

Proposal 1

Increase to member club subscriptions

Proposer: LMC

Explanation

The Committee proposes an increase in the subscription levels from £30 to £42 for six-board teams and from £20 to £28 for four-board teams. The rationale for this proposal is:

- Over the last 20 years the subscription has only increased once. In real terms the value of the subscription has not kept pace with cost increases.
- As a result the subscriptions raised have made it harder for the League to cover costs such as for trophies, venue hire, stipends for junior tournaments, support to Congress, equipment purchases etc
- The increase will allow the League to maintain an adequate financial position and potentially allow for expenditure on specific items that will be to the benefit of chess and chess players in the area.

Proposal

Modify rules 1.2b

1 MEMBERSHIP

1.2 Member clubs

1.2b

The subscription to the League for a Member Club for the year from September to the following August shall be £30 per team (for teams in divisions 1, 2 and 3) or £20 per team (for teams in all other divisions) entered in the Team Championship.

As follows :-

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1.2d

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