

Association Communications week 20

21 May 2021

Kia ora koutou katoa,

We're gearing up for IPC which is only a matter of weeks away. It's going to be a weekend full of great volleyball and other activities.

AGM/Forum

The AGM/Forum will be held over the weekend of 30th and 31st of October 2021 at the Botanical Gardens in Auckland in the Logan Campbell Building.

There will be no cost for the Board Chair and one other representative to attend. We would like to start arranging transport and accommodation for those associations not in the surrounding area of Auckland.

Please confirm your attendance by filling in the following form: [AGM 2021 General Registration](#)

Please complete this form **by Friday 11th of June EoB**.

IPC

A reminder that it is important that you add your team list to Friendly Manager. Please start doing this as soon as possible if you have not already done so.

The draws will be available by the end of next week (Friday 28th of May).

Regional Association Connect, Celebration, Challenge and Collaborate

Another meeting was held on the 18th of May. As a group it was decided that sharing of resources to be collated on an accessible platform would be beneficial. These will be requested in monthly themes for collation. May/June will look at Health and Safety plans, if you have a resource that you feel other associations may benefit from send through to Katie to collate np@volleyballnz.org.nz. Follow this [link to the recording](#).

Shared Services

VNZ recognises that it can be challenging for our RAs in the day-to-day administration to grow volleyball in your growing communities. VNZ would like to look at how we can collectively come together to lighten the load. We would like to hear from you around areas that could support your to be more impactful in your mahi.

Please send through your suggestions on how this could look to Katie by **EoB** Friday 28th May.

Pasifika Advisory Group

VNZ is happy to announce the following representative who will support and shape the way in which we provide Volleyball to our Pasifika Communities Across the country.

Wellington Regional Volleyball

- Tessa Siolo-Thompson
- Sam Leota

Southland Volleyball

- Tauea Teweti
- Opini Toomalatai

Otago Volleyball

- Lloyd Maole

Manawatu Regional Volleyball

- Pisa Faleolupe
- Ilo Sione

Bay of Plenty Volleyball

- Allen Satiu

- Tony Taie
- Northland Volleyball*
- Natalie Stolz
- Waitakere East Central Auckland Volleyball*
- Pi'ilua Fono
 - Lilian Tauafiafi
- Canterbury Volleyball*
- Mike Vailuu
 - Joanna Lealiifano
- Manukau Auckland Volleyball*
- Tui Tuilaepa

Live scoring and statistics tools

In partnership with Genius Sports, we will be implementing the use of DataVolley tools such as the E-Scoresheet (electronic scoresheet), and Data Volley Media (statistics tool) in our upcoming tournaments.

VNZ would like to invite all those interested, preferably with a volleyball (player/coach) background, to participate in trainings and workshops that will take place. Although this is open to everyone interested in learning how to use these tools, this is aimed at people who will invest their time to come to VNZ tournaments and take statistics for games.

With the DataVolley software, we will be able to share statistics of each player per game like the number of points made per skill, attack percentage, errors, and so much more.

Let us know if you can recommend people interested in learning this.