## Western Region Annual General Meeting - April 14th

## Membership Services

There are 2574 players in Western Region, this is down 65 from last year and the lowest we have had in 10 years. Total number of members in Western Region is 3359.

Releases

- Within region - 85
- Out of region-1
- Into region-2
- Total-88

Double Contracts - 16
Overage Players - 52
Number of Associations - 23
Numbers of TRF's - 179

Tribunals - We had 0 and that is fantastic!
Volunteer Nominations - We received 3 nominations this year.

## Closest / Current

Home Association - Where the player lives
Current Association - The association where the player played in 2015-16 Season
If the player's home association has a team then they must try out and play at home if offered a spot. If the home association does not have a team then the player must go to the current association (where the player played in 2015-16 season). If neither of these associations has a team or the player is not offered a spot then they start with closest from the home association.

If a player did not play out of association in the 2015-16 season then the player will automatically follow the closest association matrix. You can find this on the WR website.

## Tryouts

Players that are attending tryouts in other associations besides their home require a Permission to skate form signed for each association and level. It must have all the information at the top filled in, Name, birthdate, Phone number, Home association, Association trying out for, ORA number and the age and level. The Parent / player signature and the president's signature must be complete. The coach should not accept a release and allow the player on the ice without this all complete. Once offered a spot and accepted the bottom half of the form needs to be completed with all signatures and handed into me before a player can step on the ice with the team. Presidents please ensure you are monitoring this and ensuring your players and families know the rules.

