

WOA MEMBERSHIP: STATUS REPORT for 2020

UP TO DATE MEMBERSHIP	ERYRI	MWOC	SBOC	SWOC	PARCOR	RAFO	BAOC	EXPAT		
senior men (INCL HON)	126	18	14	25	43	0	1	1	24	
senior women (INCL HON)	75	7	8	25	22	3	0	1	9	
junior men	33	7	5	8	6	0	0	2	5	
junior women	17	4	1	2	2	0	0	2	6	
	251	36	28	60	73	3	1	6	44	
Number of "H" (incl expat)	4									
Number of "N" (new to WOA, incl expat)	49									
Number of "R" (incl expats)	198									
total no of current members of WOA	251	ERYRI	MWOC	SBOC	SWOC	PARCOR	RAFO	BAOC	EXPAT	SPLIT (extinct)
Number DID NOT RENEW 2020	118	12	25	36	25	0	0	0	14	6
Total No of Ex-Pats from 2019	57									
no R - who have renewed	38									
no N - who are new	4									
no of H - Hon	2									
no who have not renewed who were members last year	14									
Total no Ex-Pats 2020	44									

Hon members: Judith Powell, AIRE; Bill Marlow, MWOC; John Butler, HALO; Peter Seward, SBOC

COMMENTS

2020 was an unusual year.

Events were suspended from end-March with a limited number of very small events during the lull period between the two Corona virus lockdowns. So, from a steady membership of just over 300 (316 for the previous 2 years), membership dropped to 250. The expected renewals/new members that would normally be made as the summer season approached did not materialise.

SPLIT has ceased to be an orienteering club. Hence the 6 members from 2019 did not renew.

With the absence of organised outdoor sports including orienteering events in the first 4.5 months of 2021, we hope that there will be renewed interest once restrictions are lifted and we can advertise widely that we are back in business!

Anne May, WOA Membership Secretary.