



FIB Athletes Committee (AC) Meeting

**11th of December 2025
Online**

MINUTES

1. Opening of the Meeting

Rebecca Draper welcomes everybody to the AC meeting.

2. Roll Call

AC members present:

Rebecca Draper, USA	Chair
Gian Luca Beeler, SUI	Vice Chair
Jordan Braam, NED	AC Member
Judith Waller, GBR	AC Member

Apologies:

Sanna Gustafsson, SWE	AC Member
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Four (4) AC members present, the quorum of three (3) was formed

Protocol by Gian Luca Beeler

3. Development Camp in Uppsala in 2025

After the last Development Camp in 2023 the next FIB Development Camp was held in Uppsala, Sweden, from 28-30 November.

The AC appreciates all the work and effort very much that has been put into that camp to support players and coaches. It is a very good opportunity for countries that don't have such a big Bandy history to improve, learn and to build a network in our beloved sport.

We appreciated the experts who explained their daily work with teams, as well as people who explained how to run a club from the beginning and also games from the Eliteserien with the following analysis were very useful.

We are looking forward to more Development Camps in the future.

4. Survey for WCS 2026

The AC reviewed the 2025 WCS athlete survey questions and updated them for the WCS 2026.

Once again the goal is to make the AC more known for the athletes, as well to learn more about their opinion and thoughts.

The survey will be held online. We will share the results here and with the EC like last year.

5. Suggestions WCS 2026 B-pool

The AC is really looking forward to the B-pool in March. To improve and keep the quality of the experience of the athletes, we will emphasize several points for the organizing committee.

- The ceremonies, medals, MVP awards should be equal between genders.
- Communication beforehand (e.g. the lead time and ending).
- Availability of stationary bikes for warm-up.
- Gym access in the neighbourhood of the arena/hotel.
- Tea and hot drinks during the half-time break, and fruit.
- Individual goal music for each country throughout the tournament.

6. Sports Veritas

Sports Veritas, a Finnish Sports Journalism Platform, will be interviewing several athletes participating in the 2026 WCS. They bring attention to underrepresented international sports. They will publish the article on their website and social media.

7. Further matters

- How do we communicate?
- Survey WCS 2026

official meeting: after the WCS 2026 in Pori

8. Closing of the meeting