



## 1.0 Introduction

Working in partnership with clubsportnl, North Lanarkshire Leisure facilitated a Sport Summit for the members and volunteers of clubsportnl. The Sport Summit is designed to serve the needs of the volunteers/coaches to use within the setting of their own sports, clubs and organisations. We offered over 200 places on generic sports related courses / workshops. The Summit aimed to help develop opportunities for clubs, schools, athletes and social enterprise organisations to grow and assist in getting all people of North Lanarkshire physically active. The courses were split into three sections through the day, morning, early afternoon and late afternoon. Each participant had the opportunity to attend courses from each section of the day.

## 2.0 clubsportnl

clubsportnl pulls together all the former sports councils within North Lanarkshire to provide a “one stop shop” fit for the 21st century to support the voluntary sector and assist them to achieve their potential whilst providing a whole range of services for members to work towards a “fit for purpose” status.

Managed by the volunteer for the volunteer and supported by North Lanarkshire Council / North Lanarkshire Leisure, clubsportnl shall provide a number of services including:

Access to mini-buses	Access to small grants	Information and Advice
Support for talent athletes	Links to Active Schools	Dedicated web-site
Support for events	Access to equipment	External funding information
Developmental opportunities	Discount on goods / services	Training (generic / specific)
Access to NLL’s Sports Development team		
Marketing & promotional opportunities		
Opportunity to participate at events / competitions		

The MOST important benefit of membership shall be the knowledge, skills and experiences that members bring to clubsportnl, you / your club/ organisation are the most important asset that clubsportnl shall have as an organisation. North Lanarkshire Council and North Lanarkshire Leisure recognise the invaluable role that the voluntary sector play in promoting health, sport and physical activity to the residents of North Lanarkshire and firmly believe that clubsportnl is the correct vehicle to ensure that this continues to be the case. In these difficult financial times that we all face clubsportnl shall work with its members to reduce the financial burden on the voluntary sector by sharing resources and providing opportunities to explore external funding. clubsportnl ethos is all about partnership working with other members, NLC, NLL, Governing Bodies, SALSC etc. this philosophy has allowed us collectively to provide many direct and indirect benefits to those we work with.

### 3.0 Sport Summit

This one day event delivered in partnership with North Lanarkshire Leisure Trust held at Ravenscraig Regional Sports Facility on Saturday 21 January 2012 provided an opportunity for volunteers and others involved in the promotion of local sport to access a range of services and tangible generic qualifications:

- 30 places on an SFA approved First Aid course
- 60 places available on the Safeguarding & Protecting Children Workshop
- 40 places available on How to Coach Disabled People in Sport
- 20 places available "In Safe Hands" workshop
- 40 places available on the Positive Coaching Scotland workshop

Throughout the day participants had the opportunity to attend a number of seminars to seek advice and information from a whole range of agencies including:

- sportscotland "Funding For Clubs" workshop
- Big Lottery Fund workshop
- PVG / Disclosure workshop
- Perkins Slade "Insurance for clubs and members" workshop
- Disability Inclusion workshop

A mini trade fair was also held with a variety of local businesses offering discounts to club [sportnl](#) members i.e. medals / trophies / sports kit.

Other local partners such as Partners in Play, Volunteer Action North Lanarkshire also had the opportunity to promote their role and network with the wider voluntary sector

The feedback to-date has been very positive with a number of participants expressing their support of club [sportnl](#) 's event stating that it was very informative as well as providing the opportunity to gain real tangible benefits in the form of generic qualifications

#### 4.0 Partnerships

The entire event incorporated working with internal and external partners. A wide range of partners were involved in the delivery of the courses and workshops. sportscotland provided tutors for the Safeguarding and Protecting Children, Funding for Clubs and How to Coach Disabled people in Sport. The Big Lottery provided staff for the trade fair and the Beginner application funding workshop. Children's 1<sup>st</sup> also attended the trade fair and delivered the 'In safe hands' Child protection officers workshop. Perkins Slade sent a representative from England to give advice to clubs on insuring their members. The parent led organisation Partners in Play provided knowledge and information on Disability Inclusion and NLC Learning and Leisure provided tutors for the Positive Coaching Scotland workshops. A range of other partners provided information at a trade fair between courses providing the clubs and volunteers with the opportunity to get access to equipment and kit at discounted rates.

#### 5.0 Finance

Pending the submission of all final expenditure for the event a detailed account of the total cost will follow. An estimation that the final cost of the event will be in the region of £40/£45 per person who attended

#### 6.0 Statistics

The event was funded by clubsportnl in recognition to all the members who give up their time day on day, week on week and month by month in order for their clubs to exist. A total of 230 places were available on courses throughout the day and 186 of those places were subscribed and attended which is 81% of all places offered. A total of 112 individuals attended with some participants attending more than one course.

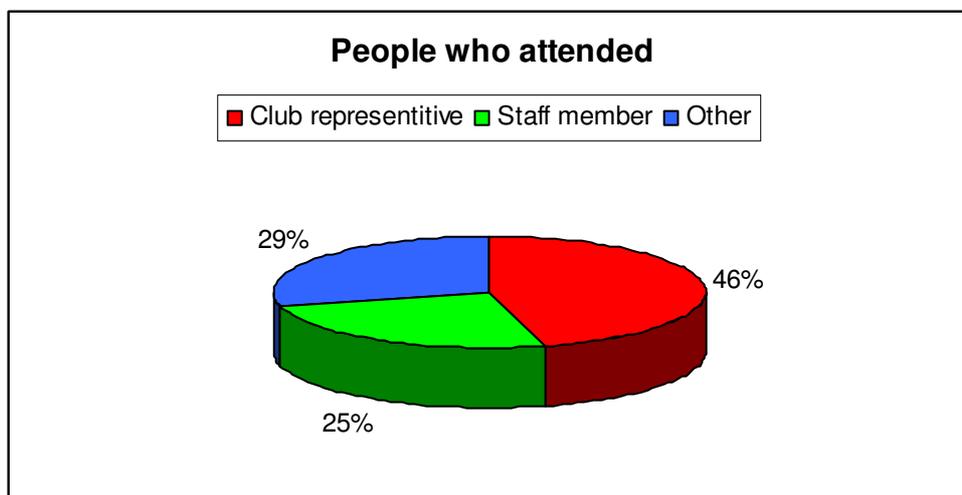


Table 1.0  
This shows the breakdown the attendees at the event

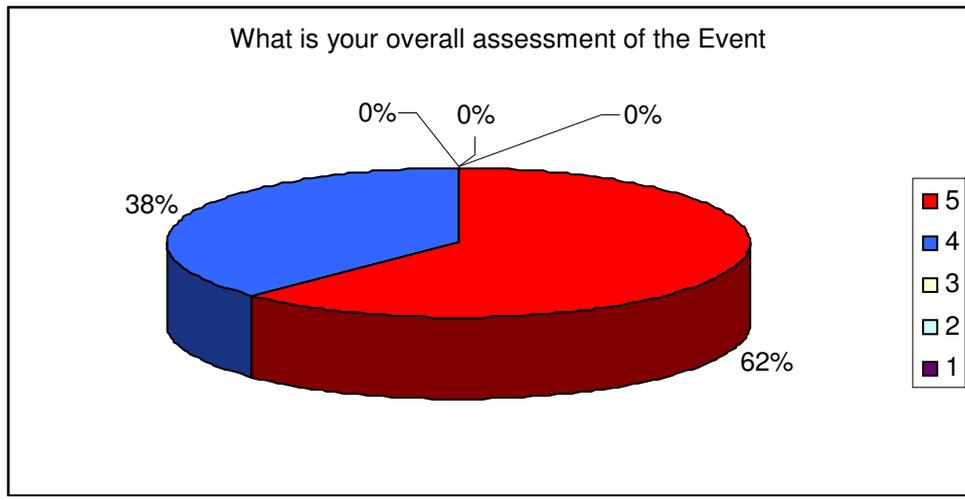


Table 1.2  
 This shows the rating of the event scored by the participant  
 5 = V.Good – 1= V.Poor

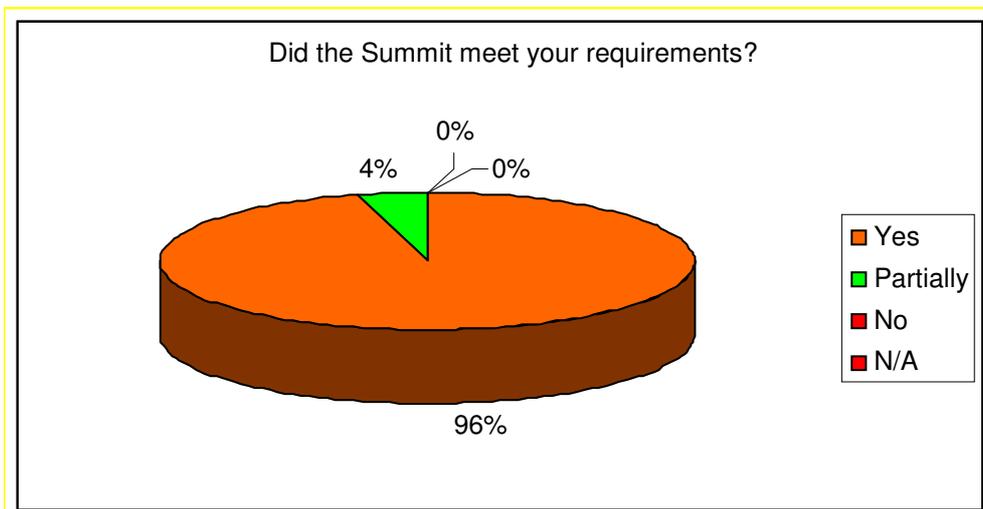


Table 1.3  
 This shows that 96% of attendees had their requirements met from the event

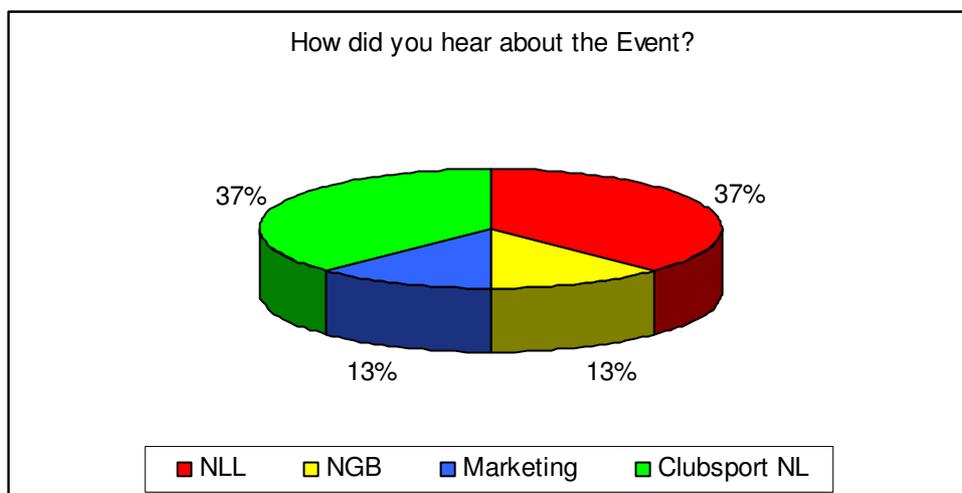


Table 1.4  
 This shows the breakdown of where the participant heard about the event

## 7.0 Feedback

A variety of feedback was received from participants through talking to them, email and evaluation forms. Below is the content of an email from Scott Shaw from Scottish Budokan Association followed by other selected feedback from the day.

“Hi, I've just spoken to all my instructors who attended the summit on Saturday and everyone felt it was a well organised and informative day. Some courses were a good refresher for us and some were introducing new ideas and ways of thinking. All very worthwhile and we thank you very much for allowing us to attend.

Thank you

Scott Shaw  
Scottish Budokan Association.”

“Very Good Course and turn out for event”

“Well organised, would have done more courses if had time”

“Sound proofing of rooms could have been better”

“Great transitions between Workshops, Excellent content, very Informative and Thank You”

“Temperature of some areas was too cold”

## 8.0 Recommendations

Recommendations for the event will be discussed at the next clubsportnl meeting

Consideration will be given to the areas in which the courses would be presented should the event take place again.