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## A MESSAGE FROM THE MANAGING DIRECTOR

Welcome to the 2023 ANC. Another exciting tenpin bowling tournament setting new benchmarks for the elite level bowler, as we continue the exciting road to ensuring our sport will be ready to win gold at the Brisbane Olympics in 2032.

The aim of this guide is to provide all players and officials with information that will help them to better understand the various events that comprise the ANC and to ensure they gain maximum enjoyment from their involvement.

The 2023 ANC comprises of four competitions:

- President's Junior Shield
- TBA Australian Junior Masters
- Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament
- TBA Australian Masters

I trust that this guide will help everyone, regardless of their role, to have a better understanding of the event and ensure that the 2023 ANC truly delivers on some exciting experiences for all involved.

Yours Sincerely,

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## EVENT SCHEDULE \& DETAILED INFORMATION <br> 1. EVENT HEADQUARTERS

Email: ashlee@strike3bowling.com.au
Phone: 0449905497
During the event, all enquiries should be directed to Event Headquarters, located at Zone Bowling Moonah.

## 2. RULES and REGULATIONS

All TBA Tournament Rules and Regulations will apply, unless in conflict with any rules and regulations outlined in this guide. Tournament Accreditation Number TBC. Any matters arising which are not covered in this guide will be determined by the STRIKE 3 Bowling (STRIKE 3) tournament team.
These rules and associated information are based on the principle that unless it specifically states in this guide that something is allowed or permitted, it is to be assumed that it is not allowed or permitted.

## 3. KEY DATES SUMMARY

The following key dates are shown throughout this guide.

- 20 December 2022
- 20 January 2023
- 31 January 2023
- 2 February 2023
- 20 February 2023
- 30 April 2023
- 30 April 2023
- 20 June 2023
- 25 June 2023
- 25 June 2023
- 25 to 28 June 2023
- 25 June 2023
- 26 June to 1 July 2023
- 27 June 2023
- 1 July 2023
- 2 July 2023
- 2 July 2023
- 2 to 4 July 2023
- 3 July 2023
- 5 to 7 July 2023
- 7 July 2023

2023 ANC Teams Automatic Franchise Confirmations Close
New Franchise Applications Close
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## 4. SMOKING AND ALCOHOL

Alcohol is prohibited during all sessions. Smoking is not allowed inside the venue at any time.

## 5. CURRENCY AND PRIZE MONEY

All prices and prize money in this guide are expressed in Australian Dollars (AUD) and are inclusive of GST for tax purposes.

## 6. COMPETITION TIMES

Please refer to the schedule of events for further information. Competition times may be amended and/or deleted at any time at the discretion of the STRIKE 3 tournament team.

## 7. NATIONALLY RANKED EVENTS AT THE ANC

- TBA Australian Masters
- TBA Australian Junior Masters


## 8. TEAM MANAGERS MEETINGS

Team Manager meetings will be held for both team events as follows.

- Walter Rachuig- Sunday 25 June 2023
- President's Shield- Sunday 2 July 2023

Venue: Zone Bowling Moonah
Time: 10.00am
9. OPENING CEREMONIES

Opening Ceremonies will be held for both team events as follows.

- Walter Rachuig- Sunday 25 June 2023
- President's Shield- Sunday 2 July 2023

Venue: Zone Bowling Moonah
Time: $\quad$ 12.30pm

## 10. TEAM PHOTOS

Team photos will be taken of all teams at both events as follows.

- Walter Rachuig- Sunday 25 June 2023
- President's Shield- Sunday 2 July 2023

Venue: Zone Bowling Moonah
Time: 11.00am
Dress: Team Uniform

## 11. FUNCTIONS AND CATERING

Both celebration functions will be ticketed events. Additional tickets will be available from STRIKE 3 Bowling. For further information, pricing, and the purchase of tickets, please email STRIKE 3 Bowling at ashlee@strike3bowling.com.au

Catering for all teams and groups is available at Zone Bowling Moonah. For further information please contact the centre on (03) 61450450.

Please Note: Outside catering or brought in food is not allowed at Zone Bowling Moonah. All breaches of this rule will be managed directly by centre management.

## 12. CELEBRATION FUNCTIONS

Will be held for both team events as follows.

- Walter Rachuig- Saturday 1 July 2023

| Venue: | Wrest Point Casino, Sandy Bay Road Sandy Bay |
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| Time: | 7.00 pm |
| Dress: | Dress Up |
| Tickets: | Included for six people in Walter Rachuig team entry fee |
| Additional Tickets: | $\$ 100$ including GST per person. (Two Course Dinner, Cash Bar) |

- President's Shield- Friday 7 July 2023

| Venue: | Hyperdrive Go Kart Centre, 22 Mertonvale Circuit Kingston |
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| Time: | 5.30pm |
| Dress: | Comfortable- Time to go racing! |
| Tickets: | Included for six players and one chaperone in President's Shield entry fee. The <br> chaperone does not receive a ride in or a drive of a go kart. <br> Additional Tickets: |
|  | (Stand up catering and video games provided. No rides in or drives of the go <br> karts due to availability in giving Shield players priority) |


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## 13. MERCHANDISE

The 2023 ANC merchandise range will be available at Zone Bowling Moonah each day throughout the event.

## 14. YOUR PLAYER STORIES

Be social and share your 2023 ANC experiences, thoughts, images, and video clips in the lead up and during the event on Facebook \& Instagram. Simply go to the STRIKE 3 Bowling social media pages or hashtag your posts with \#discovertasmania, \#ANCISBOWLING and \#STRIKE3. Online etiquette applies.
15. EVENT SCHEDULE

The schedule for the 2023 ANC- Version 4 is shown below (subject to change).

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Event asman | ts <br> nia |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\sqrt{\square}$ |  |  |  |
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| 61st AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP - 25 JUNE to 7 JULY 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| EVENT SCHEDULE - VERSION 4-18 JUNE 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| v Date \& Start Time > | 7.00am | 7.30am | 8.00am | 8.30am | 9.00am | 9.30 am | 10.00am | 10.30am 1 | 11.00am | 11.30am | 12.00pm | 12.30pm | 1.00pm | 1.30pm | 2.00pm | 2.30pm | 3.00pm | 3.30pm | 4.00pm | 4.30pm | 5.00pm | 5.30pm | 6.00pm | 6.30pm | 7.00pm | 7.30pm | 8.00pm | 8.30pm | 9.00pm |
| SUNDAY 25 JUNE | LANE DRESSING |  |  |  | RACHUIG OFFICIAL PRACTICE |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { LANE } \\ & \text { TE } \end{aligned}$ | DRESSII AM PHOT |  | RACHUIG MATCHES 1 TO 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MONDAY 26 JUNE | LANE DRESSING |  |  | RACHUIG MATCHES 4 TO 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING $\quad$ RACHUIG MATCHES 7 TO 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TUESDAY 27 JUNE | LANE DRESSING |  |  | RACHUIG MATCHES 10 TO 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  |  | RACHUIG MATCHES 13 TO 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| WEDNESDAY 28 JUNE | LANE DRESSING |  |  | RACHUIG FINALS MATCHES 16 TO 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | TROPHY PRESENTATIONS LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Masters Qualifying- MALE A RACHUIG \& ALL OTHER ENTRANTS A |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| THURSDAY 29 JUNE | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Masters Qualifying- FEMALE A RACHUIG |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Masters Qualifying- MALE B RACHUIG |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| FRIDAY 30 JUNE | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Masters Matchplay Finals - MALE \& FEMALE MATCHES 1 TO 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Masters Matchplay Finals - MALE MATCHES 9 TO 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SATURDAY 1 JULY | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Masters Matchplay Finals MALE MATCHES 17 TO 24 -FEMALE MATCHES 9 TO 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  | TBA AUSTRALIAN MASTERS STEPLADDER FINALS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | CELEBRATION DINNER- WREST POINT |  |  |  |  |
| SUNDAY 2 JULY | LANE DRESSING |  |  | SHIELD OFFICIAL PRACTICE |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING \& TEAM PHOTOS |  |  | PRESIDENTS SHIELD MATCHES 1 TO 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MONDAY 3 JULY | LANE dRESSING |  |  | PRESIDENTS SHIELD MATCHES 5 TO 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  |  | PRESIDENTS SHIELD MATCHES 8 TO 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TUESDAY 4 JULY | LANE DRESSING |  |  | PRESIDENTS SHIELD MATCHES 11 T0 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  |  | PRESIDENTS SHIELD FINALS MATCHES 14 TO 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | TROPHY PRESENTATION |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| WEDNESDAY 5 JULY | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Junior Masters Qualifying- FEMALE A SHIELD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Junior Masters Qualifying- MALE A SHIELD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| THURSDAY 6 JULY | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Junior Masters Matchplay Finals MATCHES 1 TO 6 |  |  |  |  |  | LANEDRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Junior Masters Matchplay Finals MATCHES 7 TO 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| FRIDAY 7 JULY | LANE DRESSING |  |  | TBA Australian Junior Masters Matchplay Finals MATCHES 13 TO 16 |  |  |  | LANE DRESSING |  | TBA AUSTRALIAN JUNIOR MASTERS STEPLADDER FINALS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | CELEBRATION PARTY- HYPERDRIVE GO KARTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## WALTER RACHUIG TROPHY TOURNAMENT RULES

## A. INTRODUCTION

These rules, and the Tenpin Bowling Australia (TBA) rules that do not conflict with the Guide to the Event, will apply for the conduct and control of the Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament and related matters. In the event of any state/territory/zone rule conflicting with these rules, then these rules will take precedence.

## B. ORIGIN

The Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament was established in December 1963, in recognition of the work performed by Walter A Rachuig, a Director of the American Bowling Congress, in guiding the establishment of the Australian National Sporting Organization during the period of February 1962 through until July 1963.

## C. PURPOSE

The purpose of the Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament is to determine annually the best state, territory, city, region, centre and/or country representative team of tenpin bowlers, each consisting of five or six players per team in both the male and female divisions. To foster, develop and advance a spirit of good sportsmanship, fellowship, and gender equality along with promoting and maintaining a good relationship amongst the representative teams.

## D. VENUE

The Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament 2023 will be conducted from 25 to 28 June 2023 (during the 2023 ANC) at Zone Bowling Moonah, Hobart, Tasmania.

## E. CONTROL OF MATCHES

STRIKE 3 will appoint the tournament team, who will be responsible for all tournament preparations and conduct of the matches whilst in progress.

## F. SPONSORSHIP

Team/s sponsorship is unrestricted, providing it meets national advertising guidelines and regulations. i.e., cigarette advertising is not allowed.

## G. PLAYER ELIGIBILITY

1. Must be a financial member of TBA, TBNZ or an IBF affiliated federation - in good standing.
2. If requested by STRIKE 3, must provide evidence of maintaining a minimum average of 180 for males and 160 for females in a recognised competition in the last three years.
3. Must be capable of conducting themselves in such a manner so as not to reflect discredit on TBA, STRIKE 3 Bowling (STRIKE 3), the team they are representing, or tenpin bowling.
4. Must be fourteen (14) years or above on the $1^{\text {st }}$ January 2023.

## H. TEAMS

The following 14 male and 7 female teams will take part in the 2023 Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament

- Aotearoa
- Caboolture Snakes (male only)
- CLS Townsville Cutters
- Devonport Mafia (male only)
- Hobart Capitals
- Logan City Wolves
- New South Wales Blues (male only)
- North Queensland Crocs
- Pride Australia Monarchs (male only)
- Queensland Menace
- Queensland Colts (male only)
- Tasmania Strikers (male only)
- Team Bedrock Moonah
- Victoria (male only)


## I. SELECTION OF TEAMS

1. Teams can be selected by the respective team management in any format or criteria they choose.
2. The roster of players for each male and female team in the Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament must be five or six players. The actual playing line-up for any match will be five players drawn from the roster submitted.
3. Players may be selected from any location providing they meet the player eligibility rules outlined in G . Player Eligibility.
4. Teams selected for the male division are allowed to select up to two female players.
5. Each franchise team must submit the final list of their team members, including email and mobile number, to STRIKE 3 by 20 June 2023.

## J. TEAM UNIFORMS

1. All teams must submit their proposed shirt designs to STRIKE 3 for approval by 30 April 2023, to avoid colour clashes between the teams. Teams have the freedom to choose their own design, including the placement of sponsor logos. Approval will not be unnecessarily withheld, providing clauses K. 4, 5 \& 6 are met.
2. State \& Territory Association teams, TBA and TBNZ teams retain first right to use their respective state and national colours in their entirety.
3. All players must wear their approved team shirt whilst playing. Male teams must wear long pants. Female teams may wear long or $3 / 4$ pants, skorts or skirts. All players in the team must wear the same uniform at the same time in terms of style and colours.
4. The TBA logo must be visible on the left-hand sleeve of each team shirt, to be located 25 mm above the end of the sleeve. The size of the logo should be a minimum of 110 mm wide and 45 mm high.
5. The STRIKE 3 Bowling logo must be visible on the right-hand front chest of each team shirt, to be located in line with the bottom of the front buttons/zip. The size of the logo should be a minimum of 80 mm wide and 60 mm high.
6. The 2023 ANC logo must be visible on the left-hand front chest of each team shirt, to be located in line with the bottom of the front buttons/zip. The size of the logo should be a minimum of 80 mm wide and 60 mm high.
7. Any team not complying with K. $4,5 \& 6$ will be required to pay a $\$ 500$ including GST fine to STRIKE 3 prior to taking part in the tournament.
8. Any team or player not complying with K .3 will not be allowed to start the next match before rectifying the uniform breach.

## K. TOURNAMENT FORMAT

MALE DIVISION- This tournament will be played over one round of round robin where every team will play each other once ( 13 matches) followed by a final series where all teams will play a further five matches ( 14 to 18), based on their respective position after Match 13 and each match thereafter, as follows.

- Match 14-Positional $1-1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{v} 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 13.
- Match 15 - End to End- $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 14^{\text {th }}, 2^{\text {nd }}$ v $13^{\text {th }}$ and so after Match 14.
- Match 16 - Mirror- $1^{\text {st }} v 8^{\text {th }}, 2^{\text {nd }} v 9^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 15.
- Match 17-Odds \& Evens- $1^{\text {st }} v 3^{\text {rd }}, 2^{\text {nd }} v 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 16.
- Match 18-Positional Final- $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{v} 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 17.

The overall final positions will be based on total points scored after 18 matches. All ties will be determined by total pinfall and any tie which remains will be determined by the respective team's total pinfall in the final match, second last match and so on until the tie is broken.

FEMALE DIVISION- This tournament will be played over two rounds of round robin where every team will play each other twice ( 14 matches) followed by a final series where the top six teams will play a further four matches ( 15 to 18), based on their respective position after Match 14 and each match thereafter, as follows.

- Match 15 - Positional $1-1^{\text {st }} v 2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }} v 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 14 . $7^{\text {th }}$ is eliminated.
- Match 16 - Mirror- $1^{\text {st }} v 4^{\text {th }}, 2^{\text {nd }} v 5^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 15 .
- Match 17 - Odds \& Evens- $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 3^{\text {rd }}, 2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{v} 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 16.
- Match 18 - Positional Final- $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{v} 4^{4^{\text {th }}}$ and so on after Match 17.

The overall final positions will be based on total points scored after 18 matches. All ties will be determined by total pinfall and any tie which remains will be determined by the respective team's total pinfall in the final match, second last match and so on until the tie is broken.

1. The team playing the bye in the Female Division will be required to play and score a total team score of 950 (or more) for the team to win the two match points. Individual players will be required to bowl 190 (or more) in the match to win their individual match point. There is no score applied for a draw.
2. If one or more of the nominated team members are unable to bowl prior to the commencement of, or during the actual tournament, such that five players are not available to play, the team can play with no less than four players and forfeit the point for the missing player. The team will remain eligible to win the match points. If there are less than four players available for the match, the team will forfeit the match and the opposing team will play a bye under the conditions of rule K. 2 .
3. The team listed to start on the left-hand side lane of the pair, will list their order of players first.
4. Practice lanes will be turned on and made available from the start of the current match for players not participating in the current match. The lanes will be turned off again at the conclusion of the last match being played. Players who are competing or have competed in the current match are not permitted to use the warm-up lanes at any time.

## L. OFFICIAL PRACTICE

Strike 3 will conduct Official Practice on Sunday 25 June from 9.00am to 11.00am. Teams will be allocated a lane or a pair of lanes if both male and female teams are practicing. Male only teams will be matched up together. There will be three pair changes carried out during the session. This practice session is optional, the cost being $\$ 120$ including GST per team, payable to Strike 3 at check in by 8.30am on 25 June.
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## M. POINTS SYSTEM

Points will be awarded as follows:

1. Each team member will be matched against the opposing team member in the corresponding position in the line-up and the player achieving the highest total scratch score for the game will win one point for the team. In the event of an equal game score, the point will be equally shared.
2. The team's total pinfall will be compared with the total pinfall of the opposing team and two points will be awarded to the team with the highest total pinfall.
3. In the event of an equal team score, the points will be equally shared.

## N. BOWLING BALLS

1. All bowling balls used in this tournament must be within the specifications defined in chapter 6 of the TBA Rule Book.
2. Players are not required to register bowling balls for this tournament.
3. An inspection of any players bowling balls to check eligibility may be performed at any time and location. A penalty at the full discretion of the STRIKE 3 Tournament Team may be applied to any infringement.
4. In the interests of fair play for all players, only two players in each team are allowed to use a bowling ball made with a urethane and/or microcell polymer cover stock, which has an RG Differential greater than 0.011, at any time in any single match, including bowling for spares. The one or two players choosing to use any urethane and/or microcell polymer bowling ball, which exceeds this RG Differential must be nominated before the match begins and advised to the opposition team captain and/or manager. A breach of this rule will see the third, and all subsequent players, using restricted use urethane and/or microcell polymer bowling balls forfeit their match point to their opponent. The total team score remains in place.

## O. MATCH TIMING

All matches will have a maximum time limit of $65: 00$ minutes. Countdown timers will be centrally located, so all teams can view the available time at any point during a match. It is the responsibility of both teams to ensure their match finishes on time. If the maximum time is breached, both teams will receive a onepoint penalty if the match is completed in under 70:00 minutes and a two-point penalty each if the match takes longer than 70:00 minutes. The STRIKE 3 Tournament Team are judges of fact in all match timing matters.

On the completion of all matches, teams are free to move to their next match, providing the removal of bowling balls is done with consideration to matches still being played and the movement is done via the promenade area behind the public seating area, not the area directly behind the players area.

## P. AWARDING OF THE WALTER RACHUIG TROPHY \& TRISH DATSON MEMORIAL SHIELD

The Walter Rachuig Trophy and the Trish Datson Memorial Trophy will be presented to the champion teams immediately after the tournament. These trophies are perpetual trophies and remain the property of the TBA. The champion teams have the option to take the trophies back to their home region for local publicity purposes on the condition of satisfactory and safe return to STRIKE 3 within six months of the tournament's completion.

## 1. Walter Rachuig Trophy

Separate trophies will be awarded to the male and female teams who have the highest points total in their respective divisions. In the event of a points tie for $1^{\text {st }}$ place, the tie will be broken by a one game playoff with the highest one game points total to decide the champion. If the tie still exists, total pinfall for that game will be used. If a points tie involves more than two teams, pinfall will decide the first two positions to play the one game playoff. All other tied positions on points will be decided by total pinfall.

## 2. Trish Datson Memorial Shield

The overall winner will be determined by adding the total points from the male division to the total points in the female division. In the event of a points tie for $1^{\text {st }}$ place, the tie will be broken by a two-game playoff (one male \& one female) with the highest combined points total to decide the champion. If the tie still exists, total pinfall for those two games will be used. If a points tie involves more than two teams, pinfall will decide the first two positions to play the two-game playoff. All other tied positions on points will be decided by total pinfall.

## Q. MEDALLIONS

Gold, Silver, and Bronze TBA medallions will be presented to up to six players, one coach and one manager (eight medallions in total) in both divisions of the Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament and the Trish Datson Memorial Shield (sixteen medallions in total).

## R. TROPHIES

The following individual trophies will be awarded

## 1. Walter Rachuig Trophy All-Star Team

Following each Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament, an "All Star Team" will be announced in the male and female divisions. Selection shall be as follows.

- The top five male division point scorers shall be the male division team.
- The top five female division point scorers shall be the female division team.
- Females playing in the male division are eligible for both All Star Teams, based on their total points.

In the event of a tie for the last available position in the All-Star Team:

- The player who has played fewer games during the event will be included in the All-Star Team
- Should the tie remain, the player with the higher average will be included in the All-Star Team


## 2. Walter Rachuig Trophy Sportsperson's Award

Voting forms will be distributed to team managers at the beginning of the final day of play. Voting is on a preferential voting system where (3) is the first preference. Only one form per team can be filled in, relevant to your division, and voting forms must be returned to the tournament room by the commencement of the last game of the tournament. Any forms received after this time will not be included in the total votes. Voting for players within your own team is not allowed, as is voting for players in the other division of the tournament. The player in each division who receives the most votes will be declared the winner of the award in that division. A tie for points will be decided by the number of " 3 "s received and if still equal, the number of " 2 "s.

## S. PROTESTS \& RESULTS ENQUIRIES

Only competing players, the appointed coach and/or the appointed manager, as listed on the final entry list, may lodge a protest or results enquiry in relation to this event. This must be lodged in writing (and signed) to the tournament team within sixty minutes of the completion of the final frame of the tournament. After this time, results will be considered as final and no further correspondence will be addressed by the tournament team. STRIKE 3 reserve the right to amend any errors, at any time, which it feels are in the best interests of the event.

## T. ENTRY FEE PER TEAM

- $\$ 4,950$ including GST- (\$5,970 in total value)
- The entry fee includes the following items.
- Entry for one team of 5 or 6 players in the 2023 Walter Rachuig Trophy Tournament
- Six entries in the 2023 TBA Australian Masters
- Six tickets to the Walter Rachuig Celebration Function
- Six 2023 ANC Commemorative Player Merchandise Packs containing;
- 2023 ANC Backpack
- 2023 ANC Beanie
- 2023 ANC Drink Bottle
- 2023 ANC Shammy
- 2023 ANC Zip Tag
- The entry fee is non-refundable and must be paid by 30 April 2023
- All items, including the Australian Masters entries and function tickets, are transferrable, at the team's and/or player's discretion, including cost charged for each item.



## TBA AUSTRALIAN MASTERS

## TOURNAMENT RULES

## A. ELIGIBILITY

This tournament is open to all TBA members and all non-resident players who are a member of an IBF affiliated federation, in good standing, who have attained the age of 14 years or above, as at 1 January 2023. IBF affiliated federation members must show their proof of federation membership at check-in. There will be a male and female division and all rules apply to both divisions.

## B. SQUAD ALLOCATION

Each Rachuig team is allocated squad spots for distribution amongst their team, to ensure fairness for all players. Spots are allocated as follows.

## MALE DIVISION

- Squad A
- Aotearoa x 2
- Caboolture Snakes x 2
- CLS Townsville Cutters x 2
- Devonport Mafia x 2
- Hobart Capitals x 2
- Logan City Wolves x 2
- New South Wales Blues x 3
- North Queensland Crocs x 3


## - Squad B <br> ○ Aotearoa x 4 <br> - Caboolture Snakes x 4 <br> - CLS Townsville Cutters x 4 <br> - Devonport Mafia x 4 <br> - Hobart Capitals x 4 <br> - Logan City Wolves x 4 <br> - New South Wales Blues x 3 <br> - New South Wales Blues x



FEMALE DIVISION


- Squad A
- Aotearoa- All
- CLS Townsville Cutters- All
- North Queensland Crocs- All
- Hobart Capitals- All
- Logan City Wolves- All
- Queensland Menace- All
- Team Bedrock Moonah- All

Rachuig teams are to advise Strike 3 of their player squad allocations by 20 June 2023. Strike 3 reserves the right to re-allocate spots and/or alter squads to ensure best use of the centre and fairness to all players attending.

## C. BOWLING BALLS

1. All bowling balls used in this tournament must be within the specifications defined in chapter 6 of the TBA Rule Book.
2. Players are not required to register bowling balls for this tournament.
3. An inspection of any players bowling balls to check for eligibility may be performed at any time and location. A penalty at the full discretion of the STRIKE 3 Tournament Team may be applied to any infringement.

## D. GAME AND MATCH TIMING

All games and matches played (except the Stepladder Finals) will have a maximum time limit of 30:00 minutes. Countdown timers will be centrally located, so all players can view the available time at any point during a game or match. It is the responsibility of all players to ensure their games and matches finish on time. If the maximum time is breached, all players on the pair of lanes will initially be warned and second and subsequent offenders may be penalised 30 pins for each breach in qualifying and 2 points for each breach in matchplay. The STRIKE 3 Tournament Team are judges of fact in all match timing matters.

On the completion of all games and matches (except the Stepladder Finals), players are free to move to their next game or match, providing the removal of bowling balls is done with consideration to games or matches still being played and the movement is done via the promenade area behind the public seating area, not the area directly behind the players area.

## E. QUALIFYING

Qualifying is open to all eligible players, who will bowl 9 games of qualifying in a single session in a male and females division. Multiple entries are not allowed. The top 24 male and top 16 female qualifiers, based on total pinfall, will compete in the matchplay finals. In the event of a tie for $24^{\text {th }}$ in the male division and $16^{\text {th }}$ in the female division, the highest single game qualifying score will qualify. If a tie remains, the second highest score will count and so on until the tie is broken.

## F. MATCHPLAY FINALS

MALE DIVISION- All 24 male players will complete 24 games in a matchplay format against each other player and one positional round game ( $1^{\text {st }}$ vs $2^{\text {nd }}$ and so on) in match 24 , with wins, draws \& losses determining the order after match 23 . Two points will be awarded for a win, one for a draw and zero for a loss. Pinfall does not carry over from qualifying. At the conclusion of the 24 matches, the top 5 will progress to the Stepladder Finals. In the event of a tie for any position, the highest single game matchplay score will determine the positions. If a tie remains, the second highest score will count and so on until the tie is broken.
FEMALE DIVISION- All 16 female players will complete 16 games in a matchplay format against each other player and one positional round game ( $1^{\text {st }}$ vs $2^{\text {nd }}$ and so on) in match 16 , with wins, draws \& losses determining the order after match 15 . Two points will be awarded for a win, one for a draw and zero for a loss. Pinfall does not carry over from qualifying. At the conclusion of the 16 matches, the top 5 will progress to the Stepladder Finals. In the event of a tie for any position, the highest single game matchplay score will determine the positions. If a tie remains, the second highest score will count and so on until the tie is broken.

## G. STEPLADDER FINALS

The $4^{\text {th }}$ and $5^{\text {th }}$ placed male and female players will play a single game match to determine the winner. The winner will play the $3^{\text {rd }}$ placed male and female players in a single game match to determine the winner. The winner will play the $2^{\text {nd }}$ placed male and female players in a single game match to determine the winner. The winner will play the $1^{\text {st }}$ placed male and female players in a single game match to determine the tournament champions.
In the event of a tie in any match, including the final, a Golden Strike will determine the winner with the highest placed player deciding whether to start or follow. Players will play one frame at a time, alternating lanes, until one player strikes in a frame when the other doesn't to determine the winner.
Playing format for all matches is the highest player will have the choice to start the match. The starting player will bowl one frame on the odd lane before the opponent plays two frames starting on the even lane and so on until the starting player completes the match with their $10^{\text {th }}$ frame.

## H. PROTESTS \& RESULTS ENQUIRIES

Only competing players directly involved with this event may lodge a protest or results enquiry in relation to this event. This must be lodged in writing (and signed) to the tournament team within sixty minutes of the completion of the final frame of the tournament. After this time, results will be considered as final and no further correspondence will be addressed by the tournament team. STRIKE 3 reserve the right to amend any errors, at any time, which it feels are in the best interests of the event.

## I. ENTRY FEE \& ENTRY FORM

- Included for up to six players in Walter Rachuig entry fee, on the provision of the entry form
- Entry for Non-Rachuig players: $\$ 450$ including GST per person.
- Entry Closing Date:


## FULL

- The entry fee is non-refundable.
- The entry is transferrable to other players up to the close of entries, at the players discretion, including cost


## J. PRIZE MONEY (including GST)

STRIKE 3 guarantee to pay equal prize money to males and females, regardless of any differences in final entry numbers. All prize money will be confirmed on 27 June 2023.

MALE (estimated)
$\mathbf{1}^{\text {st. }} \mathbf{\$ 3 , 2 0 0}$ plus Trophy
$2^{\text {nd }}-\$ 1,500$ plus Trophy
$3^{\text {rd }} \mathbf{~ \$ 1 , 0 0 0 ~ p l u s ~ T r o p h y ~}$
$4^{\text {th }}-\$ 700$
$5^{\text {th }}-\$ 500$
$6^{\text {th }}$ - $\$ 250$
$7^{\text {th }}$ - $\$ 200$
$8^{\text {th }}-\$ 150$
$\mathbf{9}^{\text {th }}$ to $\mathbf{2 4}^{\text {th }} \mathbf{\$ 1 0 0}$
$5^{\text {th }}-\$ 500$
$6^{\text {th }}-\$ 250$
$7^{\text {th }}$ - $\$ 200$
$8^{\text {th }}-\$ 150$
FEMALE (estimated)
$1^{\text {st. }} \mathbf{\$ 3 , 2 0 0}$ plus Trophy
$2^{\text {nd }}-\$ 1,500$ plus Trophy
$3^{\text {rd }} \mathbf{-}$ \$1,000 plus Trophy
$4^{\text {th }}-\$ 700$
$9^{\text {th }}$ to $16^{\text {th }}-\$ 100$

## 2023 ANC TBA AUSTRALIAN MASTERS ENTRY FORM

## Name:

TBA, TBNZ or IBF recognised Membership No.:

## Contact number:

Email:

Preferred Squad: ONLY ALL OTHER ENTRANTS A IS AVAILABLE


Your entry will be allocated to ALL OTHER ENTRANTS A on the receipt of this entry form and your entry fee payment.

Completed entry form must be received with payment via email to ashlee@strike3bowling.com.au by 25 June 2023, unless full.


PRESIDENT'S JUNIOR SHIELD

## TOURNAMENT RULES

## A. INTRODUCTION

These rules, and the Tenpin Bowling Australia (TBA) rules that do not conflict with the Guide to the Event, will apply for the conduct and control of the President's Junior Shield and related matters. In the event of any state/territory/zone rule conflicting with these rules, then these rules will take precedence.

## B. ORIGIN

The President's Junior Shield was established by the National Tenpin Bowling Organisation in May 1974.

## C. PURPOSE

The purpose of the President's Junior Shield is to determine annually the best state, territory, city, region, centre and/or country representative team of tenpin bowlers, each consisting of five or six players per team in both the male and female divisions. To foster, develop and advance a spirit of good sportsmanship, fellowship, and gender equality along with promoting and maintaining a good relationship amongst the representative teams.

## D. VENUE

The President's Junior Shield 2023 will be conducted from 2 to 4 July 2023 (during the 2023 ANC) at Zone Bowling Moonah, Hobart, Tasmania.

## E. CONTROL OF MATCHES

STRIKE 3 will appoint the tournament team who will be responsible for all tournament preparations and conduct of the matches whilst in progress.

## F. SPONSORSHIP

Team/s sponsorship is unrestricted, providing it meets national advertising guidelines and regulations. i.e., cigarette advertising is not allowed.

## G. PLAYER ELIGIBILITY

1. Must be a financial member of TBA, TBNZ or an IBF affiliated federation- in good standing.
2. If requested by STRIKE 3 , must provide evidence of maintaining a minimum average of 150 for males and 130 for females in a recognised competition in the last year.
3. Must be capable of conducting themselves in such a manner so as not to reflect discredit on TBA, STRIKE 3 Bowling (STRIKE 3), the team they are representing, or tenpin bowling.
4. Must be under eighteen (18) years of age on the 1 January 2023.

## H. TEAMS

The following 8 male and 7 female teams will take part in the 2023 Presidents Junior Interstate Shield.

- Australia Team Tenpin Results
- Ballina Bullfrogs
- Logan City Wolves
- New South Wales Blues (male only)
- North Queensland Crocs
- South Queensland Menace
- Tasmania Devils
- Victoria


## I. SELECTION OF TEAMS

1. Teams can be selected by the respective team management in any format or criteria they choose.
2. The roster of players for each male and female team in the President's Shield must be five or six players. The actual playing line-up for any match will be five players drawn from the roster submitted.
3. Players may be selected from any location providing they meet the player eligibility rules outlined in G . Player Eligibility.
4. Teams selected for the male division are allowed to select up to two female players.
5. Each franchise team must submit the final list of their team members, including email and mobile number, to STRIKE 3 by 20 June 2023.

## J. TEAM UNIFORMS

1. All teams must submit their proposed shirt designs to STRIKE 3 for approval by 30 April 2023, to avoid colour clashes between the teams. Teams have the freedom to choose their own design, including the placement of sponsor logos. Approval will not be unnecessarily withheld, providing clauses K. 4, 5 \& 6 are met.
2. State \& Territory Association teams, TBA and TBNZ teams retain first right to use their respective state and national colours in their entirety.
3. All players must wear their approved team shirt whilst playing. Male teams must wear long pants. Female teams may wear long or $3 / 4$ pants, skorts or skirts. All players in the team must wear the same uniform at the same time in terms of style and colours.
4. The TBA logo must be visible on the left-hand sleeve of each team shirt, to be located 25 mm above the end of the sleeve. The size of the logo should be a minimum of 110 mm wide and 45 mm high.
5. The STRIKE 3 Bowling logo must be visible on the right-hand front chest of each team shirt, to be located in line with the bottom of the front buttons/zip. The size of the logo should be a minimum of 80 mm wide and 60 mm high.
6. The 2023 ANC logo must be visible on the left-hand front chest of each team shirt, to be located in line with the bottom of the front buttons/zip. The size of the logo should be a minimum of 80 mm wide and 60 mm high.
7. Any team not complying with K. $4,5 \& 6$ will be required to pay a $\$ 500$ including GST fine to STRIKE 3 prior to taking part in the tournament.
8. Any team or player not complying with K .3 will not be allowed to start the next match before rectifying the uniform breach.

## K. TOURNAMENT FORMAT

MALE DIVISION- This tournament will be played over two rounds of round robin where every team will play each other twice ( 14 matches) followed by a finals series where all teams will play a further two matches (15 and 16), based on their respective position after Match 14 and each match thereafter, as follows.

- Match 15 - Odds \& Evens- $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 3^{\text {rd }}, 2^{\text {nd }} v 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 14
- Match 16 - Positional- $1^{\text {st }} \mathrm{v} 2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }} v 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 15

The overall final positions will be based on total points scored after 16 matches. All ties will be determined by total pinfall and any tie which remains will be determined by the respective team's total pinfall in the final match, second last match and so on until the tie is broken.

FEMALE DIVISION- This tournament will be played over two rounds of round robin where every team will play each other twice ( 14 matches) followed by a final's series where the top 6 teams will play a further two matches (15 and 16), based on their respective position after Match 14 and each match thereafter, as follows.

- Match 15 - Odds \& Evens- $1^{\text {st }} v 3^{\text {rd }}, 2^{\text {nd }} v 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match $14.7^{\text {th }}$ is eliminated.
- Match 16-Positional- $1^{\text {st }} v 2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }} v 4^{\text {th }}$ and so on after Match 15.

The overall final positions will be based on total points scored after 16 matches. All ties will be determined by total pinfall and any tie which remains will be determined by the respective team's total pinfall in the final match, second last match and so on until the tie is broken.

1. The team playing the bye in the Female Division will be required to bowl a total score of 800 (or more) for the team to win the match points.
2. Individuals in the Female Division team will be required to bowl 160 (or more) in the match to win the individual match point.
3. If one or more of the nominated team members are unable to bowl prior to the commencement of, or during the actual tournament, such that five players are not available to play, the team can play with no less than four players and forfeit the point for the missing player. The team will remain eligible to win the match points. If there are less than four players available for the match, the team will forfeit the match and the opposing team will play a bye under the conditions of rule K. 2.
4. The team listed to start on the left-hand side lane of the pair, will list their order of players first.
5. Practice lanes will be turned on and made available from the start of the current match for players not participating in the current match. The lanes will be turned off again at the conclusion of the last match being played. Players who are competing or have competed in the current match are not permitted to use the warm-up lanes at any time.

## L. OFFICIAL PRACTICE

Strike 3 will conduct Official Practice on Sunday 2 July from 9.00am to 11.00am. Teams will be allocated a lane or a pair of lanes if both male and female teams are practicing. Male only teams will be matched up together. There will be three pair changes carried out during the session. This practice session is optional, the cost being $\$ 120$ including GST per team, payable to Strike 3 at check in by 8.30 am on 2 July.

## M. POINTS SYSTEM

Points will be awarded as follows:

1. Each team member will be matched against the opposing team member in the corresponding position in the line-up and the player achieving the highest total scratch score for the game will win one point for the team. In the event of an equal game score, the point will be equally shared.
2. The team's total pinfall will be compared with the total pinfall of the opposing team and two points will be awarded to the team with the highest total pinfall.
3. In the event of an equal team score, the points will be equally shared.

## N. BOWLING BALLS

1. All bowling balls used in this tournament must be within the specifications defined in chapter 6 of the TBA Rule Book.
2. Players are not required to register bowling balls for this tournament.
3. An inspection of any players bowling balls to check eligibility may be performed at any time and location. A penalty at the full discretion of the STRIKE 3 Tournament Team may be applied to any infringement.
4. In the interests of fair play for all players, only two players in each team are allowed to use a bowling ball made with a urethane and/or microcell polymer cover stock, which has an RG Differential greater than 0.011, at any time in any single match, including bowling for spares. The one or two players choosing to use any urethane and/or microcell polymer bowling ball, which exceeds this RG Differential must be nominated before the match begins and advised to the opposition team captain and/or manager. A breach of this rule will see the third, and all subsequent players, using restricted use urethane and/or microcell polymer bowling balls forfeit their match point to their opponent. The total team score remains in place.

## O. MATCH TIMING

All matches will have a maximum time limit of $65: 00$ minutes. Countdown timers will be centrally located, so all teams can view the available time at any point during a match. It is the responsibility of both teams to ensure their match finishes on time. If the maximum time is breached, both teams will receive a onepoint penalty each if the match is completed in under 70:00 minutes and a two-point penalty each if the match takes longer than 70:00 minutes. The STRIKE 3 Tournament Team are judges of fact in all match timing matters.

On the completion of all matches, teams are free to move to their next match, providing the removal of bowling balls is done with consideration to matches still being played and the movement is done via the promenade area behind the public seating area, not the area directly behind the players area.

## P. AWARDING OF THE PRESIDENT'S JUNIOR SHIELD

The President's Junior Shield will be presented to the champion teams immediately after the tournament. These trophies are perpetual trophies and remain the property of the TBA. The champion teams have the option to take the trophies back to their home region for local publicity purposes on the condition of satisfactory and safe return to STRIKE 3 within six months of the tournament's completion.

## 1. President's Junior Shield

Separate trophies will be awarded to the male and female teams who have the highest points total in their respective divisions. In the event of a points tie for $1^{\text {st }}$ place, the tie will be broken by a one game playoff with the highest one game points total to decide the champion. If the tie still exists, total pinfall for that game will be used. If a points tie involves more than two teams, pinfall will decide the first two positions to play the one game playoff. All other tied positions on points will be decided by total pinfall.

## 2. President's Junior Combined Shield

The overall winner will be determined by adding the total points from the male division to the total points in the female division. In the event of a points tie for $1^{\text {st }}$ place, the tie will be broken by a two-game playoff (one male \& one female) with the highest combined points total to decide the champion. If the tie still exists, total pinfall for those two games will be used. If a points tie involves more than two teams, pinfall will decide the first two positions to play the two-game playoff. All other tied positions on points will be decided by total pinfall.

## Q. MEDALLIONS

Gold, Silver, and Bronze TBA medallions will be presented to up to six players, one coach and one manager (eight medallions in total) in both divisions of the President's Junior Shield and the President's Junior Combined Shield (sixteen medallions in total).

## R. TROPHIES

The following individual trophies will be awarded:

## 1. President's Junior Shield All-Star Team

Following each President's Junior Shield, an "All Star Team" will be announced in both divisions. Selection shall be as follows.

- The top five male division point scorers shall be the male division team.
- The top five female division point scorers shall be the female division team.
- Females playing in the male division are eligible for both All Star Teams, based on their total points. In the event of a tie for the last available position in the All-Star Team:
- The player who has played fewer games during the event will be included in the All-Star Team
- Should the tie remain, the player with the higher average will be included in the All-Star Team


## 2. Jason Belmonte Sportsperson's Award

Voting forms will be distributed to team managers at the beginning of the final day of play. Voting is on a preferential voting system where (3) is the first preference. Only one form per team can be filled in, relevant to your division, and voting forms must be returned to the tournament room by the commencement of the last game of the tournament. Any forms received after this time will not be included in the total votes. Voting for players withing your own team is not allowed, as is voting for players in the other division of the tournament. The player in each division who receives the most votes will be declared the winner of the award in that division. A tie for points will be decided by the number of " 3 "s received and if still equal, the number of "2"s.

## S. PROTESTS \& RESULTS ENQUIRIES

Only competing players, the appointed coach and/or the appointed manager, as listed on the final entry list, may lodge a protest or results enquiry in relation to this event. This must be lodged in writing (and signed) to the tournament team within sixty minutes of the completion of the final frame of the tournament. After this time, results will be considered as final and no further correspondence will be addressed by the tournament team. STRIKE 3 reserve the right to amend any errors, at any time, which it feels are in the best interests of the event.

## T. ENTRY FEE PER TEAM \& ENTRY FORM

- $\$ 4,350$ including GST - ( $\$ 5,310$ in total value)
- The entry fee includes the following items.
- Entry for one team of 5 or 6 players in the 2023 President's Shield Tournament
- Six entries in the 2023 TBA Australian Junior Masters
- Six tickets to the President's Shield Celebration Function
- Six 2023 ANC Commemorative Player Merchandise Packs containing.
- 2023 ANC Backpack
- 2023 ANC Beanie
- 2023 ANC Drink Bottle
- 2023 ANC Shammy
- 2023 ANC Zip Tag
- The entry fee is non-refundable and must be paid by 30 April 2023
- All items, including the Australian Junior Masters entries and function tickets, are transferrable, at the team's and/or player's discretion, including cost charged for each item.

TBA JUNIOR

## AUSTRALIAN MASTERS

## TOURNAMENT RULES

## A. ELIGIBILITY

This tournament is open to all TBA members and all non-resident players who are a member of an IBF affiliated federation, in good standing, who are under 18 as at 1 January 2023. IBF affiliated federation members must show their proof of federation membership at check-in. There will be a male and female division and all rules apply to both divisions.

## B. SQUAD ALLOCATION

Each Shield team is allocated squad spots for distribution amongst their team, to ensure fairness for all players. Spots are allocated as follows.

## MALE DIVISION

- Squad A- All Shield Players
- Australia Team Tenpin Results
- Ballina Bullfrogs
- Logan City Wolves
- New South Wales Blues
- North Queensland Crocs
- South Queensland Menace
- Tasmania Devils
- Victoria

Non-Shield Development Players

## FEMALE DIVISION

- Squad A- All Shield Players
- Australia Team Tenpin Results
- Ballina Bullfrogs
- Logan City Wolves
- New South Wales Blues
- North Queensland Crocs
- South Queensland Menace

- Tasmania Devils
- Victoria
- Non-Shield Development Players

Strike 3 reserves the right to re-allocate spots to ensure best use of the centre and fairness to all players attending.

## C. BOWLING BALLS

1. All bowling balls used in this tournament must be within the specifications defined in chapter 6 of the TBA Rule Book.
2. Players are not required to register bowling balls for this tournament.
3. An inspection of any players bowling balls to check for eligibility may be performed at any time and location. A penalty at the full discretion of the STRIKE 3 Tournament Team may be applied to any infringement.

## D. GAME AND MATCH TIMING

All games and matches played (except the Stepladder Finals) will have a maximum time limit of 30:00 minutes. Countdown timers will be centrally located, so all players can view the available time at any point during a game or match. It is the responsibility of all players to ensure their games and matches finish on time. If the maximum time is breached, all players on the pair of lanes will initially be warned and second and subsequent offenders may be penalised 30 pins for each breach in qualifying and 2 points for each breach in matchplay. The STRIKE 3 Tournament Team are judges of fact in all match timing matters.

On the completion of all games and matches (except the Stepladder Finals), players are free to move to their next game or match, providing the removal of bowling balls is done with consideration to games or matches still being played and the movement is done via the promenade area behind the public seating area, not the area directly behind the players area.

## E. QUALIFYING

Qualifying is open to all eligible players, who will bowl 8 games of qualifying in a single session in a male and females division. Multiple entries are not allowed. The top 16 male and female qualifiers, based on total pinfall, will compete in the matchplay finals. In the event of a tie for $16^{\text {th }}$ in either division, the highest single game qualifying score will qualify. If a tie remains, the second highest score will count and so on until the tie is broken.

## F. MATCHPLAY FINALS

All 16 male and female players will complete 16 games in a matchplay format against each other player and one positional round match in game 16 , with wins, draws \& losses determining the order. Two points will be awarded for a win, one for a draw and zero for a loss. Pinfall does not carry over. At the conclusion of the 16 matches in the male division and 10 matches in the female division, the top 5 male and female players will progress to the Stepladder Finals. In the event of a tie for any position, the highest single game matchplay score will determine the positions. If a tie remains, the second highest score will count and so on until the tie is broken.

## G. STEPLADDER FINALS

The $4^{\text {th }}$ and $5^{\text {th }}$ placed male and female players will play a single game match to determine the winner. The winner will play the $3^{\text {rd }}$ placed male and female players in a single game match to determine the winner. The winner will play the $2^{\text {nd }}$ placed male and female players in a single game match to determine the winner. The winner will play the $1^{\text {st }}$ placed male and female players in a single game match to determine the tournament champions.
In the event of a tie in any match, including the final, a Golden Strike will determine the winner with the highest placed player deciding whether to start or follow. Players will play one frame at a time, alternating lanes, until one player strikes in a frame when the other doesn't to determine the winner.
Playing format for all matches is the highest player will have the choice to start the match. The starting player will bowl one frame on the odd lane before the opponent plays two frames starting on the even lane and so on until the starting player completes the match with their $10^{\text {th }}$ frame.

## H. PROTESTS \& RESULTS ENQUIRIES

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## I. ENTRY FEE

- Included for up to six players in President's Shield entry fee, on the provision of the entry form.
- Entry for Non-Shield players: \$350 including GST per person.
- Entry Closing Date: 3 July 2023.
- The entry fee is non-refundable and non-Shield players must pay by 3 July 2023
- The entry is transferrable to other players up to the close of entries, at the players discretion, including cost.
J. PRIZE MONEY (including GST)

STRIKE 3 guarantee to pay equal prize money to males and females, regardless of any differences in final entry numbers. All prize money will be confirmed on 4 July 2023.

## MALE (estimated)

$1^{\text {st. }} \mathbf{\$ 2 , 5 0 0}$ plus Trophy
$2^{\text {nd }}-\$ 1,200$ plus Trophy
$3^{\text {rd }}-\$ 1,000$ plus Trophy
$4^{\text {th }}-\$ 700$
$5^{\text {th }}-\$ 500$
$6^{\text {th }}-\$ 250$
$7^{\text {th }}-\$ 200$
$8^{\text {th }}$ - $\$ 150$
$9^{\text {th }}$ to $\mathbf{1 6}^{\text {th }} \mathbf{~} \mathbf{\$ 1 0 0}$

FEMALE (estimated)
$1^{\text {st. }} \mathbf{\$ 2 , 5 0 0}$ plus Trophy
$2^{\text {nd }}-\$ 1,200$ plus Trophy
$3^{\text {rd }}-\$ 1,000$ plus Trophy
$4^{\text {th }}-\$ 700$
$5^{\text {th }}-\$ 500$
$6^{\text {th }}-\$ 250$
$7^{\text {th }}$ - $\$ 200$
$8^{\text {th }}-\$ 150$
$9^{\text {th }} \& 16^{\text {th }}-\$ 100$

## 2023 ANC TBA AUSTRALIAN JUNIOR MASTERS ENTRY FORM

## Name:

TBA, TBNZ or IBF recognised Membership No.:

## Contact number:

Email:

Preferred Squad: ONLY ALL OTHER ENTRANTS A IS AVAILABLE


Your entry will be allocated to ALL OTHER ENTRANTS A on the receipt of this entry form and your entry fee payment.

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