

Clubs' questionnaire: Question 1

- Does your club want to continue with the current arrangement of 3 clubs' meetings per season (November, March and July)?

YES 23.1%

NO 76.9%

YES/NO

Question 2

- If you answered NO to question 1, how many meetings would your members prefer? 1/2/3
 - 1 50%
 - 2 50%
 - 3 0%

Question 3

- Our current league rules require each club to send 2 representatives to each meeting. Do your members want this reducing to 1 representative?
YES/NO
 - YES 92.3%
 - NO 7.7%

Question 4

Club representatives are in addition to club members who are also committee members. Should 1 of these committee members also count as a club representative? YES/NO

• YES 69.2%

• NO 30.8%

Question 5

• Do your club representatives pass on information to all members following clubs' meetings?
YES/NO

• YES 92.3%

• NO 7.7%

Clubs with junior sections

•Should clubs' meetings involve more junior club representatives
YES/NO

•YES 46.2%

•NO 53.8%

• Should these
be a separate
meeting?
YES/NO

• YES 50%

• NO 50%

Other comments

- Less meetings – timing to coincide with Winter and Summer Leagues
- Agenda to be sent to clubs in advance along with questions for discussion
- Meetings are better when all reps are together
- No group work – meetings to be as short as possible
- Option for clubs to propose clubs' agenda items
- Minutes of meetings to be published to clubs asap after each meeting and published on the website
- Virtual meetings v face to face?

Clubs with junior section:comments

What would be the purpose of a separate junior clubs meeting?

Additional meetings should not be mandatory.

Lack of junior competition provided by NNA.

Current provision is too fragmented.

Would like to see development of links to existing junior leagues supported by all junior clubs

POINTS FOR DISCUSSION

- If number of club reps is reduced to 1 per club, what are the pros and cons of that rep also being an NCNA member? Conclusion?
- What contingency plans should clubs put in place in case that rep is unable to attend? Implications for sanctions as per current league rule 16?
- Clubs will need to reevaluate how information from meetings is disseminated effectively to all its members.
- Virtual or face to face meetings?