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**SEAA Masters and Inter Counties Championships  
Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2024 at Lloyd Park, Croydon**

We deeply regret that it was necessary to cancel the above meeting but this was due for safety reasons. The extremely strong winds were causing the portable toilets to move and blow over very nearly hitting one of the setting up team. Also there were a few branches that had blown down in the wooded area of the course. We were also not able to put up tents and gazebos at all which were required for athlete registration, officials registration etc. as this would have been near impossible in the storm conditions which showed no signs of abating.

This was not an easy decision to arrive at. No one wants to have to cancel an event but the primary concern as always is to the safety of the athletes, officials and spectators. The referee felt that there was no other choice but to cancel. Once the decision had been made to cancel the event, every effort was done to contact teams and officials to advise them the competition would not be taking place.

*"It is hoped that the association may be able to re-schedule the meeting and will be looking at alternative dates".*

**David Harris**

Chair SEAA Endurance Working Group.

9<sup>th</sup> December 2024