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How do we pay this fee?

At the 2008 House of Delegates a club fee structure was approved. This change eliminates individual international membership dues which was \$25 per person. The new club fee is a flat rate, per club fee.

Solution #1:

School Senate, Student Government Association, or Student Organization funds

Check into the college or university student organization funding policies. Many student governments or student organization offices will fund a club fee because it is no longer a per member rate, rather a maintenance fee. Request money early and your chances of receiving the funding will increase.

Solution #2

Kiwanis sponsorship

Ask the sponsoring Kiwanis club if it would be willing to split or pay the total cost of the club fee.

Solution #3

Keep the system the same

Even with a new system, the process behind the system can stay the same. Combine the club (if applicable), the district, and the international fees. Divide the total the members of the club anticipates, or the actual number of members. Any surplus made can be put back into the club's service projects and other events.

Numbers

International Fee

Based on school enrollment
< 1000 = \$450 per year
>1000= \$600 per year

District Dues

- Decided by each district

Club Dues

- Decided by each club

Advantages of the club fee system

- As a maintenance fee, schools may be more apt to pay
- Encourages member growth (more people, less money per person)
- Equality of resources to clubs