

Coaching Committee Report to 2016 AGM

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Past Year's Work

- After the first pilot of the *Analyze Performance and Support the Competitive Experience* workshop last summer, we had several steps remaining to be completed for the Conditional Approval Process (CAP) of the Competition-Introduction Coach Program.
- The workshop manuals were ready except for final edits and formatting but we also needed to complete the Operations Manual before the material could be forwarded to the CAP Review Committee. The workshop slides and the order of the workshop activities were also being updated.
- All the material was delivered to the Review Committee on Feb. 15th for our CAP meeting on Feb 24th.
- The committee members included another CAC consultant (Isabelle Cayer also attended), a diving coach, and a provincial (PTO) representative. They congratulated us on all our work and pointed out a few areas that needed clarification or more detail. We also needed to update our web pages.
- Later that day we received confirmation from the CAC that our COMP-INTRO program had been Conditionally Approved!
- On March 12th, a second Analyze Performance and Support the Competitive Experience pilot workshop was completed here in Ottawa
- On that same week-end, the first group of COMPETITON STREAM Learning Facilitators were trained by a consultant from Sports Ontario. We were fortunate to acquire some year-end funding from the CAC to bring coaches from Nova Scotia and Hamilton and to hire the PTO consultant.
- We then completed all the workshop material updates, operational loose ends, and a new web page at the end of May. Only the translation of the material remains to be completed before Final Approval.

Future Work - Projects and Goals

Final Approval should be completed this summer.

The chief task now is to "market" the Comp-Intro program and help our coaches towards certification.

We should aim to have a dozen certified coaches by this time next year.

Successes and Challenges

Completing the Comp-Intro program was a long "struggle" but a definite success. We owe a lot of gratitude to our CAC consultant, Isabelle Cayer, for her patience and assistance with the project.

The biggest challenge is setting up opportunities for our coaches to complete the five-session program. We also need to train more Facilitators and Evaluators.

Finances

We received \$2000 for NCCP program development from the CAC to provide honorariums to Louise Oram and Bill A. for developing the material.

The CAC is covering the cost for translating the material to a maximum of \$5000.

We also received financial assistance for delivering the Learning Facilitator core training workshop.

In general, the CAC will not provide financial assistance to individual coaches but they will financially support the development of Learning Facilitators.

Our 2016-17 budget with the CAC for continued NCCP development is \$2000.

Additional Notes

