

WPA Treasurer's Proposal to Distribute \$1000.00 to each Club

At the WPA Meeting of 8th December 2018 the treasurer gave notice that he intends to move a remit at the AGM that the \$10,000.00 term deposit not roll over in 2019. The \$10,000.00 would be split and \$1,000.00 be given to each club. Given that there are 11 clubs in the WPA one would assume that a further \$1,000.00 of WPA Funds would be placed into the "pot".

This is grossly unfair (as the table below shows) and is unnecessary as these funds should be used to publicise and promote the sport in the WPA region.

Club Affiliation Membership Numbers for the 2018/2019 Season

Club	Affiliated Members as at October 2018	Amount per head each club would receive	Affiliation Fees Paid
Khandallah	7	\$142.85	\$14.00
Silverstream	17	\$58.82	\$34.00
Hataitai	19	\$52.63	\$38.00
Masterton	24	\$41.66	\$48.00
Naenae	26	\$38.46	\$52.00
Otaki	27	\$37.03	\$54.00
Horowhenua	40	\$25.00	\$80.00
Manawatu	41	\$24.39	\$82.00
Wanganui East	43	\$23.25	\$86.00
Upper Hutt	70	\$14.20	\$140.00
Kapiti	72	\$13.88	\$144.00

Total affiliation fess paid with these numbers is \$770.00. The treasurer's report as at 30/11/2018 shows affiliations fees paid amounting to \$754.00 for the current year.

Tournament entry fees as at 30/11/2018 were \$2,640.00.

So, the bulk of income for the WPA is from players actively participating in WPA tournaments.

Club	Number of players from each club participating in WPA Tournaments in 2018					Total
	Triples	Singles	Doubles	Senior Doubles	Open Triples	
Khandallah	1	0	2	0	2	5
Silverstream	1	1	0	2	0	4
Hataitai	3	2	2	0	1	8
Masterton	1	1	3	7	3	15
Naenae	1	1	0	2	0	4
Otaki	4	2	3	6	11	26
Horowhenua	1	2	9	11	9	32
Manawatu	11	5	11	8	13	48
Wanganui East	10	7	12	2	11	42
Upper Hutt	1	2	3	4	8	18
Kapiti	10	7	5	6	8	36

The WPA funds should be used to promote the sport regionally. It should not be handed back to clubs to do their own publicity as it is better to do a regional campaign.

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