



FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

NELSON BAY TOUCH ASSOCIATION
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1. INTRODUCTION

The Nelson Bay Touch Association (NBTA) Mission Statement is:

“To service and develop the sport of Touch for the enjoyment of all participants”

2. PURPOSE OF OUR POLICY

The main objective of our Financial Assistance Policy is support members to reach their full potential in the game of Touch and to continuously improve by being exposed to the higher levels of touch and broader community of touch. This policy outlines our commitment to a person's right to be treated with respect and dignity and be supported.

3. WHO OUR POLICY APPLIES TO

NBTA Financial Policy applies to all current registered members in the club including committee members, administrators, coaches, officials (referees/selectors) and players.

4. EXTENT OF OUR POLICY

To support individual who may be prevented from pursuing their sporting dreams/goals due to the ongoing and significant costs associated with participating in National or International tournaments. Members seeking financial assistance if approved are required to give back to the club. This can be in the form of becoming an official, Committee Member, mentoring, assisting in club events.

5. CLUB RESPONSIBILITIES

The NBTA Committee will:

Make any necessary amendments to our Constitution, rules or other policies to enable this policy to be enforceable:

- Implement and comply with our policy;
- Promote our policy to everyone involved in our club
- Ensure equitability across all applications for assistance.
- Review policy annually to ensure financial assistance package is relevant to current costs
- Pay nominated amount approved
- Each application will be considered on merit, consideration will include applicants volunteer work within the club, assistance to the growth and development of the club outside the realms of being a player. Final Decision will be made by Executive Committee.



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6. INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- Apply for financial assistance using NBTA Application form.
- If approved for assistance give back to the club in some capacity as nominated on their application form. Failure to complete assistance as nominated on the form will result in member having to repay monies to the club totalling amount of financial assistance received.
- Represent the club with upmost integrity and in accordance with code of conduct NBTA, NSWTA and TFA.

7. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Selection in a NSW Team, applicants will be reviewed in accordance with this policy and if approved will be granted \$250 in the first instance and \$200 subsequent years to a maximum of 4 consecutive years.

Selection in an Australian Team, applicants will be reviewed in accordance with this policy and if approved will be granted \$500 in the first instance and \$300 subsequent years to a maximum of 4 consecutive years.

Australian selection partaking in an overseas tournament \$1000 in the first instance and \$500 subsequent years to a maximum of 4 consecutive years.

Referees and other officials will be assessed on each application in line with the policy and if approved will be granted the following amounts:

Selection in a NSW representation at a National Tournament \$250 in first instance and \$200 in subsequent years.

Selection in an Australian Team representation at a National Tournament \$500 in the first instance and \$300 in subsequent years to a maximum of 4 years.

Australian Selection partaking in an overseas tournament \$1000 in the first instance and \$500 subsequent years to a maximum of 4 consecutive years.