

Athletics Manitoba Officials & Office Report

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OFFICIALS

- Grant Mitchell will serve as BOC (Branch Officials Chair) in the interim period (January 15 through to when the new ED is in place). The new ED will also serve as the BOC.
- Grant will be following up with AMOC and officials regarding the AMOC Terms of Reference. The original agreement called for a review of the terms after two years (fall of 2017). However, given staff changes it seemed prudent to extend the terms to the fall of 2018.
- The meet sign-ups for the indoor meets went to all officials last week and it was also sent to the CSG volunteers
- The call for officials for the 2018 Legion Nationals will go out in early January.
- There is a need to develop a photo timing policy and plan for meets that happen during weekdays. Grant will be working with Claude Berube and the photo timing crew to determine the best options moving forward.
- We have ordered new IAAF rule books through Athletics Alberta as they created a way to coil the books (making them easier to review) and inserted some other key information and resources for Canadian officials.

OFFICE

- Alanna will serve as the Interim Executive Director as of January 15, 2018 through to when the new ED is in place. She will be assisted by Shirley Allan Boudreau. Once the new ED is in place the balance of the office structure staff will be determined. The proposal is for a full time ED, full time Program/Technical position and a part time position.
- A list of projects and follow ups from the ED position was created and presented/discussed with Grant, Kathy and Alanna in mid-December. Grant and Alanna will be follow up and monitoring these elements in the interim period and beyond
- The call for applications went out in mid-December and the deadline set for January 15, 2018. The job was posted on Sport MB, SIRC, Athletics Canada, Indeed and Workopolis. It was also circulated to all branches.
- U of M has received our suggested changes but their legal department has not returned the document. Grant will be following up on this element in the interim period. A final document should be ready for signatures by the March board meeting.
- Planning for Canada West is ongoing
- All the of athlete and coaching funding cheques have been distributed
- The online sanction form has been developed. I ran out of time and was not able to test it and finalize it. I have left the information with the office so follow up can be completed on this document/process.
- I have enjoyed my employment with Athletics Manitoba. I found it challenging (in a stimulating way) and had the opportunity to learn a lot. Thank you for the opportunity to lead and develop Athletics in Manitoba.