

# Levies Factsheet

This document has been put together to support you with understanding the levy system

## Frequently Asked Questions:

### 1. How much are the levies?

The current levies are set at a rate of \$300 per school plus \$2 per student (roll 9-13) as at March roll returns in any given year. This levy was established a number of years ago and has not been updated for quite some time. The levies are set by the BOP Principals Management Group and invoicing is sent out in July/August of each year by the Sport BOP Accounts Manager.

### 2. What are the levies for?

- Sport BOP provides 1.5 FTE staff to attend to Secondary School Sport in the Bay of Plenty. 1.0 FTE is allocated for events, and 0.5 FTE for secondary school support. These roles are partially funded by Sport NZ (Regional Sports Director-RSD contract), Sport BOP and the school levies and collectively make up the RSD role.
- The levies provide your school with access to the BOP Secondary School Events and the BOP sport coordinator network. They also give our RSDs the mandate to channel resources from the Sport BOP and NZSSSC network towards your school.

### 3. What do the RSDs do exactly?

- The role of the Regional Sports Director (1.5FTE) is to manage the BOP Secondary School events calendar and to support schools with maximising the potential of sport for students. Managing the event calendar involves running sport coordinator meetings, and ensuring that sports codes and event deliverers run sport in ways that meet the terms of schools. The school support aspect can span a whole range of potential projects and initiatives. A key focus in terms 1 and 2 is to collate and deliver reports to all schools using NZSSSC Census reports. This information provides key details about student sport involvement and teacher involvement (as coaches managers and/or officials) to assist schools with making more decisions in favour of sport.

### 4. Who should we contact if we have any questions?

Your first port of call should be the Sport Manager

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