



2015 Queensland Badminton Mystery Tournament

Proudly Presented by Qld Badminton Association Inc

Saturday 2 May 2015

Inala PCYC, 37 Swallow Street, Inala

Play is expected to commence at 9.00am and conclude by approximately 7.30 pm.

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO WINNERS AND RUNNER UPS OF ALL EVENTS.

Referee: Andrew Greenway (Referee)

Entries Close: Sunday 26th April 2015

PRICE TO PLAY

All Events

**\$15.00 per player per event or
\$13.00 per player for juniors
under 16 as at 31/12/2015**

You can enter online by clicking the following link:

<http://ba.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=898C4830-0E20-4FC8-A84C-B9C2632E6937>

If entry fees are not received within 2 working days of the closing date of the entries you may be excluded from the draw.

The Draw will be available on the QBA Website www.qba.net.au on **Wednesday 29th April 2015**.

It will be emailed to those players who record their email address in the Tournament software. For further information email info@brisbanebadminton.org

In order to play in D Grade you must be graded D Grade by the Qld Badminton Association Inc or an affiliated Association or club of the Qld Badminton Association Inc or another State Association within Australia.

PLEASE NOTE: This tournament has a court capacity of maximum 90 players. When capacity of the hall is reached entries will be closed.

YOU CAN PLAY A MAXIMUM OF 2 EVENTS. YOU CAN ENTER ONLY IN TWO GRADES i.e YOUR GRADE OR ONE HIGHER.

**The following events will be held on Saturday 2 May 2015
(TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO COMBINE EVENTS
IF SUFFICIENT ENTRIES ARE NOT RECEIVED).**

Mystery A/B Grade Or Open/C Grade	Womens Doubles	C/D Grade	Womens Doubles
Mystery A/B Grade Or Open/C Grade	Mens Doubles	C/D Grade	Mens Doubles
Mystery A/B Grade Or Open/C Grade	Mixed Doubles	C/D Grade	Mixed Doubles
B/C Grade	Womens Doubles	D Grade	Womens Doubles
B/C Grade	Mens Doubles	D Grade	Mens Doubles

NOTE:

Mystery Doubles Events

In these events Open Grade players must play with C graders and A Grade players may play with B graders.

In B/C Grade, two B Graders may not play together.

In C/D Doubles, two C Graders may not play together.

CONDITIONS OF PLAY

1. The tournament will be conducted in accordance with the Laws of Badminton adopted by the Badminton World Federation and the Queensland Badminton Association.
2. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to amend or add to these conditions as may be necessary and to cancel any event for which there are insufficient entries.
3. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to disqualify from any or all events, any player infringing these Conditions of Play or in any way interfering with the conduct of the Tournament.
4. Players must report to the Tournament Controller at least 15 minutes prior to the indicated starting time of their match and must play as directed or forfeit the match. Players not ready to play 5 minutes after a match has been called will be defaulted.
5. All events are being run as round robin events. All Round robin events are expected to be played one game to 31 points without setting using the rally point scoring system.
6. In B/C, two B Grade players may not play together and in C/D two C graders may not play together.
7. Mystery Doubles Events – Open Grade players must play with C grade players. A Grade players may play with B Grade players. In these events you must enter with a partner.
8. In order to play in D Grade you must be graded D Grade by the Qld Badminton Association Inc, or an affiliated Association or club of the Qld Badminton Association Inc or another State Association within Australia.
9. If ungraded you will need to have a grade of Open, A or G grade assigned by a Regional Association or Club. This grade needs to be fair as of people playing well outside of their grade will be disqualified.
10. Finals will only be conducted where there are 2 or more groups in an event.

11. Tournament Grade shuttles will be used exclusively throughout the Tournament.
12. Players **MUST** act as umpire or line judge when called upon to do so. Failure to comply with this condition renders the player liable to disqualification.
13. Players must be attired in correct clothing (i.e. clothing made for badminton, tennis or squash). Beach wear, clothing designed and made for other sports is **NOT** acceptable. Players presenting for play not correctly attired may be disqualified.
14. Tracksuits may be worn during warm up period, but may not be worn during a match.
15. The following must be adhered to in terms of advertising and lettering where that is present on the shirt. Queensland Badminton will allow the Club name to be substituted for country names as long as the club is an approved affiliated club of a regional or state body affiliated with Badminton Australia. Players presenting for play not correctly attired may be disqualified. State Team uniforms will be permitted
16. All players must be registered with the Queensland Badminton Association or through another State Association. Proof of registration may be requested.
17. Players may enter their own Grade or higher. Grades are determined by the Queensland Badminton Association or the other Australian State Association. If in doubt, check with your local association.
18. Entry Fees are to be lodged with entry form, otherwise the entry will be refused. Telephone entries will not be accepted.
19. If the Tournament is interrupted for any reason (power failure etc.) the Tournament Committee reserves the right to postpone any, or all events until such time or date they consider suitable, or to abandon matches or events.
20. Refunds of entry fees are at the sole discretion of the Tournament Committee. **NO** refunds will be made after the draw has been published, except where the Tournament or event is abandoned and then, only at the discretion of the Tournament Committee
21. **ALL** decisions of the Referee (or the responsible official for the time being) are **FINAL**.
22. Warm up time will be limited to (3) minutes per match.
23. Local conditions: It will be a fault if, in play, the shuttle hits the roof or other part of the hall structure.
24. Players are limited to a maximum of 2 events on the day.
25. Players are limited to playing across two grades. Players may play in their grade or one higher.
26. By entering this event, the player hereby agrees and acknowledges that other players, coaches, managers, supporters, spectators, the organisers, administrators and any other person, shall have the right to: photograph and/or record on video all and any games or practice conducted during the course of the event, retain such photographs or video recordings for their own use of whatsoever nature, distribute such photographs or video recordings to any other party, display such photographs or video recordings during the event or any time thereafter, in any form whatsoever (including, but not limited to: promotional displays of the organisers and at any similar event, social network internet sites, the website(s) of the Queensland Badminton Association PROVIDED THAT no such photographs or video recordings shall be used or retained for any illegal immoral or unseemly use or purpose.
27. **Anti-Doping Information** Badminton players in this tournament may be subject to *In - Competition* drug testing. Badminton players, coaches, officials and administrators of this tournament are subject to the Badminton Australia Anti-Doping Policy which has been endorsed by each State/Territory Association. You can obtain a copy of the policy from the Badminton Australia website – www.badminton.org.au - or by phoning the Badminton Australia Office – 03 9397 4722.

28. Medications

Some medications contain prohibited substances. If a player suffers from a medical condition which can only be treated by medication containing a prohibited or banned substance, they must get approval to use this medication. Please see the Australian Sports Drug Agency website - www.asda.org.au and click on "athlete information" or call the ASDA Hotline - 1800 020 506.

Any enquiries in relation to the tournament should be emailed to events@qba.net.au

PLEASE ENSURE YOU ENTER YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS ACCURATELY IN THE TOURNAMENT SOFTWARE.

ENTRY FEES CAN BE TRANSFERRED INTO THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT (leaving your name as a reference):

Bank: Commonwealth Bank

Account Name: Queensland Badminton Association

BSB No: 064001

Account No: 00917468



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