

MEMORANDUM

TO: BCSS MEMBER SCHOOL PRINCIPALS & ATHLETIC DIRECTORS
FROM: JORDAN ABNEY, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: 2024 - 2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES
DATE: JUNE 25, 2024
CC: SUPERINTENDENTS; BCSS LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

2024 - 2025 Member Dues:

The BCSS Board of Directors met on June 20th to approve the 2024 - 2025 budget and member dues. In the 2023-2024 year, BCSS was able to absorb inflationary pressures without an increase to membership fees. While inflationary pressures are easing, they are still meaningful and the Board felt a small increase of approximately 3.3% (inline with current inflation) to the 2024 – 25 fee was necessary to support the organization’s operating budget. The Board is aware that government funding and other monetary sources aren’t necessarily increased or indexed with inflation, and the BCSS Board is sensitive to the pressures on schools to allocate funds for the various needs and priorities, both for curriculum delivery and other programs, clubs, and teams that enhance the educational experience. The 2024-2025 dues will be as follows:

Category	Enrollment	Senior	Mid/Jr	Online	Alt
1	1-75	\$535	\$310	\$310	\$220
2	76-165	\$725	\$360	\$360	\$275
3	166-299	\$980	\$420	\$420	\$335
4	300-475	\$1395	\$500	\$500	\$390
5	476-675	\$1900	\$560	\$560	\$440
6	676-950	\$2460	\$670	\$670	\$495
7	951-1350	\$2935	\$750	\$750	\$555
8	1351+	\$3270	\$800	\$800	\$610

There will be no legal levy charged in 24-25, as we have been able to maintain the BCSS Legal Fund, without drawing it down. The Static Site Travel Fee will remain unchanged at 24% and 10% for member schools in the 4 Lower Mainland zones and those outside those areas, respectively. The feedback from those schools and areas receiving the funds was extremely well received and as projected, the funding subsidized roughly 10-15% of most teams total travel costs. The Static Site Travel Fee is NOT reflected in the above chart. As was the case in 2023-2024, every penny collected for the travel subsidy is paid out directly to member schools. This year over \$117,000 was distributed, even before BCSS completing applications for Sport on the Move funding on behalf of all schools attending a BCSS championship. Middle, Junior, Online and Alternate school will not be charged for the static site travel fee.



As is standard procedure, we will send the membership opt-in information to Principals of record in the 2nd half of August. It is important that if the Principal at your school is changing, please let us know immediately so we can update our records.

Invoices for the 2024-2025 Membership Dues will be sent after the opt-in is completed by the school administrator. Athletic Directors will not have access to STARS until this the opt-in is complete.

As always, our office is here to serve our member schools. Should you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to us.