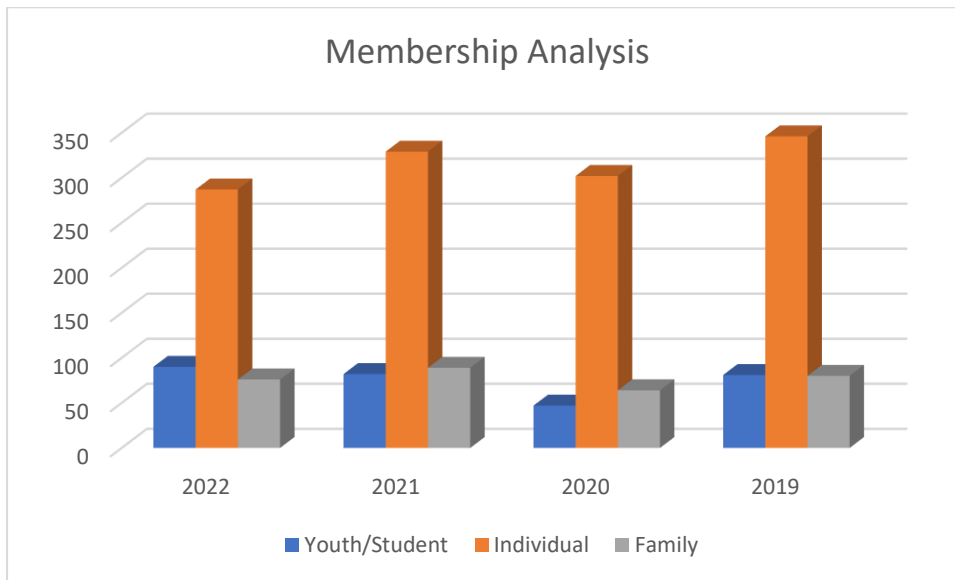


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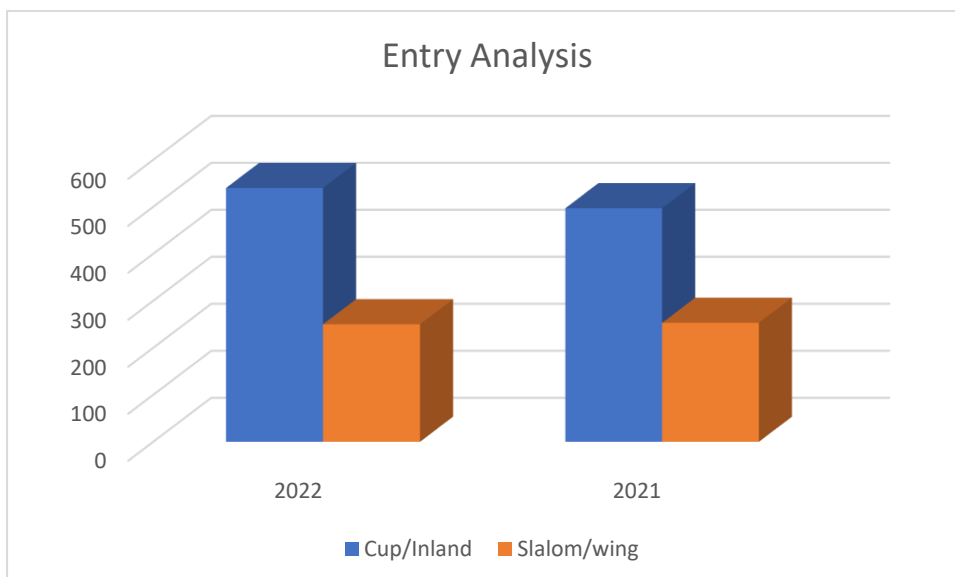
The total number of memberships for 2022 was 494 which was only a 1% reduction from 2021. There has been a shift in the distribution with a drop in both individual and family membership numbers and an increase in Youth/Student memberships. The total income from membership fees after insurance contribution is £20,473 which is a 9% reduction on membership fees collected in 2021.

Fig 1 Analysis of membership 2022



Entry numbers for National Championships /Inlands (NC) and Slalom, which included wingfoil for the first time in 2022, have been very similar to 2021 with an 8% increase shown in 2022 for NC over 2021. Slalom showed a 1% reduction over 2021 entries. For the Slalom entries out of 250 total entries 80 (32%) were wingfoil entries.

Fig 2 Analysis of entries 2022



Most memberships and entries are paid via PayPal and this works well but represents a 3% cost to UKWA which was £2284 for 2022. Standing order membership payments represent only 25% of membership however there remains a significant number of standing orders which are for either an incorrect fee or are from historical members for whom we no longer have any current contact details. It is essential for all those who pay by standing order to check they are paying the correct amount.

Many of the sailing clubs and councils raised their venue charges which led to the need to collect parking/camping payments which are set up to be paid via PayPal online.

We were informed by Bishop Skinner insurers that they would no longer be able to continue to cover our membership and the search began for a new insurer for 2023.