos made available are used effectively	
c. To ensure that the facilities available to members and other fell runners keep abreast of technological developments	
Access and Environment	
1. Agreements.	
a. Agreement with National Trust (national)	
b. Liaison with Natural England as to issues/requirements	

c. Agreement with UU	
d. Agreement with Forestry Commission	
e. Ongoing liaison with ROs in key areas and ad hoc queries	
2. Requiring.	
a. Have a document which can be produced to relevant bodies referred to in part 1	
i. and which reflects current best practice in access and environment	
ii. deals with and mitigates any damage caused by the sport	
iii. ties into charitable donations as well	
iv. ensures runners and organisers are aware of responsibilities but without losing the freedom to run	
Safety, equipment and rules.	
a. Updated fit-for-purpose documents (Requirements and Rules for Race Organisers; Guidelines for Race Organisers; Requirements for Runners) in place for the 2017 fell running season, resolving any easily identified inconsistencies, gaps or ambiguities	

<p>b. Updated fit-for-purpose documents (including Requirements and Rules for Race Organisers; Guidelines for Race Organisers; Requirements for Runners) in place for the 2018 fell running season, with subsequent annual review</p>	
<p>c. Recommendations for improving communications with race organisers and runners, and other measures, with a view to promoting the safe organisation and conduct of fell races</p>	
<p>d. Updated guidance on the use of existing and new equipment and technologies</p>	
<p>e. Recommendations for increasing compliance with the Rules and Guidelines for Race Organisers</p>	
<p>f. Recommendations for increasing compliance with the Requirements for Runners</p>	
<p>g. Increased numbers of navigation and wilderness first aid courses</p>	

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