

HOTRAK Membership Report for 2023-2024

Overall membership numbers peaked at 60 in 2022-2023 and are currently at 54 members. However, we have 14 people in the Probationary Member category, with six of those being active Probationary Members. So, we will probably not see any drop in membership this fall. There are 48 Full Members including six student members. This means that 1 in 9 of our members are under 25 years of age. There are six Associate Members. Of the 14 Probationary Members, four of the active members are students as well. Over the past few years there has been a significant increase in the number of young people joining our Club, which is good news on a number of levels. We have no Junior Members at this time.

George Taylor took over the job of Orientation Coordinator from Robin Allardyce and has had a challenge in dealing with the large number of new people in the orientation program (18 people as of the beginning of May 2024). Please remember to offer to help mentor these people during our operating sessions.

There were some requests for another Club clothing order last fall but there was not enough interest to obtain the price break needed to make it viable. We could try again this coming fall given the number of new people in the Club. The order would probably be for short sleeved polo shirts and vests, as these seem to be the most requested items.

Sergio Pellizzari has continued to maintain our decoder lists and our email group lists. I am also able to update the email group lists. Dilip Chinnakonda has uploaded my membership lists to the website.

Treasurer Kim Zuters has coordinated dues collection with me to ensure that our records align with each other.

Pat Brewer
HOTRAK Membership Coordinator