



TAURANGA CITY BASKETBALL
**19TH ANNUAL REPORT
AND STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS**

YEAR ENDED
31ST DECEMBER
2021

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 2020

NAME	ROLE	SUB COMMITTEES
Chris Longman (elected 2 nd term, May 2021)	(Chairperson)	(Finance, GM review)
Michael Lim (elected 1 st term, Sept 2020)	(Treasurer)	(Finance)
Jeff Olsen (elected 1 st term, Sept 2020)	(Vice Chair)	(Finance)
Campbell Macgregor (elected 2 nd term, May 2021)	(Secretary)	(Finance, Judicial)
Sharon Eyres (elected 3 rd term, May 2021)		(Finance, Judicial)
Celeste Raisbeck (elected 1 st term, May 2021*)		(Finance)

*Celeste previously served on the executive and returned after a break of several years

LIFE MEMBERS

Jenny Kirk, Debra Kuka, Jill Hill, Trish Muir, Judy Castles, Neil Fullerton, Cliff Horne, Glennis Matenga, Basil Marsh (Deceased), Hilda Ross (Deceased), Petra Osborne (Deceased)

STAFF

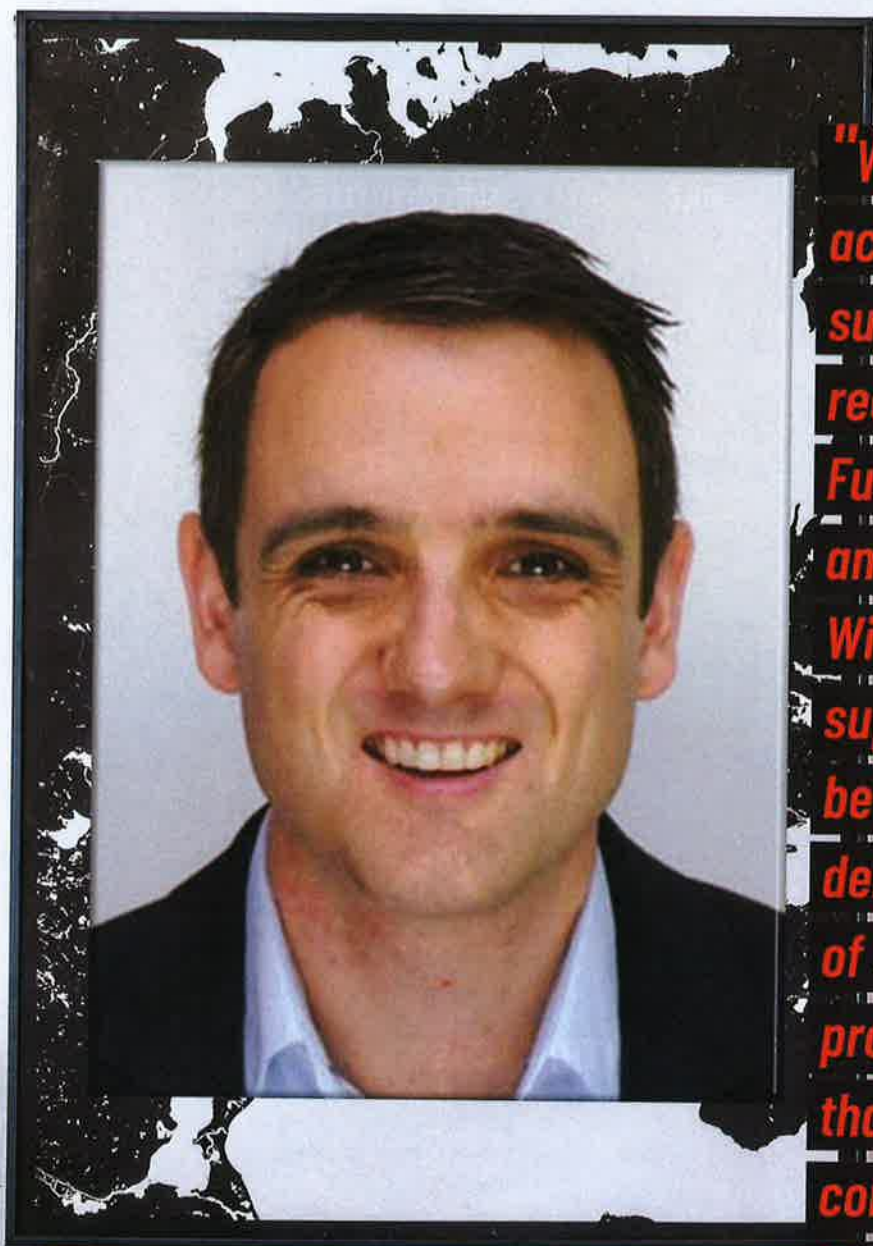
Mark Rogers - General Manager
 Rachel Gwerder - Director of Development
 Igor Cvjetkovic - Development Officer
 Helen Richardson - Support Co-ordinator
 Audri Abbott - EBOP Development Officer (part-time)
 Zane Hamilton - Venue Controller (casual)
 Cliff Horne - Venue Controller (casual)
 Devina Banks - Venue Controller (casual)
 Angelica Tuhou - Venue Controller (casual)
 Sarah Moore - Venue Controller (casual)

CONTRACTORS

Ben Taggart - Development Coach (casual)
 Cairyn Rogers - Development Coach (casual)
 Tom Latus - Development Coach (casual)
 Kaitlyn Morrell - Development Coach (casual)
 James Green - Development Coach (casual)
 Kaatia Watene - Development Coach (casual)
 Trish Begley - Finance and Administration (part-time)

AFFILIATIONS

Member of Basketball Pacific
 Member of Basketball New Zealand



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CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

2021 saw TCBA continue to navigate the challenges of operating in a COVID - 19 environment. As an Executive, we are particularly proud of the way that staff and volunteers continued to pull together to ensure that we delivered as much basketball as possible within our community.

COVID resulted in a number of disruptions, and unfortunately also the cancellation of a number of representative tournaments and events. We were able to continue running a number of events, but without spectators due to Government restrictions. Whilst we are still living through the pandemic, we are looking forward to what will hopefully be a more normal year in 2022 in that regard, and to seeing our players have more opportunities. We thank and acknowledge our basketball community for responding with empathy to these changes, realising that we were all playing our part in keeping our community safe.

With the significant challenges brought about by COVID - 19, it is likely of no real surprise that our financial result for the 2021 was impacted, seeing a \$ 14.1 K deficit for the 2021 year. We anticipated that the year would be a challenging one financially with all of the uncertainty. We will continue to focus on financial resiliency over the coming year.

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TCBA could not function without significant support from our community. To that end, as an Executive, we would like to say a huge thank you to:

- Our loyal and fantastic volunteers that give freely of their time - TCBA could not do what we do without you.
- The dedicated referees of the Tauranga City Basketball Officials Association, who make it possible for us to run leagues and tournaments.
- To our players, and their whanau who support the game and whom we love to see enjoying the game.

Lastly, to the executive who have put in so much behind the scenes to support TCBA and basketball as a whole - thank you so much for giving of your wisdom, knowledge, expertise and time.

Michael Lim is standing down from the committee, and we also farewell Celeste Raisbeck, who kindly came back for a second stint after previously serving on the committee and as Chair. Thank you both for your commitment and support.

We are always searching for ways to improve the financial resiliency of TCBA. Please get in touch if you have any ideas or contacts that may help us in that regard - through sponsorship, new activities, or any other avenues.

Yours in basketball,

Chris Longman
Chairperson

A man with a goatee, wearing a blue polo shirt, is shown from the chest up. The shirt features a white 'SAS' logo on the left chest and a colorful Maori-style crest on the right chest. The background is a blurred indoor basketball court.

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GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

2021 again a most challenging year for Tauranga City Basketball. The uncertainty the Covid Pandemic caused was felt by everyone in the world and TCBA was not immune to this. Our growth over the past decade had seen all resources used to cater for this increase. TCBA had very little in the way of reserves and the pandemic has shown we must be more aware of the need for building a cash reserve to ensure our organisation's sustainability. Numbers in our leagues in 2021 were heavily affected by venue restrictions and our community's concerns around Covid. Our representative and development programmes were also heavily impacted. We have continued to see the impact of the pandemic in 2022, however I believe we are far better placed to manage any further disruptions of this nature.



Venues

The Arena at Baypark is still in my opinion, the best multipurpose facility in New Zealand. Throughout 2021 we utilised this great venue for our local competitions, regional, and national events. The QEYC continues to be utilised heavily, and Memorial Hall in Whakatane is now a hub for basketball in the Eastern Bay. We are continuing to work with Bay Venues Limited and Councils to secure the space we need at venues, to grow our sport. It is of concern that there has been no growth in the number of courts available to us in the past eleven years and currently Tauranga City Council has no plans to increase court numbers until 2029. The expansion of our programmes and the demand from other codes and events for the indoor wooden courts sees our continued need to utilise other facilities, which have included many school gyms.

My thanks to all venues that have made space available for us. The cost of participation in our sport continues to be hugely impacted by venue costs. Basketball is at a disadvantage when compared to other team sports that are able to access Council facilities at a far cheaper level and therefore have a very different cost structure. We continue to work with council representatives to attempt to bring equality to council fee structures and to lobby for more indoor and outdoor basketball facilities. This need for increased facility space covers our entire region.

My thanks to the Bay Venues and Whakatane District Council staff who worked tirelessly to help ensure we could continue to operate under Covid restrictions.

Finance

2021 was another very uncertain year for us all financially. COVID - 19 restrictions and the unknown impact of the pandemic globally made for a very stressful year. Staffing levels had to increase to enable our community to continue to participate in a safe environment. We have continued to invest heavily in the growth and development of our sport and our members. 2021 sees us report a deficit of just over \$14,000.

Covid disruptions saw Tauranga City Basketball refund over \$50,000 to participants. This impacted on our end of year result.

We are hugely reliant on gaming charity funds and must thank the charities who have been extremely generous again in 2020. I would like to thank the Lion Foundation, the TAB and Grassroots Trust for their new funding support in 2021.

I would also like to recognise the support of Sport New Zealand and the New Zealand Government who supported us through Tu Manawa funding. Without the support from these organisations Tauranga City Basketball would not be able to function at the level it does.

Our family of corporate partners were also impacted by the pandemic. We are extremely thankful to those that continue to support us. Tremains and Mark Francis continued as our Miniball league sponsors.

SAS Apparel joined our partners in 2014 and their support has continued to grow throughout 2021. Toi Ohomai continued their support of our programmes again in 2021. We had numerous local businesses support our rep and development programmes with donations of cash and product. This support has helped with fundraising activities for our players and in providing recognition for our numerous volunteers. My thanks to all those who have helped out over 2021. Thanks also to all those families and schools who donated refunds due to them from programmes affected by lockdowns and cancellations.

The pandemic has shown that going forward we need to build a financial reserve to safeguard the organisation and enable us to develop further.



Competitions and Tournaments

Our weekly competitions continue to be the core of our operations. Over 4000 people are involved on a weekly basis in the winter programmes.

Staff adapted to changing requirements throughout the year and changed and modified many of our programmes at short notice to ensure we provided the maximum safe level of basketball to our community all year.

During 2021 our programmes were heavily impacted by the Covid restrictions. Some BBNZ events and local tournaments also had to be cancelled or restructured. These tournaments are vital to help us retain talented players and also provide the opportunity for our elite players to compete in front of a home crowd.

Helen and all our other staff and many volunteers worked tirelessly to provide our local competitions under the restrictions in place. A huge effort was required to ensure we contact traced, kept under maximum venue numbers and completed all the extra cleaning required for our members to be able to play. My thanks to everyone who helped ensure we could provide the opportunity to play in a very uncertain time.



Walking Basketball

TCBA was the first association to introduce walking basketball into New Zealand. This programme has continued to grow over the past couple of years. My thanks to Jill Hill for her efforts in organising our group. It was great to attend the fifth anniversary of our programme commencing. Those involved are truly inspirational and show basketball is a sport for life.

Development

The continued work of our Director of Development and Development staff to cater for player development and our representative programme is helping us along our path of growth and improvement. The improvement we have had to date has increased the demand for quality coaching and playing opportunities. This in turn has created further pressures on staff time. Going forward we need to continue to cater for players wishing to continue to elite levels and resource this important part of our organisation.

Funding support from the Tu Manawa fund allowed us to continue the Girls Got Game programme, which aims to get more girls involved in basketball. Feedback was extremely positive and we hope to continue this programme in 2022.



Representative Programme

"Although 2021 created huge issues, it was another successful year for our representative programme. 26 teams participated in our programme which continues to grow in size and strength."



This result is due to the hard work of the Development staff, Coaches, Managers, players and supporters.

2021 saw six teams compete at BBNZ national events. The cancellation of BBNZ events limited the opportunities for our members to shine at this level. Our Coasters Women's team again had our most successful result, coming fourth in the NBL D league. Our U13 and Under teams missed out on a BBNZ Championship event (cancelled).

Basketball Pacific continued the Men's Representative League in 2021. This enabled us to field a men's representative side again, 2021 saw the team finish third. It is hoped a women's version will be available in 2022.

NBL 3x3

Basketball New Zealand launched a new National 3x3 competition in November 2020. We partnered with Rotorua BA to enter the Bay of Plenty Blaze team. Unfortunately, the competition had to be cancelled in 2021 due to the pandemic.



Referees

Our relationship with the Tauranga City Basketball Officials Association remains very strong. The work they do to train and allocate referees for our programmes often goes unrecognised. Without referees we have no games. Huge thanks to Jules, Jo and the rest of the team that ensure we are well served in this area.

Volunteers

Where would we be without our volunteers? The work done throughout our programmes by volunteers is immeasurable. Roles covered include coaching and managing representative teams, score bench, fundraising, ushering at competitions, cleaning and sanitising and working on our Executive Committee. Special thanks to our Life member Cliff Horne who spent many nights each week helping out to make sure our leagues could run. Our volunteers are too numerous to thank all personally. To all our volunteers a huge thank you for your time and effort.



Staff and Contractors

"We are very lucky to have the calibre of people that are currently working for Tauranga City Basketball."

My thanks for the great work they did for our organisation in 2021. All our staff and contractors go beyond the call of duty to see our organisation succeed. I am very thankful for the extra effort they all put in. A special thank you to the families of our staff as well. They have allowed our staff to do huge hours to help with our programmes. Thank you, Ryan, Zac, Cairyn and Briarley and Eamon for allowing your family to do as much as they do.



Looking Forward

Over a third of the way through this year already, we have, I believe, done exceptionally well as an organisation to adapt and continue to deliver to our community. The Mel Young Easter Classic was able to be run and our 22 teams all did the association proud. Once again this would not have been possible without the great support we get from staff, funders, volunteers and our wider basketball community. I look forward to reporting on the full 2022 year and a return to more normal times.

Handwritten signature of Mark Rogers in cursive.

Mark Rogers
General Manager





TCBA REP TEAM RESULTS 2010 TO 2021

X = did not qualify or attend.

n/a = not offered

Yellow = composite teams with Thames Valley

Dark Blue = Regional events (Northland to Taupo)

Cov = No Event due to Covid

Purple = 3rd Divisional

	2021		2020		2019		2018		2017		2016		2015		2014		2013		2012		2011		2010	
	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Regional / Nat	Prem	Nat	Prem	Nat	Prem	Nat	Prem	Nat	Prem	Nat
Under 13 Girls		Cov	3	Cov	2	3	3	2	1	3	1	5	2	7	4	x	3	7	4	13	5(4)	18	5	x
Under 13 B Girls		Cov	8	Cov	7	12	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 13 Boys		Cov	1	Cov	3	3	2	2	2	3	1	4	3	6	2	13	2	8	6(4)	16	2	13	3	16
Under 13 B Boys		Cov	5	Cov	6	18	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 15 Girls A	3	11	3	10	2	12	3	2	2	4	4	x	3	10	2	19	4	x	5	x	2	10	5	x
Under 15 Girls B	4	17	5	x	8	x	4	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 15 Boys A	4	11	2	6	2	4	1	10	1	7=	3	14	3	17	3	17	4	x	5	x	4	11	4	12
Under 15 Boys B	7	x	5	x	7	x	4	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 17 Girls A	4	8	2	5	2	8	2	16	3	11	3	11	n/a	17	n/a	15	2	7	5(4)	10	2	12	4	15
Under 17 Girls B	x	x	-	-	5	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 17 Boys A	2	8	2	7	2	7	3	19	2	7	3	14	4	x	2	8	2	6	3	9	3	7	3	15
Under 17 Boys B	7	x	6	x	3	15	5	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 19 Girls	n/a	x	n/a	cov	x	x	2	9	n/a	x	x	x	n/a	11	2	9	n/a	x	3	x	2	9	2	6
Under 19 Boys	2	12	n/a	cov	x	x	3	12	5	x	2	x	3	13	3	x	2	x	4	x	3	9	3	10
U23 Women	n/a	cov	n/a	cov	n/a	8	n/a	7	n/a	2	n/a	4	x	x	n/a	6	n/a	7	x	x	x	x	x	x
U23 Men	n/a	x	n/a	cov	n/a	13	n/a	x	n/a	14	n/a	14	x	x	n/a	x	n/a	11	x	x	x	x	x	13
Women	n/a	4	n/a	3 rd	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	8	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	5	1	5	2	x
Men	n/a	3 rd	n/a	6 th	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1 st	3	1 st	x	1 st	3	n/a	n/a	1	2	2	5	1	3

2021 REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

Under 11 Girls A	#	**
Under 11 Girls B	#	**
Under 11 Boys A	#	**
Under 11 Boys B	#	**
Under 11 Gold	#	**
Under 13 Girls A	*	**
Under 13 Girls B	*	**
Under 13 Boys A	*	**
Under 13 Boys B	*	**
Under 13 Boys C	*	**
Under 12 Boys A	*	**
Under 13 Boys Gold	*	**
Under 15 Girls A	3 rd at Mid North Zonal	11 th at BBNZ Nationals
Under 15 Girls B	4 th at Mid North Zonal	17 th at BBNZ Nationals
Under 15 Boys A	4 th at Mid North Zonal	11 th at BBNZ Nationals
Under 15 Boys B	7 th at Mid North Zonal	
Under 14 Boys A	10 th at Mid North Zonal	
Under 15 Boys C	11 th at Mid North Zonal	
Under 15 Boys Gold	14 th at Mid North Zonal	
Under 17 Girls	4 th at Mid North Zonal	8 th at BBNZ Nationals
Under 17 Boys A	2 nd at Mid North Zonal	8 th at BBNZ Nationals
Under 17 Boys B	7 th at Mid North Zonal	
Under 19 Men	2 nd at Mid North Zonal	12 th at BBNZ Nationals
Under 23 Women	no programme offered by BBNZ	
Coasters Women	4 th in NBL D league	
Mariners Men	3 rd in BPML	

Due to a safety first approach the U11 Mid North Zonal Event was not held in 2021

* Due to a safety first approach the final day of the Mid North Zonal U11 and U13 Event was cancelled in 2021

**Due to New Zealand being in alert level 2, and participation numbers exceeding the -100person restriction enforced by the government at the time, Basketball New Zealand cancelled all three Aon Under 13 Regionals.



BBNZ TOURNAMENT TEAM SELECTION

Sophie Rogers - Under 15 Nationals



HIGHER AND NATIONAL HONOURS 2021



Basketball Pacific Koru Tour to Australia did not take place in 2021 due to Covid restrictions.

In lieu of any Junior Tall Blacks events being held in 2021 due to Covid-19, BBNZ ran a National U17 Men's Camp in April 2021.



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2021 WINTER COMPETITION RESULTS

Tauranga Secondary School Leagues

Junior Boys

A Grade

Winner: Mount Maunganui Jnr A

Runner Up: Tauranga Boys Titans

Yr 9 & 10 Grade

Winner: Katikati Junior Tradies

Runner Up: Tauranga Boys Gold

Junior Girls

A Grade

Winner: Tauranga Girls Jnr A

Runner Up: Trident Jnr Girls

Yr 9 & 10

Winner: Waihi Jnr Girls

Runner Up: Papamoa Jnr A

Senior Boys

Premier

Winner: Mount Maunganui Grey

Runner Up: Mount Maunganui Red

A Grade

Winner: Papamoa Snr A Boys

Runner Up: TKK Tane

Yr 11 - 13

Winner: Mount Maunganui College Fittyz

Runner Up: Mount Maunganui Snr Gold

Senior Girls

Premier

Winner: Tauranga Girls College

Runner Up: Mount Maunganui College

A Grade

Winner: Otumoetai Snr A

Runner Up: Mount Maunganui Snr A

Yr 11 - 13

Winner: Tauranga Girls Senior

Runner Up: Bethlehem Senior A

Eastern BOP Secondary School League

Junior Girls

Winner: Trident Snr A

Runner Up: Whakatane

Junior Boys

Winner: Trident Jnr Boys

Runner Up: Trident Jnr Blue

Senior Girls

Winner: Trident Snr A

Runner Up: Opotiki

Senior Boys

Winner: Trident Jnr Girls

Runner Up: TKK Jnr Girls

Tauranga Intermediate Leagues

Boys A Grade	Winner: TIS Mambas	Runner Up: MMI Mavericks
Boys B Grade	Winner: TPI Navy	Runner Up: TKK Whakatipuranga Tama
Boys C Grade	Winner: MMI Lakers	Runner Up: Waihi 7 & 8 Boys Squad 1
Boys D Grade	Winner: TKOM Wheturere	Runner Up: Waldorf Wizards
Girls A Grade	Winner: MMI Storm	Runner Up: TIS Coasters
Girls B Grade	Winner: OIS Girls A	Runner Up: Aquinas Int A
Mixed Grade	Winner: ACG Int 1	Runner Up: Papamoa Mixed Orange

Tauranga Primary Leagues

Years 3 & 4 Miniball A	Winner: St Mary's Timberwolves	Runner Up: Greenpark Lakers
Years 3 & 4 Miniball B	Winner: Te Matai 34	Runner Up: Matua Rebels
Years 3 & 4 Miniball C	Winner: Bellevue Breakers	Runner Up: Te Puna Thunder
Years 3 & 4 Miniball D	Winner: Golden Sands Shooters	Runner Up: BC Breakers
Year 5 & 6 Basketball A	Winner: Greerton Village Slam	Runner Up: Tahatai Breakers
Year 5 & 6 Basketball B	Winner: Omanu Hawks	Runner Up: Mount Primary Dunkers
Year 5 & 6 Basketball C	Winner: Pyes Pa Warriors	Runner Up: Golden Sands Hot Shots
Year 5 & 6 Basketball D	Winner: Welcome Bay Toroa	Runner Up: Tahatai Thunder

Eastern BOP Primary and Intermediate Leagues

Year 3 & 4 Miniball	Winner: St Joseph's Matata	Runner Up: Whakatane SDA
Year 5 & 6 Miniball	Winner: St Joseph's Whakatane	Runner Up: Whakatane SDA
Intermediate	Winner: Te Kura o Te Paroa	Runner Up: Taneatua Kanihi



**OTHER
COMPETITIONS**

Year 3 & 4 World Cup

Winners - Greenpark (Canada)
Runners Up - Omanu (Australia)

Year 5 & 6 World Cup

Winners - Maungatapu (Germany)
Runners Up - Greenpark (China)

No Intermediate World Cup
due to lockdown.

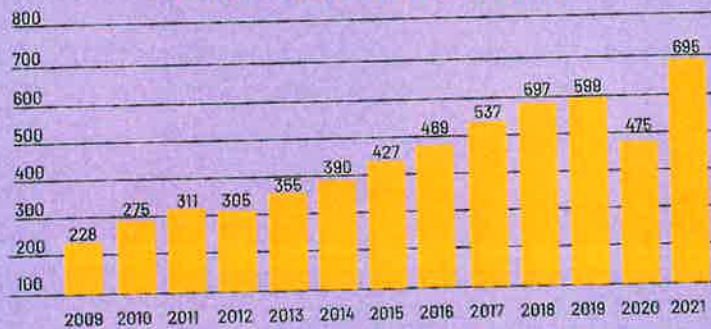
Premier Men League 2

Winners - RSB
Runners Up - 6 Foot

Premier Men League 1

Winners - Tauranga Boys Premier
Runners Up - Stay Frosty

Number of teams in TCBA Programmes 2011 to 2021





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TAURANGA CITY BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION FOR THE
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021