



2019 Tauranga Seniors Cup

TBNZ Certification # 1923

Two different patterns bowled over 2 days

23 – 24 March 2019

16 games bowled over 2 days

Separate Male and Female divisions, Limited to 36 Bowlers

\$185 entry fee

(Includes lane fees, TBNZ tournament fee & Prizefund)

Schedule of events

Saturday 18th March
12.30pm check in 1pm start

Sunday 19th March
8.45am Check in 9am Start

Prize Fund (Based on entries in each division)

To enter email manager@tenpintauranga.co.nz

Full Name _____ Contact Ph: _____

Email _____ Men / Women (please circle)

Total Paid \$ _____ Bank Transfer into **06-0541-0457062-01** – put name as reference

A Deposit of \$50 is required no later than 7 days prior to the event to secure a place

TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

This Tournament is a scratch event. Entry is open to all current TBNZ registered players, who must attain the age of 50 or above in the year of this competition. Proof of age is required if the entrant has not previously bowled as a senior in a TBNZ sanctioned tournament.

This tournament will be TBNZ certified and all games will be played in accordance with TBNZ playing rules.

No smoking or consumption of alcohol is permitted from commencement of practice to conclusion of play on each day. This includes when lane changes are made, or breakdowns occur.

There is a separate division for men and ladies, with a prize pool that is paid out according to the entries in each division.

TBNZ ranking points will be allocated according to the placing's achieved in each of the men's and ladies divisions.

There will be one squad only which will have a maximum of 36 bowlers combined for the men's and ladies divisions. There will be a maximum of 4 bowlers per pair of lanes.

Each competitor will bowl 8 games (in 4 blocks of 2) on Saturday and 8 games (in 4 blocks of 2) on Sunday. A lane draw will be done to try to ensure that (as far as is practicable) females do not bowl on the same lane. The number of lanes moved after each block will be determined by the tournament director, with the intent of trying (as far as is practicable) to ensure that each bowler experiences similar use of the lanes in play.

Each day a different lane pattern will be used.

Placing will be decided on total pinfall. Should a tie occur for 1st place, a one game playoff will decide the winner. Should a tie occur for any other placing, the prize money will be split.

ENTRY FEE is \$185, which comprises \$96 lane fees, \$5 TBNZ tournament fee and \$79 prize fund. Prize payout will be based on 1 in 3 payout and posted when final No's have confirmed.

Any bowler who fails to meet either check-in time (as per the centre clock) will be disqualified, without refund of any monies paid. The tournament Director may permit a late entry from a new competitor, the use of a pacer, or reallocation of bowlers per lane as the Tournament Director deems appropriate. Five minutes warm up will be given prior to the start of each day of bowling.

All competitors will be required to be suitably attired, with a clean and tidy standard of dress. This must include either a short sleeved collared bowling shirt or a branded bowling shirt. Males must wear dress trousers or tailored shorts requiring a belt. Females may wear skirts, dress trousers, or shorts of any length. Track pants, cargo pants, stirrup pants, or any denim material are not permitted.

A deposit of \$50 is required no later than 7 days prior to event to secure a place. The balance of \$135 can be paid at any time before the Saturday check-in. Entries after this close off date will only be accepted if the centre manager decides this assists with the centre's allocation of lanes. The centre manager's decision in this respect is final so please ensure you have paid your deposit by the required time.

All entry fees will be fully refundable up to 7 days prior to the event. No refunds will be made within the 7 days prior to the tournament.

Protests are to be given verbally to the Tournament Director within 10 minutes of the occurring infraction and confirmed in writing within 10 minutes of completion of the days' play. Practice time of 5 minutes will be given at the beginning of each day.

Any matters not covered in these rules will be decided by the Tournament Director, whose decision will be final.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE:

Josh Stretton

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