



2023 Teams Challenge

Saturday 5th August 2023
Sunday 6th August 2023

Launceston Lanes



Accreditation Number: A23/0163

Rules and Regulations

1. This event is open to all teams that competed at their most recent national event.
2. The tournament is based on 12 teams, however will be modified subject to the number of entries received. If there is an odd number of teams entered, the Tournament Director will attempt to find a makeup team.
3. Teams will bowl a 12 team league draw over one full round with each team playing each other once. All teams will consist of a minimum of 4 players with a maximum of 6 players. All participants must be TBA registered members.
4. Bowling will commence at 10am on Saturday & 9.00am on Sunday. Team managers/coordinators are to check in with all entry fees paid **in CASH** by 9.30am Saturday. Lane draw for the tournament will be pre done on a first in basis on entries received by the Tournament Director with the lane draw provided at the manager/coordinator's meeting. The points system will be based on scratch score plus handicap with 1 point for an individual win and 2 points for overall team win.
5. All bowlers must bowl a **minimum of 5 games** or the team will be disqualified.
6. The tournament will be bowled with handicap and will be based on 90% of 225. Bowlers must use their highest league average as at 30th June 2023, over a minimum of 21 games. Proof of averages are to be submitted to the Tournament Director with the Entry Form. **Closing date for entries is 14th July 2023.**
7. Each team must nominate a team manager/coordinator with team entry. Team manager/coordinator will be responsible for:
 - Gathering and submitting all League standing sheets for each player.
 - Team Line-ups and team scores.
 - Bowlers bowling minimum amount of games.
 - Signing of scoresheets and forwarding to tournament director.
 - Team behaviour and conduct.
8. Only team manager/coordinators, team coaches, team players and tournament officials will be permitted in the player's area. Team line-ups must be entered left lane first.
9. At the discretion of the Tournament Director, a vacancy score may be used if a team cannot field a legal line up at any stage. Vacancy score will be 160 with 58 handicap.
10. Dress Code: shirts with a collar and dress trousers for men and shirts with a collar, skirts, trousers or tailored shorts for women. All team members including Managers to wear same uniform. Eg State shirts.
NO TRACKSUITS, NO CAPS, NO JEANS OR SHIRTS WITHOUT COLLARS.
11. Team Conduct - all teams will be expected to conduct themselves in a manner as if they were participating in their respective National Tournament.
12. **ALL TBA RULES AND REGULATIONS WILL APPLY.** Swearing and abuse of equipment will not be tolerated under any circumstances. Any intoxicated people, (alcohol or any other means) at any stage will not be permitted to take further part.
13. Any matters not covered in these rules will be decided by the tournament director whose decision is final.

14. Cost will be \$400.00 per team.

(4 player – \$100 per person, 5 player - \$80 per person, 6 player - \$67 per person)

Prize Fund

(Based on a minimum of 12 teams.)

1 st Place	\$500
2 nd Place	\$300
3 rd Place	\$200
4 th Place	\$150
5 th Place	\$ 90
High games (4 x \$20)	<u>\$ 80</u>
Male & Female Scratch & Hcp	
Total Prize Fund	\$1,320

NB: prize fund subject to increase if sponsorship found.

Format

Day 1: Sat 5th August 2023

9:30 am	Check-in for Team managers/coordinator closes at 9.30am (Entry fee to be paid)
9:35 am	Meeting with all Team managers/coordinators.
10:00am	6 games will be bowled in 4 man teams.

Day 2: Sun 6th August 2023

9.00 am	5 games will be bowled.
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If there is a tie for any position after the final game, the team with the highest pinfall including handicap will be used to decide that position.

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ENTRY FORM

TEAM NAME →		Bowler's Ave
BOWLER 1 →		
BOWLER 2 →		
BOWLER 3 →		
BOWLER 4 →		
BOWLER 5 (Optional) →		
BOWLER 6 (Optional) →		
Team Manager/ Coordinator →		

Entry Fee per Team \$400.00

Entry fee must be paid IN CASH at team check-in on Day 1. (As per Rules and Regulations)

Entries to be forwarded to The Tournament Director:

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Entries must be post marked no later than Friday 14th July 2023