



OUR INITIATIVES WE AIM TO ACHIEVE IN 2017

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STRATEGIC PILLARS & INITIATIVES	2017 KEY STRATEGIES	2017 PERFORMANCE MEASURES (KPI'S)	RESPONSIBLE (& PARTNERS)		
1. PARTICIPATION - Develop & deliver programs & initiatives to invigorate grassroots paddling & encourage more people to paddle more often across Qld.					
1.1 Provide state wide approach to encourage entry-level participation.	1.1.2 Establish a Technical Committee for recreational paddling to support the development and growth of recreation and casual paddling in Qld.	- Establish Recreation Technical Committee- Terms of Reference- Deliver one recreation event	Lead: Education & Recreation Officer Partners: Technical Committee, Board, Clubs		
1.2 Provide recreation programs and promote participation opportunities for target groups	1.2.2 Partner with clubs to deliver recreation programs for local councils which focus on skills & social interation, & provide opportunities to transition into regular participation/membership.	- Support one club/year to partner with its local council to establish & deilver a recreation program - Identify recreation programs delivered across the state	Lead: Education & Recreation Officer Partners: Clubs, Local Councils		
1.3 Use events to promote and grow paddling and attract/retain members	1.3.1 Develop an event strategy to improve the quality & impact of paddling events across Qld (inc. coordination across multi-disciplines state-wide, opportunities for athlete/coach/official development maximised, clearly defined roles/responsibilities for (QC, TC & Clubs)	 Strategy developed #Events hosted (inc. events hosted in Qld regions) #Partcipants Events attended by QC 	Lead: Events & Operations Partners: Technical Committee, Club, Local Council, External Stakeholders		
	1.3.3 Develop an iconic mass-participation paddling event (i.e. Scouts Jamboree) to raise the profile of paddling across Qld.	- Event hosted- # participants (new partcipants engaged & new members)- Media output/coverage	Lead: Education & Recreation Officer Partners: Technical Committee, Board, Clubs, External Stakeholders		
	1.3.4 Develop calendar of paddling events to form the Qld Race/Event Series (consolidation of existing individual events stages across Qld) to enhance brand, sponsorship opportunities and raise the profile of paddling across Qld.	 - Qld Race/Event Series established 2017-18 - # Events hosted - # Participants - # Media output/coverage - # Sponsors (Commercial) 	Lead: Executive Officer Partners: Board, Technical Committee, Clubs, Local Councils, Sponsors, External Stakeholders		
2. PLACES - Secure sustainable access to waterways and c	lub facilities				
2.1 Continue to provide strategic advice to stakeholders to maintain existing access to waterways & facilities & secure places to meet future demands resulting from increased participation in paddling.	2.1.1 Work with Technical Committees & clubs to moniter access & facility requirements for clubs/disciplines & provide support for strategic access & facility projects (e.g. club facilities, SEQ white water, canoe polo, sprint, state HQ facility).	 Audit of current facilities across Qld (clubs & disciplines) Identify 2 facilities/access points to be improved/developed per year, including regional 	Lead: Events & Operations Partners: Clubs, Committees, Qld Govt, Local Council, PLAQ, QSport, QORF		
3. PEOPLE - Engage, develop & recognise the people making paddling possible & develop leaders to drive the future of paddling					
3.2 Engage & educate instructors, coaches & officials to support recreational & competitive paddling.	3.2.4 Maintain an annual Education Course calendar & work with Technical Committees to promote boardly to stakeholders, including ACAS courses, Coaching & Officiating	 Education Course Calendar # Courses/Attendees - Quarterly Report to Board for ACAS, Coaching & Officiating # Accreditations/Certification in Qld 	Lead: Education & Recreation Officer Partners: AC, Technical Committees, Clubs, Private Service Providers (NTP's, etc.)		
4. PATHWAYS - Promote the paddlings pathway, which encourages participation and enables people to reach their potential					
4.1 Define the paddling participation pathway for various disciplines, multiple entry points & transitions from pathway to high performance	4.1.1 Define the existing competition participation pathway & identify entry-points for talent identification, development & performance pathway from grassroots & elite in Qld	 Consultation with partners & stakeholders Define competition pathway (inc. roles & responsibilites of stakeholders at all levels) Promote & support competition pathway opportunities 	Lead: Executive Officer Partners: AC (HPU/QAS), Technical Committees, Clubs & Schools		
	4.1.2 Define the existing recreation participation pathway building on the existing ACAS framework pathway to reflect participation opportunities from entry-level through to guide/instructor or adventurer.	 Consultation with partners & stakeholders Define recreation pathway (inc. roles & responsibilites of stakeholders at all levels) Promote & support recreation pathway opportunities 	Lead: Education & Recreation Officer Partners: Technical Committees, Clubs & External Stakeholders		

4.2 Deliver high quality events & activities which contribute to the effective development & identification of talented athletes, coaches & officials.	4.2.1 Work with Technical Committees & Clubs to establish consistency in approach to staging events (inc. clear & accessible pathways into state events) to maximise participation & effectively identify talented athletes.	 Review of event hosting carried out across disciplines New policy developed & endorsed by Board # athletes representing Qld annually 	Lead: Events & Operations Partners: AC, Technical Committees, Clubs	
	4.2.2 Consult with Technical Committees/Host Clubs to develop & implement an equitable/incentivised event hosting policy.	- Consultation completed - Policy finalised and endorsed by the Board	Lead: Events & Operations/Executive Officer Partners: Technical Committees & Host Clubs	
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5. GOVERNANCE - Invest in robust governance for QC, com	mittees & clubs to enchance participation opportunities now & into the future			
5.1 Champion quality governance & strategic development for affiliated clubs.	5.1.1 Conduct an assessment of governance across Clubs & identify key areas for QC to support clubs to develop governance & enhance compliance.	Governance & compliance check conductedKey clubs requiring support identified & prioritisedSupport provided to at least 4 clubs per year	Lead: Executive Officer Partners: Qld State Govt, Board, Technical Committees & Clubs	
5.2 Support & improve the governance structure for paddling in Qld.	5.2.1 QC Board undertake to deliver prioritised Sports Governance reforms as identified by the Audit & Risk Committee Review (2016).	 Prioritise & deliver agreed Sports Governance Reforms Report to State Govt on implementation of above reforms 	Lead: Audit & Risk Committee/ Executive Officer Partners: Qld Govt, Board, Committees	
	5.2.4 Develop a Technical Committees Manual that outlines the governance, legal & operational requirements & obligations for QC, Technical Committees & their members	 Develop a Technical Committees Manual (in consultation with Technical Committees) Conduct annual induction training for Committees Review manual annually 	Lead: Executive Officer Partners: Technical Committees	
5.4 Attract, develop & retain quality people in committee roles.	5.4.1 Develop a plan for the attraction, development, retention & succession of quality people in QC Board & Technical Committee roles matched with QC's objectives & strategic goals.	- Plan developed (including provisions to facilitate representatives from Qld regions & target groups).	Lead: QC Board/Executive Officer Partners: Board, Committees, Technical Committees	
5.5 Encourage & support women's participation in leadership.	5.5.1 Develop a strategy to attract women's participation in Boards & Technical Committees (& Club Committees) in governance & decision-making.	- Strategy developed - Key messages compiled & promoted - # female members (Board, Technical Committee, Clubs)	Lead: QC Board/Executive Officer Partners: QC Board, Technical Committees, Clubs	
5.6 Implement best practice human resource management for QC.	5.6.2 Develop individual work plans reflecting job-specific needs & individual employee needs & conduct regular performance reviews.	- Work plans developed annually (with Strategic Plan) - Performance reviews conducted annually	Lead: Executive Officer Partners: QC Board, QC Staff	
6. COMMUNICATIONS - Inform target markets of key activities & build engagement of all stakeholders & broader community.				
6.3 Develop a consolidated communications strategy.	6.3.1 Develop a coordinated content marketing strategy for web & social media to enhance the effectiveness & efficiency of communications by QC to the paddling community.	- Strategy developed - Web & social media statistics tracked	Lead: Events & Operations Partners: Board, Committees, Clubs	
6.6 Understand & respond to the needs of Clubs & individual members.	6.6.1 Develop & maintain a roster for QC Board members engagement with QC affiliated club events/meetings/activities.	 Roster developed & maintained Each QC Board member to attend at least 1 SEQ club event and 1 regional club event (where possible) annually. 	Lead: QC Board/Executive Officer Partners: QC Board, Clubs	
	6.6.3 Develop an annual schedule of key communications for clubs, including processess to ensure two-way communication is achieved.	Communication schedule developedClub contributionsClub meeting schedule	Lead: Events & Operations Partners: Board, Committees, Clubs (Presidents, Secretaries & Members)	
7. PARTNERSHIPS - Build partnerships & create a shared se	ense of purpose to deliver strategic objectives.			
7.2 Ensure QC involvement in peak state/national bodies relevent to paddling & strategic priorities.	7.2.2 Identify further opportunities for cooperation & partnerships in key areas aligned with QC strategic plan which assists in achieving outcomes for paddling in Qld.	- QC represented on boards of state peak industry bodies - Involvement on boards/committees/working groups with aligned priorities (e.g. AC, state govt, local councils, waterways managers, other not-for-profits)	Lead: Education & Recreation Officer / Executive Officer / QC Board Partners: AC, Board, Technical Committees, QSport, QORF, local councils, waterways managers, PSP's	