

Cross Country Committee

The Cross Country Committee has met once since the last SAMSC meeting. There is little to report from the meeting by way of regulation changes. Following some previous concerns raised about Competitive Safari events running at Safari Plus speeds but without the requisite safety cover a number of unannounced visits have been made by MSA Stewards, without finding evidence of issues. Rumours continue to circulate. This does not affect Scotland where our Safari event already run at the higher level of safety cover.

There have been delays in issuing the tender for the British Cross Country Championship, which following on from the championship's cancellation this year is having a depressive impact on entries at a variety of events. The Committee has encouraged the MSA to move this matter forward although to date with little effect. In the meantime there are developing plans for a National Cross Country Championship, including a series of National A Competitive Safaris, including a round in Scotland (run by the Scottish clubs).

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