

Inline Hockey New Zealand

New Board Member Position Outline

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| Closing Date: | 5 April 2017 |
| Applications To: | boardapplications@inlinehockeynz.org.nz |
| Appointments Announced: | 24 April 2017 |

New Zealand Inline Hockey (IHNZ) is recognized as the governing body for the sport of Inline Hockey within New Zealand.

IHNZ in 2012-13 had an independent governance review, which has recommended a move to a more formal structure of a board rather than a committee. The intention is to attract the best skilled people available.

The current implemented structure for the Board is 8 persons, with a minimum of 2 independents. The intention is to continue with this structure.

The IHNZ Appointments Panel seek applications for board vacancies.

Board Meetings

- Ideally the Board aims to meet in person 5 times per year along with additional communication by telephone or electronic conferencing as required.

Board Expectations

Greater level of strategic work to be covered by, the Board: **'To Build the Game'**.

- Board need to be leaders individually and collectively
- Values need to be created and adhered to
- Members need to be respected internally and externally
- Fiduciary duty to be able to place the sport's needs ahead of club and individual desires
- Abide by Board protocols and collective decisions [responsibility]
- Maintain confidentiality
- Lead Portfolios [for example] including
- The ability to 'Dream'. All boards need to collectively look beyond the current discussing new ways and opportunities but remembering the game is for the players and not for the administrators, officials or parents – 'Playing the Puck'.
- Due to the small size of the 'volunteer' sport the Board will need to carry out a combination of strategic/operational tasks with an aim to move the board to greater emphasis on governance and strategy.
- Time expectation is approximately 10 hours per month

Strategic Plan

- The Strategic Plan as presented to the AGM 2014.

Key tasks

- Implementation of the strategic initiatives
- To ensure an effective, well structured, cohesive sport for New Zealanders

Candidates should include CV and a cover letter highlighting the skills and what you believe you can achieve for the sport of inline hockey in the future.