

# **2023 MARYBOROUGH OPEN**

**18<sup>TH</sup> & 19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2023** 

Entry Fee: \$185

**Accreditation Number:** 











## **Tournament Rules and Regulations:**

- 1. This is a TBA Accredited Event. All games will be bowled in accordance with TBA Rules and Regulations
- 2. This is a scratch event open to all TBA registered bowlers.
- 3. This is a single-entry event (No Re-Buys)
- 4. Bowlers must wear acceptable attire. Jeans or Tracksuit pants are not considered acceptable attire.
- 5. Should a tie occur for 24<sup>th</sup> Place after Qualifying or 15<sup>th</sup> Place after Stage 2 the highest last game will break the tie, if a tie occurs for 1<sup>st</sup> Place after Matchplay than a 1 Game play-off will break the tie, anything not covered will come back to the discretion of the Tournament Director/Committee.
- 6. Smoking is not permitted during competition play.
- 7. Please remember before bowling in your first Q Tour South event of the year you must pay the \$20 Membership fee; 2 memberships will need to be paid if you wish to bowl in Handicap and Scratch Divisions throughout the year
- 8. **Refund of Entry Fees** Should a refund of a players entry fee be required because of an event cancellation or approved refund by the tournament director, the full amount paid will be transferred to the players portal as a credit amount. The player then has two options either use the total credit amount for any other tournament that is using online entries or Request a Cash-out of the total credit amount less the processing fee of 3%, please note no deposits will be refunded within 7 days of the event and no full refunds will be given within 48hrs before the commencement of the event.
- 9. Matters not covered herein will be decided by the Tournament Director/Committee, whose decision will be final.
- 10. This centre is TBA registered, and has a government approved Covid plan or guidelines in place
- 11. This accredited event will be held in accordance with any current guidelines as set out by state/territory government, ensuring centre capacity and social distancing requirements are adhered to.
- 12. It is the responsibility of the Centre to be across any other COVID requirements that may be in force, and follow COVID safety plan requirements regarding other areas of business that the centre may conduct.

#### **Tournament Format**

Stage 1: Qualifying bowl 8 games in 4x2 game blocks

Stage 2: Top 24 from Qualifying bowl 4 games in 4x1 game blocks (Pinfall carries over from Stage 1)

Matchplay Final: Top 15 from Stage 2 bowl 7 Games in Tri-Matchplay Format (All pinfall drops from previous stages)

(The lanes will be oiled before each qualifying squad and before Stage 2)

#### Qualifying

A Squad – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> of February

Check-in By: 8am

Squad limited to 24 Bowlers

B Squad – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> of February

Check-in By: 12:30pm

Squad limited to 24 Bowlers

C Squad – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> of February

Check-in By: 5pm

Squad limited to 24 Bowlers

#### Stage 2

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> of February

Check-in By: 8:30am

Top 24 bowlers after Qualifying – 4 Games in 1 game Blocks

(Pinfall carried from Qualifying)

### **Matchplay Final**

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> of February

Check-In by: 11am

Top 15 after Stage 2 bowl 7 games in Tri-Matchplay Format

Bonus Pins: 1<sup>st</sup> 20 pins, 2<sup>nd</sup> 10 pins, 3<sup>rd</sup> 0 Pins

Bonus Pins Ties: Tie for 1st 15 pins each, Tie for 2nd 5 pins each, 3-way tie 10 pins each

(Pinfall drops from previous stages)

The Bowler with the Highest Pinfall including Bonus Pins will be declared the 2023 Maryborough Open Champion.

## **TOUR SPONSORS**



## **PRIZE FUND:**

Prize fund is based on 60 Bowlers:

1st	850
2nd	700
3rd	550
4th	450
5th	400
6th	370
7th	350
8th	330
9th	280
10th	270
11th	260
12th	250
13th	240
14th	230
15th	220
16th	200
17th	195
18th	190
19th	185
20th	180

\*PRIZE FUND WILL BE ADJUSTED BASED ON THE NUMBER OF FULL PAID ENTRIES



