

COMMITTEE ELECTION TOP TIPS

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Outline the process for accepting nominations in your centre constitution

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Encourage involvement from your athletics community a few months before the election date;

- Hold open committee meetings or invite individuals to attend
 - Hold a general meeting on a particular issue or topic
 - Send out communications via your centre newsletter or social media channels to generate interest and understanding around the election process
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Embrace diversity by encouraging and approaching individuals who may bring a new perspective to your committee and centre

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Circulate job descriptions for committee roles so that responsibilities, expectations, and time commitments are clear

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Allow candidates to nominate themselves so that newcomers have the confidence and opportunity to get involved even if no one asks them specifically

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Ensure someone with experience and/or commitment to the centre, tracks nominations and encourages appropriate potential candidates if needed