Coaching Coordinator’s Report 2023

This is totally a new role for the WM Region, which I was very excited to do. Enthusiastically I set about reaching out to all the BTF coaches within the region, which apparently was a number in the region of 300. I unfortunately only received 29 emails from coaches who were keen to be part of this new group, which was to help, support coaches and clubs within the region and those that lie on borders to our region.

I sent out a survey which had a number of questions regarding coaches and our involvement etc and then I organized a webinar follow up. Sadly, only five coaches signed on for that call, so I dropped the ball so to speak as there did not seem to be the enthusiasm I was hoping for. So, a few months late I linked up with my opposite number for the London Region for another webinar call that about “Coaching Triathlon for diversity and Inclusion”. Once again, I think there was only five coaches from the WM region who joined the call. Therefore, I asked myself again does the WM need someone to do this role? I have decided to try and continue unless someone else steps forward and takes on the role. The next webinar planned will be to discuss “Coaching Children”. This webinar was to be scheduled in November, but we may struggle to get some speakers assigned by then, so I will keep you all posted n the exact date and time.

Thanks

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