

SCOA Bulletin – June 2019

1) JK 2019

At Easter 2019 the region hosted the JK. This is a major undertaking for the region and involved a huge number of volunteers. We were fortunate that we had excellent weather over the whole weekend and we have received many compliments about the event. We had some excellent areas of which the planners made good use and people liked fact that all the areas were compact with car parking, assembly and starts and finishes being close together.

Our thanks go to Di and Terry Smith for all the work they put in as the coordinators for the event and to all the officials and volunteers for the long hours they put into making the event a success.

The final accounts for the JK are still being completed. As the entries exceeded the budgeted amount it looks like there will be a substantial profit from the event to be shared between BO and SCOA.

2) SCOA League

The SCOA League for the year finished with the event in May at Rushall, hosted by BKO. Final results and prize winners are on the SCOA Web-site. The Prize giving will take place at a future League event early next season. In the new season there are currently 6 events on the calendar.

3) SCOA AGM

This was held on June 20th. At the AGM all the current officials were re-elected. Peter Hart, the BO CEO, came to the AGM. He expressed his thanks for all in SCOA for all the work they had put on at the JK. He then brought us to speed with the ongoing discussions with the Forestry Commission and DIO regarding land access and charges and also the possible plans for a review of the current event structure. It looks like there will be a new agreement with the FC which should simplify the charging structure but unfortunately there is no substantial progress with the DIO.