

## South Ayrshire Sports Council

Minutes of meeting – Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2015 – Conference Room, Citadel

Present: Chris Carlyle, Cllr Margaret Toner, Alan Henderson, Robert Carter, Charles Strachan, Michelle Strachan, Jim Caird, Janey McCreath, Cllr Ian Cavana

In Attendance Linda Kelly, Dawn McGeachie, Gail Prince SALSC, Liz Duncan, Scott Frew

1. Apologies: Bill Murdoch, Kirsty MacKay, Roy Claxton, Corinne Thorpe
  
2. Consider Minutes of Executive Meeting – March 2015: accepted.
  
3. Matters arising from the Minutes:
  - Cheerleading Affiliation enquiry.
  - Combined Relay request for transport to be paid.
  - DMC awaiting feedback on web page change.
  - New Club Ready affiliation form still to be finalised.
  - New SC poster .
  
4. Correspondence:
  - SAC External Funding Newsletter March & April 2015 –\_emailed to All
  - SALSC - The membership fee for this 2015/16 is £100
  - New Investment Agreement with **sportscotland** – emailed to all
  - Content is King Workshop” – emailed to all
  - Over 50's Bowls Events Kelvingrove Lawn Bowls Centre is Tuesday 7th July –emailed to all
  - Junior Bowls event is taking place at Aberfeldy Bowling Cub, Sunday 26th July – emailed to all
  
5. Financial Statement. Development Plan to be updated. CC to action. £8000 has been transferred from Sports Development to Sports Council for contribution for Financial period 2015/16 ?
  
6. Consider Grant Applications:
  - Rachel Hunter - £200
  - Emma McGhee - £75
  - Kenneth Neill - £75
  - Kirsty Kemp - £75
  - John Wardrope - £200
  - Bryn Doherty - £150
  - Roy Claxton - £100
  
7. Working Groups and the Way Forward:
  - Events Group:

Primary Relay Feedback – Great day and good weather helped but It was felt that some house-keeping would be beneficial for next year’s event. JC will prepare document and email.  
Combined Relays – Active Schools have requested SC pay transport cost of £160 as last year, this was agreed.

- Communication & Funding Group

Webpage – Committee felt webpage should be updated and that SALSC Media workshop would be beneficial starting point. MS and CS will get examples of lay outs and co-ordinate with DMcC  
Facebook – LK to contact photographer for copies of Relay photographs for fb.

8. Active Schools Update - see attached sheet

9. Update from Sports Development Team – see attached sheet

10. 2014/15 Club Affiliation update: 52 clubs affiliated

11. New Sue McClure trophy to be Quaich's Large and small to be purchased – To be named the Sue McClure "Young Achiever of the Year" Award in recognition for young person with "Dedication, Determination and Discipline."

12. AOCB – New SC poster - grant amount £200 to be removed. Wording and design to be changed. CS will action. LK to send pop-up pdf to CS.

CS looking for SAC coach Ed courses to include first aid rather than go out with SA.

Awards evening – Catering JMCC and MS will action and liase with LK. Gail will check categories for Sports Awards.

Thought were to ask Paul Foster to attend. IC has contact details.

CC, CS will arrange meeting with KMCK to discuss award night format etc.

South Ayrshire Youth Forum – Committee agreed to sponsor Awards again this year with the "**Personal Achievement in Sport**" category for £70. Invitation for SC member to attend.

14. DONM – Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July, Conference Room, Citadel.

## ACTIVE SCHOOLS -

Once again I am pleased to report an increasing trend of participation within the opportunities created by the Active Schools team across South Ayrshire. This is thanks to continued support from yourself as a key partner allowing the team to develop a range of opportunities to our children and young people. Please see attached the Term 2 report for South Ayrshire Active Schools for your information. We are particularly delighted to see a continued increase in participation within secondary schools, and an increase within our ASN schools, both areas have been a key focus within the team this term.

We are also pleased to report that funding from sportscotland has been approved to continue Active Schools until March 2019. We are also excited about the recently approved funding which will add a Competitive School Sport Officer to the Active Schools team. This post will be responsible for working with key partners to build a sustainable infrastructure for school sport competition within South Ayrshire.

Our partnerships with local colleges and universities are developing and we have been working in partnership with SRUC to offer a student internship programme. Currently four students from SRUC are working within Active Schools to develop a range of projects providing them with relevant work experience and the transferable skills to take into the workplace once they graduate. We are also working closely with Ayrshire College to offer a range of opportunities for students studying NC, HND and HND Sports Courses.

We are delighted to welcome Caitlin Anderson to the Active Schools team. Caitlin will be responsible for Kyle Academy and the Kyle cluster schools and will have a responsibility for developing pathways for table tennis and cycling within schools. Caitlin has previously supported South Ayrshire Schools as a volunteer and so it is great to welcome her to the team. I have attached updated contact details for the Active Schools team for your reference.

We also launched our new website during term 2 which contains lots of information about the programmes we deliver within schools and the wider community [www.activeschools.sa.co.uk](http://www.activeschools.sa.co.uk).

Thank you once again for the continued support you have given us. We look forward to continuing to develop our partnerships in the future.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the Active Schools programme please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks.

Kirsty

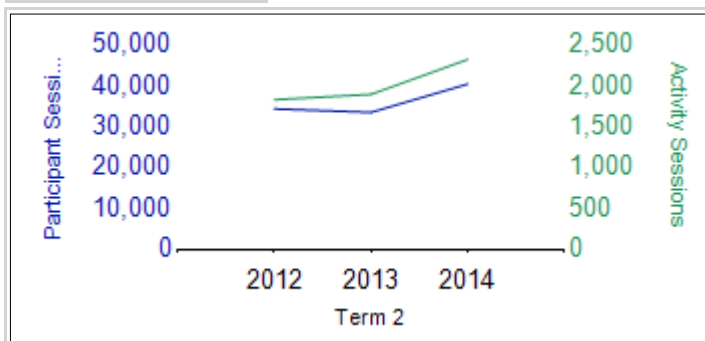
# Term Report: South Ayrshire Council

Academic Year : 2014/2015, Term(s) : 2

Putting Sport First

**sportscotland**  
the national agency for sport

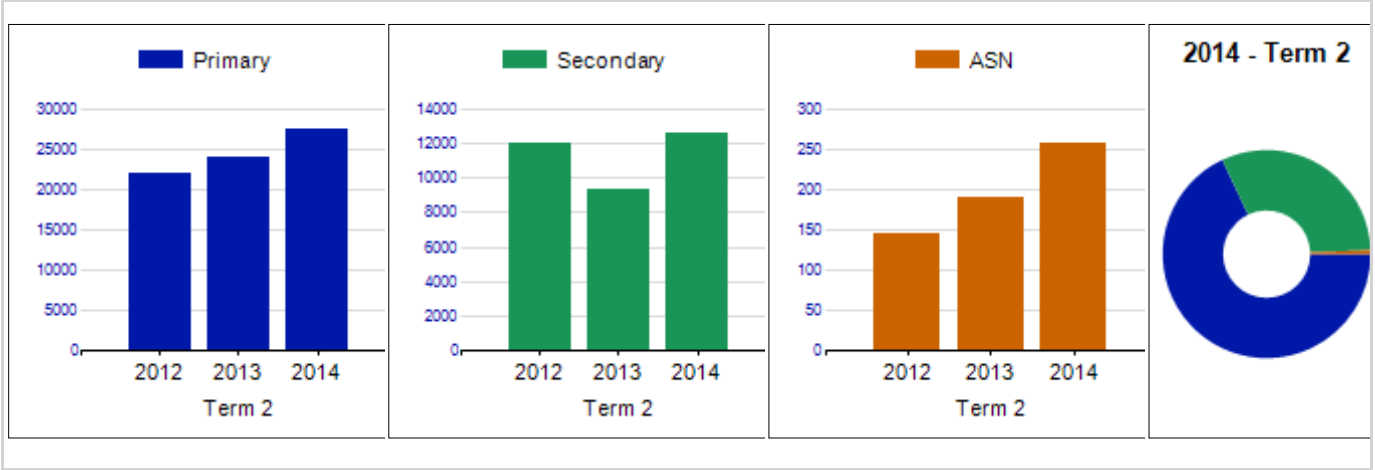
## Participant Sessions<sup>1</sup>



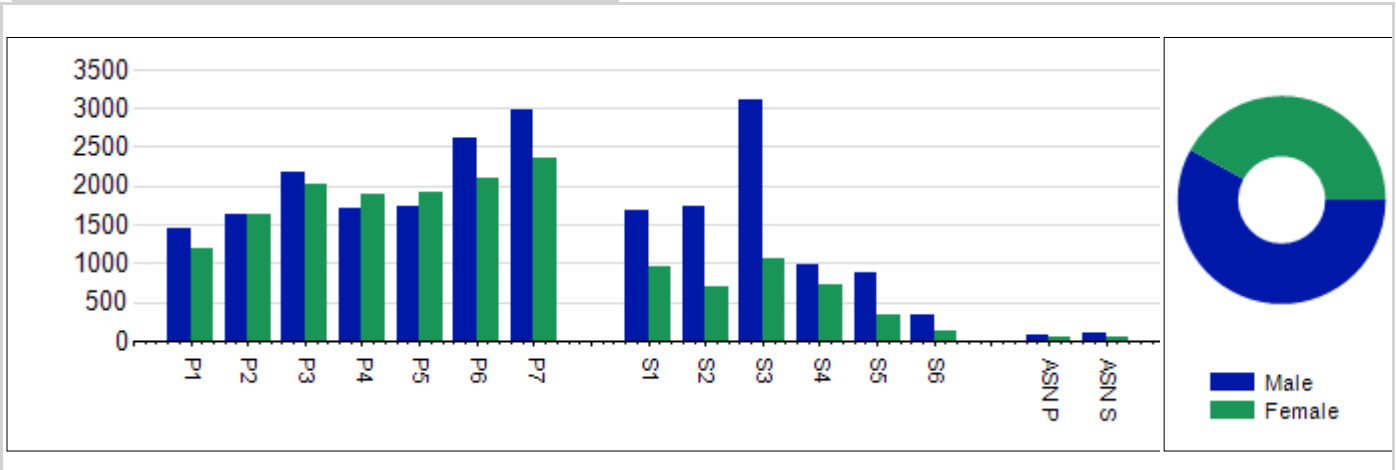
	2012 Term 2	2013 Term 2	2014 Term 2
<b>Activity Sessions</b>	<b>1,821</b>	<b>1,888</b>	<b>2,313</b>
% Purely voluntary	86%	84%	75%
Activity Session Blocks <sup>2</sup>	246	264	329
Avg Activity Sessions / Block <sup>3</sup>	7.4	7.2	7.0
Different Activities	27	30	27
<b>Participant Sessions<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>34,211</b>	<b>33,355</b>	<b>40,261</b>
% Female	47%	46%	42%
<b>Distinct Deliverers<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>243</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>300</b>
% Volunteers	92%	95%	89%
Qualified Volunteers	174	197	166
Secondary Pupils	40	68	77
Total Deliverer Sessions <sup>5</sup>	2,811	3,738	5,925
Avg Deliverers Sessions / Deliverer	11.6	11.1	19.8
<b>School Club Links</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>158</b>
Schools with at least 1 link	43	38	51
Clubs with at least 1 link	23	28	37

1. Participant Sessions are the 'visits' pupils have made to activities. These figures do not represent the distinct pupils, and should only be taken as indicative of participation
2. Activities are recorded in ASMO as 'Activity Session Blocks' which describe a group who meet to take part in an activity.
3. The Average Activity Sessions/Block figure shows the average length of a block (i.e. how many weeks did the average block run for?)
4. Distinct Deliverers are deliverers who have delivered at least one session of Active Schools supported activity across the selected year/term.
5. Deliverer Sessions are the 'visits' deliverers have made to activities. These figures do not represent the distinct deliverers, and should only be taken as indicative of delivery. Distinct deliverer information is only available at the local authority level.
6. Figures with N/A are not available for the 2008-11 phase of Active Schools. Charts which refer to information pre 2011 will show a huge increase from 0 – this is because we cannot include any 2008-2011 data at this level.

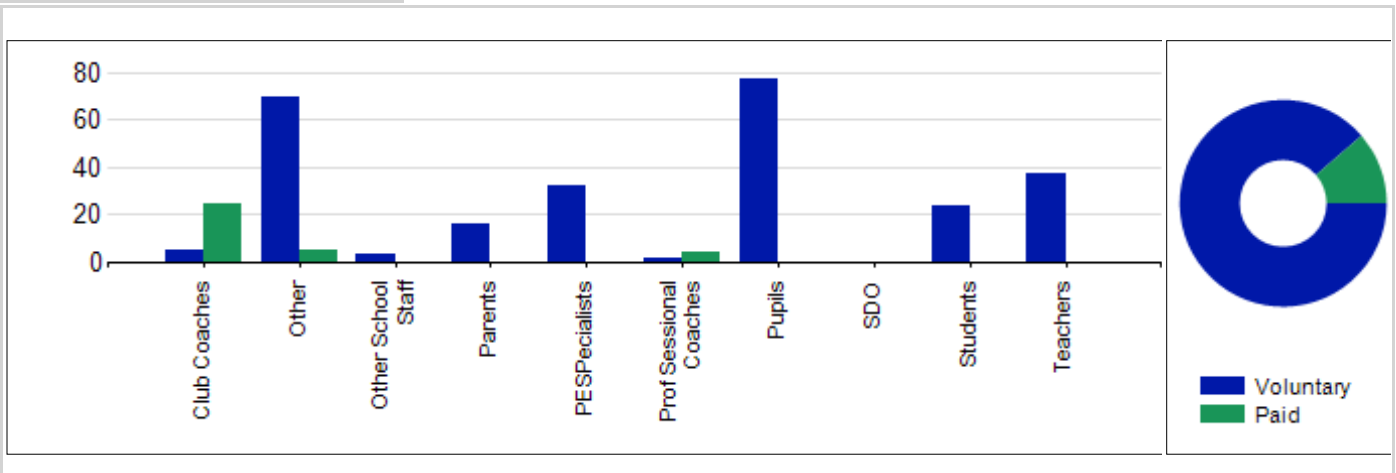
Participant Sessions<sup>1</sup> by School Type



Participant Sessions<sup>1</sup> by Year Group and Gender

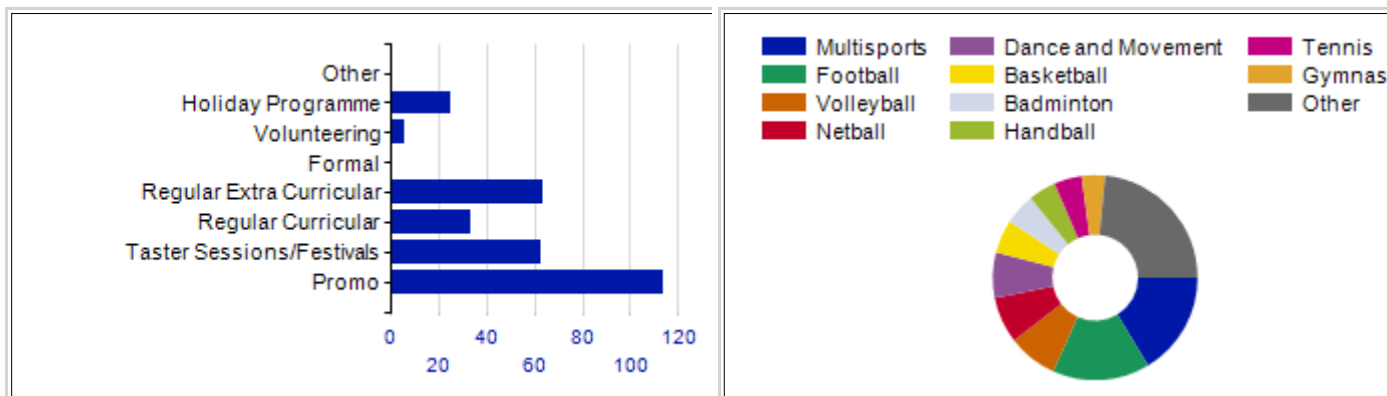


Distinct Deliverers<sup>4</sup>



School/Club Links

Top 10 Activities by Participant Sessions<sup>1</sup>



### SPORTS DEVELOPMENT UP-DATE

Launch of Belleisle Playpark - Fun Open Day on Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Sports coaches doing games and activities 1.30-3.30pm. Further dates on 20/6 and 11, 18 & 25/7 (already on FB)

Learn 2.. Gymnastic Display – Sat 20<sup>th</sup> June – Citadel

Gymnastic Coaches identified to go on Level 1 & 2 courses

Learn 2.. Diving Festival – Sat 13<sup>th</sup> June – Citadel

Learn2 .. Run , jump, throw – athletics new session being planned for Dam Park

Summer programme – planning stages

DMc/AM Met with Netball Scotland new RDO – Lee Maclean – looking to develop netball

DMc/AM met with Ayr Diving club regarding funding bid for new dry side equipment

NEW – COMING IN AUGUST

LEARN2 SQUASH - WEDNESDAY 5.30-6.30PM –Primary school aged children 6.30-7.30pm – Secondary pupils and adults Starts 26<sup>th</sup> AUGUST.

