Officials Committee Liaison Report

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Key Statistics

The officials work 99 meets in a year. Large volume of meets are in Zone 3,4,5 with limited number of officials available

220 Active officials; BC has the greatest # of 50+ Officials in Canada

Expenditures

From the Officials Committee Annual Report:

"As expenditures have historically been close to the BC Athletics budget, we have not used the full donation amounts and built up a balance in the Donations (Deferred Revenue) Account. The current balance in our Donation Account is \$17,982.09. As donations decline (as shown above) while expenditures remain roughly the same, the balance in our Donation (Deferred Revenue) is steadily declining. The Officials Committee is drafting a plan for the use of the account balance to cover strategic initiatives, additional recruitment and development expenditures to replace our aging pool of officials, and contingency."

LIAISON'S PERSPECTIVE:

- Officials have mentioned that they are getting more individual donations but less donations to the Committee
- Officials work tirelessly throughout the year to ensure that meets are run proficiently
- Therefore, if meets organizers were to provide a small donation to the Officials Committee (~\$50 - 100) from the budget that they use to provide individual donations to Officials, the Officials could receive ~\$5000-10000 in donations a year

Notes

A special thank you to our Athlete Representative John Gay for an exceptional presentation at the Officials AGM as a guest speaker!

John spoke about his experience with officiating at the international level and how it compares to the national, provincial and even local level.