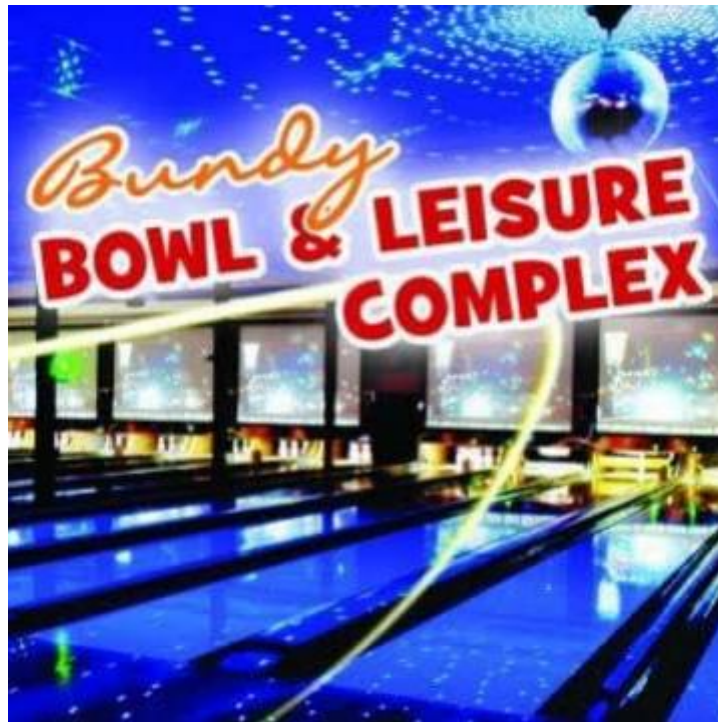# 2023 Bundaberg Open

11th & 12th of November 2023

Held at Bundy Bowl

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 2 Division (Scratch & Handicap) event open to all TBA registered bowlers.

3. Handicap will be 100% of 220, Average must be 190 or less as at 31st of August 2023 to be able to enter into Handicap Division

4. This is a single-entry event (No Re-Buys)

5. Bowlers must wear acceptable attire. Jeans or Tracksuit pants are not considered acceptable attire.

6. Should a tie occur for 20th place in the Scratch division or 8th place in the Handicap division after Qualifying the highest last game will break the tie, also if a tie occurs at the conclusion of Stage 2 for 8th Place or Stage 3 for 4th Place in the Scratch Division, the highest last game in each stage will break the tie. (Highest handicap game in the handicap division).

7. Smoking is not permitted during competition play.

8. 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

9. **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.

10. Matters not covered herein will be decided by the Tournament Director/Committee, whose decision will be final.

11. This centre is TBA registered, and has a government approved Covid plan or guidelines in place

12. 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.

13. 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.

14. **Reminder for this event you will receive double points towards your end of year standings.**

Tournament Format

Stage 1: Qualifying bowl 10 games in 5x2 game blocks

Scratch Division

(Pinfall carries for Stage 2, Top 4 from qualifying have a bye until the Grand Final Stage)

Handicap Division

(Cut to Top 8 to bowl in the Grand Final Stage)

Stage 2: 5th-20th from qualifying bowl 4 games in 4x1 game blocks

(Pinfall carries for Stage 3)

Stage 3: Top 8 from Stage 2 bowl 4 games in 4x1 game blocks

(Pinfall drops for Grand Final Stage, Lanes will be reoiled for Grand Final Stage)

Grand Final Stage: Top 4 from Qualifying join the Top 4 from Stage 3 to establish our Top 8, Top 8 bowl 7 head to head matches receiving 2 points for a win and 1 point for a tie if there is a tie in points at the end of the 7 games than the for and against for pinfall will break the tie.

(The lanes will be oiled before each qualifying squad)

Saturday 11th November

Qualifying

A Squad

Check-in By: 8:30am

Bowl 10 games (5x2 Game Blocks)

Squad limited to 32 Bowlers

B Squad

Check-in By: 1pm

Bowl 10 games (5x2 Game Blocks)

Squad limited to 32 Bowlers

C Squad

Check-in By: 5:30pm

Bowl 10 games (5x2 Game Blocks)

Squad limited to 32 Bowlers

<p align="center">**Sunday 12th November**</p>

<p align="center">**Stage 2 – (Scratch Division Only)**</p>

<p align="center">5th-20th Bowl 4 games (Pinfall Carries)</p>

<p align="center">Check-in By: 7:30am</p>

<p align="center">**Stage 3 – (Scratch Division Only)**</p>

<p align="center">Top 8 from Stage 2 Bowl 4 games (Pinfall Carries)</p>

<p align="center">Check-in By: 9am</p>

<p align="center">**(Lanes Reoiled)**</p>

<p align="center">**Grand Final Stage (Scratch Division and Top 8 from Handicap Division)**</p>

<p align="center">Top 4 from Qualifying join Top 4 from Stage 3 to establish Top 8</p>

<p align="center">Bowl 7 head to head matches</p>

<p align="center">Check-in By: 10:30am</p>

<p align="center">**The bowler with the most points for the Scratch division and the bowler with the most points for the Handicap Division after the Grand Final stage will be declared the 2023 Bundaberg Open Scratch Winner and the 2023 Bundaberg Open Handicap Winner**</p>

PRIZE FUND:

Based on 60 Scratch Bowlers and 30 Handicap Bowlers

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	Scratch	Handicap
1st	800	600
2nd	700	525
3rd	550	450
4th	450	400
5th	400	300
6th	350	225
7th	325	190
8th	280	180
9th	250	170
10th	220	160
11th	210	
12th	205	
13th	200	
14th	195	
15th	190	
16th	185	
17th	180	
18th	175	
19th	170	
20th	165	

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