

## THE MNC UMPIRE SYSTEM

### PURPOSE

- To ensure that all games have qualified umpires and that the umpires are acknowledged for their time.
- That all teams, College age and above, provide 2 named team umpires to be part of the Umpire pool.

### UMPIRE FEE TO BE PAID BY TEAMS

All teams, Intermediate age, College age, and Adult, must pay set amount each week of the Competition and Championship Rounds. (Opening /Grading Days and Semi -final and Final games are not included as Umpires will not be paid to do these games)

Adult: \$20 per game/per week

College: \$15.00 per game/per week

Intermediate: \$10.00 per game/ per week.

*NB: Teams will be advised at time of registration as per the total amount required for the season.*

The Umpire fee, total amount for season, must be paid in cash to an assigned representative of MNC on Opening Day of the Senior Netball season.

### TIER SYSTEM: Umpires will receive \$\$ based upon the Current Qualification level

Where an Umpire fits within the Tier will be at the discretion of the Umpire Panel.

#### **Tier 1:**

**Local Theory (within 4yrs):** \$10.00

**Centre Practical (held for a minimum of 2 years )** \$10.00

#### **Tier 2:**

**Centre Practical and higher (2+yrs active Umpire experience and participated in the Umpire Development Coaching programme.)** \$15.00

**NB:** 'Current qualification' means that this must meet the NNZ requirements for a qualification to remain current WITH THE EXCEPTION OF Centre Theory to accommodate for the changes in the Rules over the last 4yrs:

- Centre Theory: 4yrs (imposed by MNC)
- Centre Practical: 4yrs
- Zone Theory: 6yrs plus Centre Practical endorsement if applicable
- Zone Practical: 4yrs
- NZT: 6 yrs
- NZC: 4yrs

*If unsure of the status of a players qualification please contact the MNC Umpire Co-Ordinator*

### PROCESS AND PROCUDRES

1. Teams must pay (cash) the Umpire fee for the whole season (total amount will be advised in the registration pack) by Opening Day.
2. A Book will be provided where the payments will be recorded
3. Senior Teams (college and above) will need to name at least 2 people who will be their allocated Team Umpires and who hold current Qualifications as per Tiers.
4. **Named team umpires must hold a minimum qualification of Centre Theory.** MNC will run Umpire Theory Classes in April to support Team Umpires to achieve the minimum qualification.
5. The Umpire Co-ordinator will name the Team Umpires on the draw each week.
6. Team Umpires will be required to wear a white shirt or the Umpire Bib – **NO Exceptions.**
7. All Team Umpires must be open to receiving Coaching from the Umpire Panel.
8. Umpires will be paid upon return of the score card and must sign to verify receipt of monies.

9. A list of all Umpires and their qualifications will be provided and kept in the Score Box so that the payments can be provided accordingly.
10. Teams will be responsible for their named Team Umpire **THIS INCLUDES** finding a replacement of equal or higher qualifications if the named Team Umpire is not available and advising this to the MNC Umpire Co-ordinator; teams will incur penalties if the named team Umpire does not show up to Umpire, and will be advised of any complaints received.