

## **Technical Officer Report to SCOA AGM 15 June 2017**

### **Controllers**

In the last year we have appointed one new (actually re-instated an experienced Grade B) Grade C controller, upgraded one Grade C to Level B and one Grade B controller has retired.

We have 37 licensed controllers of whom at least 3 are not currently active. There are still three controllers who have not completed the Event Safety workshop, however one of these has said to me that he is no longer active as a controller and one is living overseas.

We now have 172 SCOA members who have completed the Event Safety Workshop. I believe that the most recently qualified members are from SN.

### **Event Officials**

Over the last year SCOA have agreed and implemented a procedure for approved officials for Level B events.

However, I am not sure what has happened but the requirement for Level B Event Officials to be approved by the Association now seems to have disappeared from the Rules. The current Rules on the website state that approval for Level B is now at a Club level not Association.

So we now have no basis for asking clubs to submit officials for approval to the Association.

### **Training courses**

There have been a number of event Safety Workshops run over the last year by various clubs – BKO, TVOC, SOC (for themselves and WIGHTO) and possibly SN.