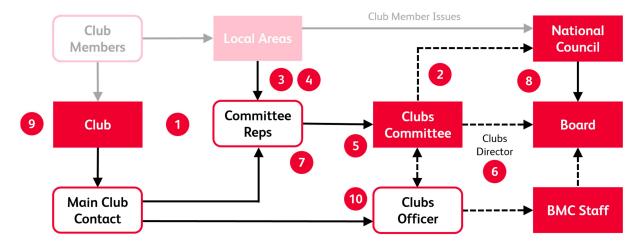


Appendix I - Representation Problem Areas

Problem areas with current representation structure as observed by working group members:



- 1. Clubs have no direct influence over who represents them throughout the governance structure.
- 2. Clubs' Committee has worked to plug the gap for influencing strategy and policy but without a vote on NC this has limited impact.
- 3. Only National clubs directly vote on their clubs committee representatives.
- 4. Local areas appoint their club reps often without a strong club influence on who that person is.
- 5. The variety of clubs who are affiliated are not necessarily all represented on Clubs' Committee.
- 6. BoD provides some engagement in the selection of the Nominated Director for clubs -however the level of transparency and process was subject to concern.
- 7. Tension between the needs and representation (in terms of structure and number of BMC volunteers) of local and national clubs.
- 8. BoD and NC rarely requests information from Clubs' Committee in policy or strategic decision making.
- 9. Neither Clubs' Committee nor BoD have addressed the range of new types of clubs active in a technological age.
- 10. Role description and activities of the clubs officer is set internally and limited engagement with the needs of clubs is undertaken.