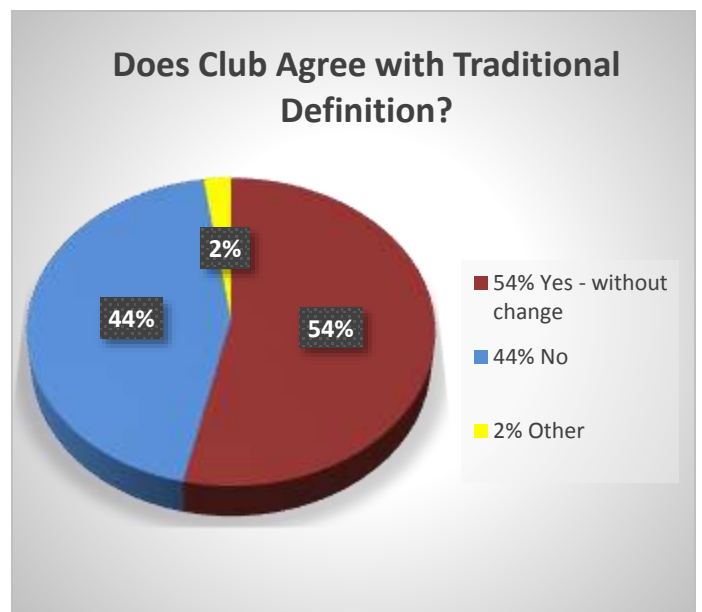
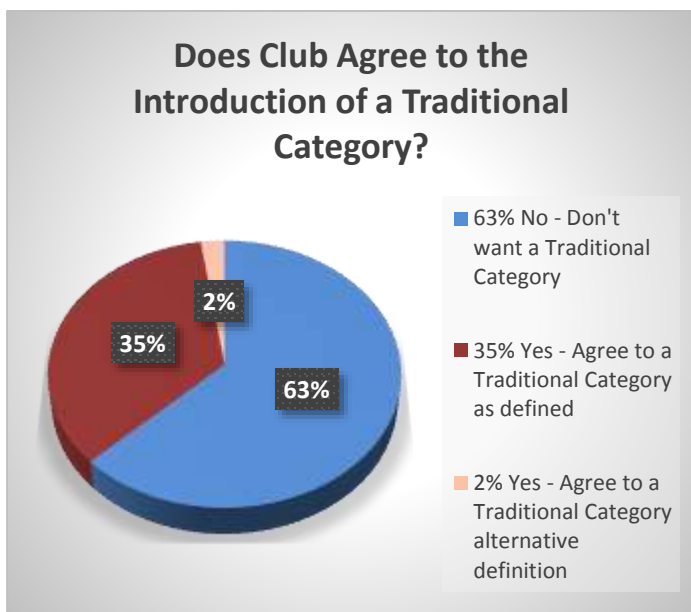
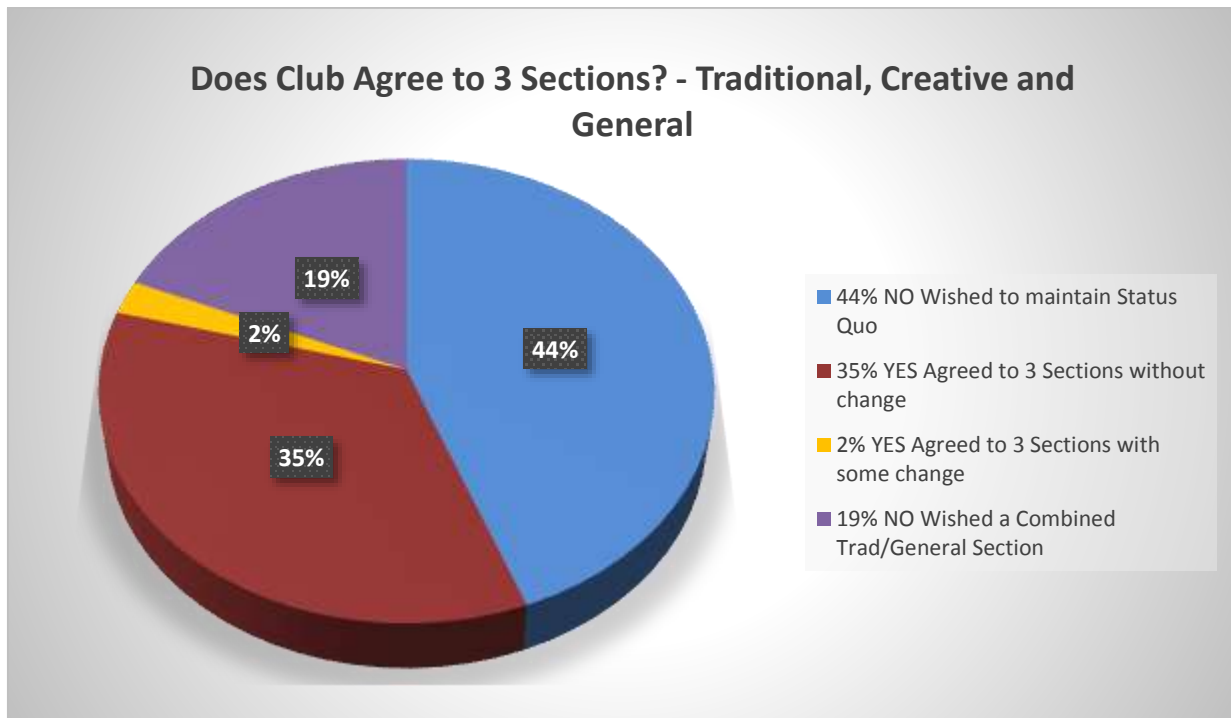
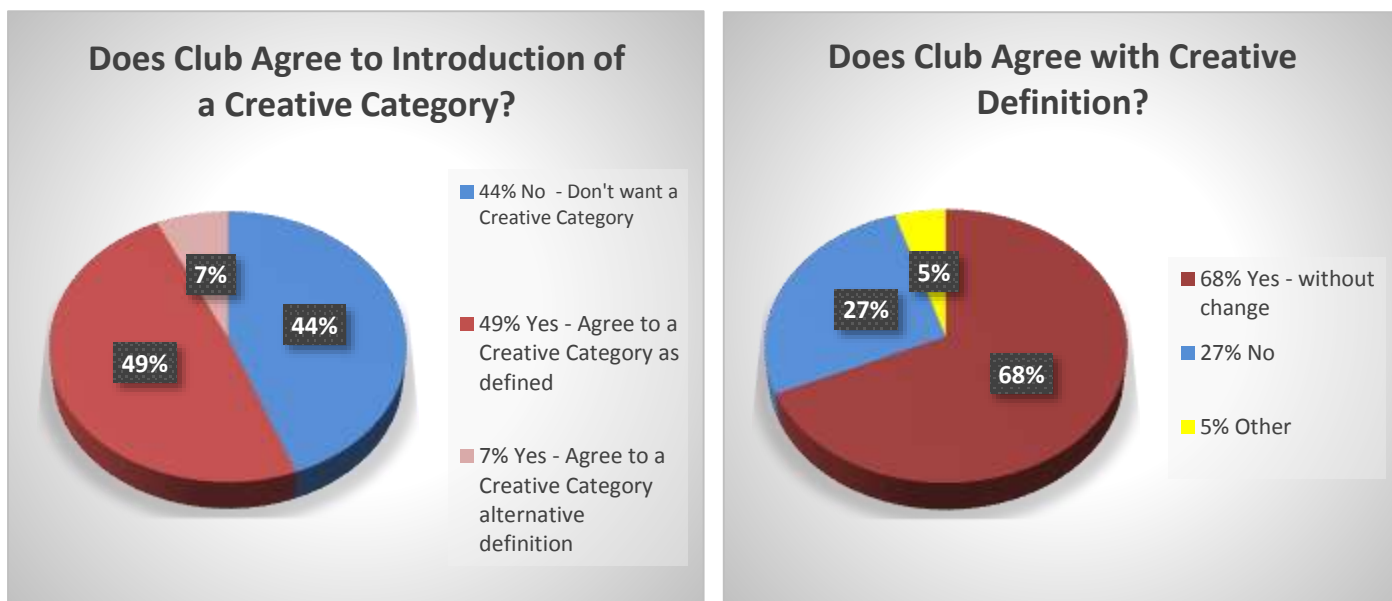


# 1<sup>st</sup> Creative/Traditional Questionnaire Results

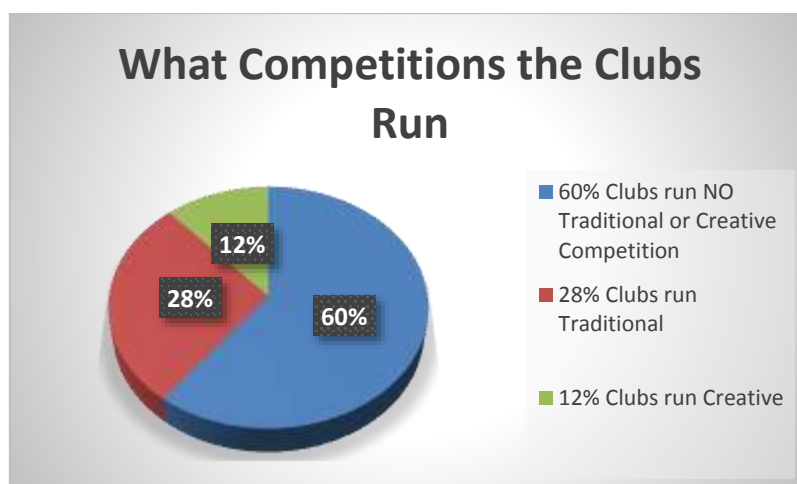
Following last year’s AGM proposals and subsequent discussions on whether or not to introduce separate Creative and Traditional categories in to our SPF Competitions, we sent out a Questionnaire to our then 90 Member Club. 48 Clubs responded to that Questionnaire. This is the collation of the answers received. **43 Clubs fully completed the Questionnaires.** 5 Club responses were incomplete and could not be included in the results statistics below.

## THE 43 CLUBS RESPONDED AS FOLLOWS -





We asked the questions about what our Member Clubs currently run, to find out what experience our Clubs had in running and administering separate Traditional and Creative Competitions. The results are below.



## CONCLUSION

At this time, there appears to be no overwhelming agreement for or against the introduction of separate sections in our SPF Competitions, with almost 50% for and 50% against. We therefore require to look at alternative options before proposing any alterations to our current competition structure. The definitions used by us for 'Creative' and 'Traditional' were those already in existence, and are currently used widely in Internationals for categories/awards named respectively. We chose those to avoid as much confusion as possible, with members and Clubs who enter both SPF and International events (inc. Scottish Salon), and also because these definitions also have a solid track record.

Various suggestions were made under the comments section of the Questionnaire, from many of the Clubs who responded, and we will consider those before enlisting further comments from all of our member clubs. Considerable interest was also shown in a possible change to the format of the current PDI Championship, this will also be considered.