

RETIREMENT OF PRESIDENT

I would like to say thank you to Ron Gibbs, who retired as President of FARS last month, and wish him all the best in his "retirement"

Although a controversial figure, he has done a great deal for us since being President, and worked 24 hours a day on artistic roller skating.

We have seen many changes, we have seen that the Federation has managed to save money and were actually able to give some money to the World Team this year due to his good attention to the expenses of us all, particularly when attending Competitions.

As his Technical Officer, he and I did not always agree, but that is life and we had to each accept opinions of other people and compromise sometimes.

I am sure many of you will join with me in thanking him, and also wish the new President, Stephen Prudence, and his newly formed Board, the very best of luck.

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