

# Coaches Conference 2013

## Agenda

	Time		Speaker
	09:30	<b>Arrival – Refreshments</b>	
1	10:00	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> Coaches Commission President Update	Richard Harrison
2	10:30	<b>Whole Sport Plan 2013-17</b> An introduction to the main themes of the new 4 year strategy and the importance of coaches & coaching as a key enabler in developing young people and adults with a range of motivations.	Craig Handford
3	11:00	<b>Volleyball England Coach Pathway</b> Introduction and discussion on the proposed coach pathway Placing the right coach, with the right player, at the right time is crucial to the growth and sustainability of participation at all levels. The Volleyball England Coach Pathway reflects the diverse market that sport is now trying to attract with the player experience at the centre. The implications for a strategy for the development of volleyball coaches and coaching are discussed.	Richard Harrison
4	12:00	<b>Volleyball England Coach of the Year &amp; ScUK Children’s Coach of the Year Presentation</b> Young people aged 14-25 are the key focus group for the new strategy. Tom Middleton, ScUK Children’s Coach of the Year delivers some reflections on his experiences of working with this age group.	Tom Middleton
5	12:30	<b>Coaches Panel – Hot Topics</b> A specialist panel will assemble giving you the chance to discuss what’s hot in coaching right now. Coaches are invited to ask questions and give feedback on coaching; in particular around the topics of the day.	
	13:00	<b>Lunch</b>	
6	13:30	<b>NEW Technical Curriculum for Talented Athletes</b> Coaches and managers working with athletes in the talent pathway share the work they have been doing in developing technical standards expected of young players as they enter and progress through each level of the pathway. These standards are informing player development curriculums, competition formats and provide the basis for individual player evaluation and feedback.	Craig Handford
7	14:00	<b>NEW Talent Tracker</b> The Talent Tracker is a new on-line tool that has been created to help manage, track and store information for individual players within our talent pathway. The tool will provide a one stop shop for monitoring player development based on the technical standards and delivers a platform for coach evaluation and feedback to players, parents and club coaches involved in the talent system.	Craig Handford
8	14:30	<b>Service Reception – Underhand – Practical session participants required!</b> Keith Trenam delivers a session on underhand service reception, aligned to the new Technical Standards which provide a Physical/Mental/ Technical/Tactical perspective on developing successful serve reception.	Keith Trenam
9	16:30	<b>Summary of the Day &amp; Close</b>	Richard Harrison
	16:45	<b>Depart</b>	