

REGIONAL MANAGEMENT BOARD - 9 JULY 2007
ITEM FOR DISCUSSION/INFORMATION**REGIONAL STRATEGY 2009-13**

Key Partnership Consultation Events

PURPOSE OF REPORT

To update the Board on the progress of the proposed consultation days with Key Partners.

PROPOSED ACTION

That the Board notes the report.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

1. The region is required to produce a Strategic Plan for 2009 – 2013 by 28 September 2007. At the last RMB meeting held on 16 May 2007, the Board was asked to consider the proposed timetable and the procedure for putting the plan together. The Board requested further updates on the progress made and the associated costs.
2. At the meeting held on 14 June 2007, the Board agreed the proposed cost of £2,087 with the knowledge that the ASA has offered the region £2,000 towards the costs incurred by the region in producing a strategy.
3. As of 2 July, the bookings for the three venues were as follows:
 - Bisham Abbey – 26
 - K2, Crawley – 39
 - Rose Bowl, Southampton – 14
4. All preparations for the consultations are progressing well and the Regional Chairman and the Regional Team are looking forward to this opportunity to share the region's achievements to-date and hear from key partners how they can help us shape the future of aquatics in the region.

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