



## Membership Representative Non-Executive Director

British Dodgeball is seeking two enthusiastic and forward-thinking non-executive directors to join its Board. We are looking for two individuals who have extensive knowledge of the sport at a wide range of levels. They must have strong critical-thinking and communication skills when representing members by giving balanced points of view to other directors.

British Dodgeball is recognised as the National Governing Body for dodgeball in Great Britain and Northern Ireland (the UK) by the World Dodgeball Federation and the European Dodgeball Federation and a leading governing body of dodgeball worldwide.

We believe we can inspire generations and communities to experience the benefits of playing dodgeball.

This is a voluntary role with all reasonable travel and subsistence expenses fully reimbursed.

Time commitment *Typically 4 board meetings per year.*

Term *3 years (maximum of 3 terms).*

Location *British Dodgeball head office is located in Huddersfield with most meetings held in the North of England.*

British Dodgeball is a leading governing body in the sport of dodgeball worldwide with an ambitious vision for the future. If you would like to be at the forefront of delivering this for British Dodgeball, this is the role for you.





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### Role summary

- To work closely with the Board whilst promoting and directing British Dodgeball to meet its primary objectives, including contributing towards the organisation's vision, values and strategic direction
- To give a range of members points of view on British Dodgeball operations alongside their own opinions which have been garnered from extensive experience within the sport
- To support and act as a trusted advisor to other directors, liaising closely and holding the directors to account for the achievement of agreed plans
- To 'lead from the front' in terms of demonstrating the highest standards of integrity at all times, including embodying the British Dodgeball Code of Conduct
- To communicate with a range of members within the sport in order to inform decision making and feedback to other directors
- To ensure the effectiveness of the Board in securing the long-term success of the organisation and the sport of dodgeball across the U.K. and on the world stage
- To be an ambassador for the sport of dodgeball and to assist senior staff in maintaining relationships with key stakeholders and funders
- Champion the organisation's commitment to increasing diversity amongst participants in the sport and across our volunteer, staff and governance structures





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### Role Competencies

The successful candidates will have a proven track record of effective communication in an organisation with multiple stakeholders. They will demonstrate integrity in all aspects of their involvement with the sport credibility and be confident when communicating a member's point of view to the Board. Prior experience within dodgeball is essential.

#### 1. Commitment to British Dodgeball, its values, goals and ethics

Can form part of a high performing board through values-based action

#### 2. Understanding of the environment

Understanding the contribution dodgeball makes to society and to its own community

Strong interpersonal and negotiation skills, with the ability to develop effective partnerships, gain commitment and influence stakeholders

#### 3. Highly developed communication skills

Ability to listen to a wide range of members' feedback and communicate this to the board alongside their own personal opinion  
Excellent communication skills. Able to adapt communication and messages to a variety of audiences

#### 4. Values-based behaviour

Displaying integrity, objectivity, accountability, openness, honesty and leadership  
Instils trust and confidence and behaves in a fair and ethical manner toward others

#### 5. Strong analytical skills

Ability to analyse and assess information to make effective decisions based upon factors including member feedback, member experience, business operation and financial constraints





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### Additional Information

If you would like to nominate a member please submit a supporting letter to [hello@britishdodgeball.com](mailto:hello@britishdodgeball.com). Shortlisted nominations will be contacted w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019

Closing date for nominations: 5pm, Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019  
Panel interview stage: w/c 29<sup>th</sup> July 2019

For further information contact:  
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Please note we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

We are committed to inclusion and embrace the spirit of equalities legislation. Where possible we will always make reasonable adjustments for accessibility to anyone who requires it.

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