

CONTEST MARKER

A Contest Marker is appointed by the Association Committee at the first opportunity after each Annual meeting.

The Contest Marker must work in cooperation with the Association Chief Judge and the Secretary of the Day.

It is desirable that the Contest Marker is available throughout the competition/championship to 'redo' any measurements, boundary lines etc if necessary.

The Contest Marker should check with the Ground/Stadium Custodian and be assured that there will be no "impediments" such as goal posts, cricket wickets, poles etc that will impede the laying out of the full Contest area as detailed in the Policies & Operations Manual (Technical) Section 1. As well as having given an assurance that the Contest area (if outdoor) will have the grass cut short and will be free of any unguarded areas, recently laid drainage with minimal grass etc.

The Contest Marker will meet with the Secretary of the Day, Association Chief Judge and Association Coaching Co-Ordinator at the Competition/Championship venue to establish the position of the front boundary line and circle.

The complete Contest area will be marked out, after the front boundary line position has been established, ready for checking by the Association Coaching Co-ordinator and Secretary of the Day.

The Chief Contest Marker to note (if held outdoors) if grass is too long for discs to be clearly seen by the Leader on stepping out from the previous disc, then an area of approximately 1 metre in diameter around each disc must be mown further. The Association Coaching Co-ordinator will advise if the discs are to be circled with whiting. Paint of the appropriate Grade's colour is to be put on the ground in the centre (underneath) of each disc position, or if an Indoor Stadium is being used for the entire contest then some other suitable colour coded identification e.g. stickers.

Judges Seating positions and location of Coaches Seating outlined in the Policy & Operations Manual (Technical) Section 1, is to be marked with a small spot for easy replacement each day.

Judges Seating and Coach seating, boundary lines and field discs to be in position prior to the commencement of the days marching and in time for the Secretary of the Day to check the general layout and presentation of Contest area.