

TRAGEDY OF THE COMMONS IN SPORTS

Students read
online article

Answer Questions

Key included!

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TASK: READ AND ANALYZE THE ONLINE ARTICLE, ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BASED ON YOUR READING. USE COMPLETE SENTENCES.

1. What is the shared resource in this situation, and who has access to it?
2. Why do manufacturers produce championship merchandise for both teams, and how does this benefit them?
3. What happens to the merchandise for the losing team, and how does this reflect resource overuse or waste?
4. What negative consequences could arise from mass-producing merchandise that may not be sold?
5. How do these consequences impact manufacturers, retailers, and the environment?
6. How does donating unsellable championship merchandise attempt to solve the problem?

