

CLUB DEVELOPMENT BREAKOUT GROUP



Prioritisation of Actions - Group A

- Extend NCL/NJL Model to U21 and Senior Age Groups
 - a) We assume to be below British League level so would players travel to the Venues.
 - b) Competition calendar already crowded.
 - c) Could take players away from local League.
 - d) U21 players could have gone away to University.
 - e) Encourage Universities to feed players to Clubs or University to have their own Clubs. Students need to have contact with local Clubs.
 - f) Offers team competition giving Social interaction between players.

- Stronger links between Mass Participation (Ping) and Clubs
 - a) Needs to be communication between Ping Pong Parlours, Local Council and Leagues/Clubs.
 - b) Leagues need to get more involved with the Organisers.
 - c) To identify players who show interest through Ping parlours have QR codes on tables so players can be identified after.
 - d) Posters to be printed and displayed with details of local Leagues and contacts.

- Develop Communication models for Club Operations (franchising)

We moved on from this as we were not sure what it meant.

- More support for Coaches
 - a) Leagues must support coaches more.
 - b) Leagues to help potential Coaches with financial assistance such as staggered payments as they gain more qualifications.
 - c) If qualifying to be a professional coach then applicant to pay for own course.
 - d) Encourage coaches to gain and renew their qualifications.

- Stronger Links between National Performance Team and Clubs
 - a) Top players are not in UK so difficult.
 - b) Top players should go back to Clubs to help.
 - c) Condescending attitude to local coaches.
 - d) Dialogue between local and National Clubs must improve.
 - e) Top players become idols of the young players and with the advent of technology young local players could ask questions of them.



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