

2003 ANC ENTRY FEES & ENTRY FORMS

TO:..... State Secretary.....

FROM: ABF TOURNAMENT UNIT CHAIRMAN E.H.RAMSHAW
ANC CONVENER P.NUNN

NOTES:

- ◆ *States must determine and note on the entry form whether their nominees for the ABPC Stage II and the ANC Open, Womens & Senior Teams are entitled to receive Playoff Qualifying Points because they are qualified to represent Australia by birth or citizenship or by residence.*
- ◆ *States must determine the eligibility by noting on the entry form the date of birth of their nominees for the ANC Senior and Youth Teams.*
- ◆ *Trophies presented at the 2003 ANC must be returned for display at ABF Headquarters.*
- ◆ *States are urged to book their requirements for the Functions on the entry form.*
- ◆ *This States Entry Form is available for download from the ABF web site, www.abf.com.au.*
- ◆ *ANC Team Systems must be submitted as electronic copy to webinfo@abf.com.au using the Edward Convention Card Editor. It is the responsibility of the State Secretary to ensure that systems are completed accurately, identify the pairs with their State team, collate and transmit the systems in a maximum of one e-mail per team. Further details are posted on the web site.*
- ◆ *For 2003 system cards, printed from the electronic copy, must be sent to the Chairman of the Tournament Unit at the address below. An additional week has been allowed for system submission.*
- ◆ *Fines, payable to the James O'Sullivan Trust Fund, for late submission of an entry form or a system or an unauthorised withdrawal are increased to \$200 plus GST*

Automatic Entries: 2002 ANC Pairs Winners (Open, Women's, Youth, Senior, & Mixed on the attached trophy list) receive automatic entry to the 2003 ANC. They are not part of the State entry quota but must be listed on the entry form.

Closing Date: State ABPC & ANC entries close 4 weeks prior to commencement of the ANC - 4.00pm Friday June 13th 2003. Entries received after this date must be accompanied by a late entry fee of \$220.

Australian Butler Pairs Championship: Each state is entitled to nominate one pair in Stage II of each of the Open & Women's events, but not the Senior event, at \$310 per pair. Places not filled and vacancies caused by withdrawals after entries close revert to the pool for the progression from Stage I. States whose nominations qualify for Stage III are billed for the entry fee (\$160 per pair) at the conclusion of Stage II.

Australian National Championship:

- The ANC pairs events are all one-day events on Saturday July 19th at 1.30pm.
 - The captain's meeting is on Sunday July 20th at 9.00am.
 - The ANC Teams event starts on Sunday July 20th at 10.30 am and consists of 24-board matches
- Each State is entitled to an Open, Women's, Youth* & Senior** team and three pairs (except NT, one pair) plus the holders and three reserve pairs in each of the Open, Women's, Senior** & Mixed pairs. The entry of Youth* pairs is unlimited. After entries close the field for each of the pairs (22 pairs) is: the holders, the winners of a qualifying event designated by the Convener, the nominations in state order, the reserves in state nomination order, other places in the qualifying event designated by the Convener. After entries close a State may replace one player in a pair who is unavailable for significant cause by a player from the same state. Vacancies caused by all other withdrawals are filled from the reserve list. Note that States are fined \$100 plus GST for each player they nominate for the pairs events who withdraws within one week of that event unless that player is an entrant in both the ABPC Stage III and the ANC Teams.

The State order for 2003 is the order of ANC rotation in which States move left one place each year:

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| NT | VIC | NSW | SA | WA | QLD | ACT | TAS |
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*-Youth players must be born after 31-12-76, except as authorised by the Youth Committee

** -Senior players must be born before 11-7-48 (ABPC), 19-7-48 (ANC Pairs) or 20-7-48 (ANC Teams).

Systems: All events at the 2003 Australian National Championships are subject to the ABF System Regulations as revised to 1st May 1998 (are available on application to the ANC Convener). The Regulations specify that systems must be described on ABF Standard System Cards. Players should complete the Edwards convention card editor available at www.abf.com.au (for preference in 12pt Times New Roman). Players are responsible for correct classification of their system; players in doubt about the correct classification of their system should consult the Convener prior to the closing date. It is the responsibility of the State Secretaries to ensure that systems are completed accurately, identify the pairs with their State team, collate and transmit the systems in a maximum of one e-mail per team to webinfo@abf.com.au. In 2003 system cards, printed from the electronic copy, must be sent to the Chairman of the Tournament Unit at the address below. Systems and Defences should be printed, typed or written legibly in black ink on one side of an A4 sheet. An additional week is allowed for system submission. Systems are permitted as follows:

- **YELLOW** (Highly Unusual Methods): O & W ABPC Stages II & III, Senior Stage B and ANC Teams.
- **RED** (Highly Artificial Conventions), **BLUE & GREEN** systems: ANC Championship events.

Defences: (printed, typed or written legibly in black ink on one side of an A4 sheet) to a **YELLOW** system or to the opening calls that classify a system as **RED** may be used at the table under the conditions specified in the Supplementary Regulations.

System Disclosure: Failure to lodge a system before the deadline may bar a pair from using a **RED** or **YELLOW** system. For the ANC teams, in addition, the offending State pays a fine of \$200 plus GST.

ABPC Stage II, YELLOW systems: To be lodged with the Chairman of the ABF Tournament Unit or CTD **AT THE LATEST** by 5.30pm on Sunday, 13th July 2003. Two identical current ABF Standard system cards plus supplementary notes (maximum two A4 sheets, one side only) providing an adequate summary of the system plus five copies of the complete and detailed system notes.

ANC Teams: Systems must be received earlier than four weeks prior to the commencement of the ANC teams - 4.00pm Friday June 20th 2003. All Systems must be submitted as electronic copy and as a system card printed from that electronic copy according to the instructions above. Supplementary notes may be submitted on one side of a maximum of four A4 sheets. Complete and detailed notes must accompany any **YELLOW** system. A maximum of four **RED** and/or **YELLOW** systems per team is permitted. Each player must bring to the table a current ABF Standard system card identical to that submitted.

State Entry Fee: For 2003 the base rate for the entry fee is \$4620 *including* GST

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| NT | 25% of the base rate | \$1155 <i>including</i> GST |
| TAS | 42.9% of the base rate | \$1980 <i>including</i> GST |
| ACT | 92.9% of the base rate | \$4290 <i>including</i> GST |
| NSW, QLD | 107% of the base rate | \$4950 <i>including</i> GST |
| SA, VIC, WA | the base rate | \$4620 <i>including</i> GST |

Australian Butler Pairs Championship:1

Stage II:

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|-----------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| One Open pair | cost/pair | \$310 <i>including</i> GST |
| One Womens pair | cost/pair | \$310 <i>including</i> GST |

Stage III:

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|-----------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| One Open Pair | cost/pair | \$160 <i>including</i> GST |
| One Womens Pair | cost/pair | \$160 <i>including</i> GST |

Functions:

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| <i>Interstate Welcome Function</i> | cost/person | \$10 <i>including</i> GST |
| <i>Victory Dinner</i> | cost/person | \$65 <i>including</i> GST |

Entry Forms: Please enter/type ABF number, surname, given name(s) and, where applicable, date of birth and status for representing Australia on the forms, sign and return to the Chairman, ABF Tournament Unit together with the entry fees by cheque payable to NTBA ANC Account:

Chairman, ABF Tournament Unit
 E.H.RAMSHAW,
 RSD H101 HAYES DRIVE,
 BALLARAT, VIC 3351.

Please enter **ABF Number, Names and A (Australian by birth/citizenship) or R (Residency)**.
For Senior and Youth Teams please enter the date of birth in the first column.

| ABPC | | ABF NO. | SURNAME | GIVEN NAME(S) | A | R |
|----------|---|---------|---------|---------------|---|---|
| OPEN | 1 | | | | | |
| STAGE II | 1 | | | | | |
| WOMEN | 1 | | | | | |
| STAGE II | 1 | | | | | |

| TEAMS | | ABF NO. | SURNAME | GIVEN NAME(S) | A | R |
|--------|---|---------|---------|---------------|---|---|
| OPEN | 1 | | | | | |
| | 1 | | | | | |
| | 2 | | | | | |
| | 2 | | | | | |
| | 3 | | | | | |
| | 3 | | | | | |
| (N)PC | | | | | | |
| WOMEN | 1 | | | | | |
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| | 2 | | | | | |
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| | 3 | | | | | |
| | 3 | | | | | |
| (N)PC | | | | | | |
| SENIOR | | | | | | |
| | 1 | | | | | |
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| (N)PC | | | | | | |
| YOUTH | | | | | | |
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| | 3 | | | | | |
| (N)PC | | | | | | |

| ANC Pairs | | ABF NO. | SURNAME | GIVEN NAMES |
|-----------|---|---------|---------|-------------|
| YOUTH | 1 | | | |
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AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP AND CONGRESS TROPHIES

2002 WINNERS

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

| | | |
|---------|-----|----------------------|
| OPEN | 1st | “The Herald” Cup |
| | 2nd | “Schaufelberger” Cup |
| WOMEN’S | 1st | “Argus” Cup |
| | 2nd | “W.A.Newspapers” Cup |
| YOUTH | 1st | Cayley - McNeil Cup |
| | 2nd | J & D Cup |
| SENIOR | 1st | Ivy Dahler |
| | 2nd | NTBA Trophy |

TEAMS/Captain

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| SA, Phil Gue |
| NSW, Matthew Thomson |
| ACT, Peter Grant |
| NSW, Debbie Moir |
| SA, Phil Gue |
| ACT, Stephen Hurley |
| NSW, Tom Moss |
| ACT, David Hoffman |

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

| | | |
|---------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| OPEN | 1st | “Truth and Sportsman” Cup |
| | 2nd | |
| | 3rd | |
| WOMEN’S | 1st | “Sullivan” Salviers” |
| | 2nd | |
| | 3 rd | |
| YOUTH | 1st | ABF Trophy |
| | 2nd | |
| | 3rd | |
| SENIOR | 1st | Gerda Stern Trophy |
| | 2nd | |
| | 3rd | |
| MIXED | 1st | “Queensland Newspapers” Trophy |
| | 2nd | |
| | 3 rd | |

PAIRS

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|----------------------------------|
| David Smyth – John Wilson |
| Jamie Ebery– Leigh Gold |
| Zoli Nagy – George Smolanko |
| Inez Glanger – Marcia Scudder |
| Linda Alexander – Allison Fallon |
| Nola Church – Julia Hoffman |
| Fiona Brown – Michael Wilkinson |
| Mark Abraham – James McGowan |
| Daniel Geromboux – Griff Ware |
| Tony Hutton – Bill Westwood |
| Victor Muntz – Boris Tencer |
| David Anderson – Tony Jackman |
| Helen & Charlie Snashall |
| Lynn Lovelock – Kieran Dyke |
| Judy Hocking – Kevin Lange |

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

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|----------|-----|-----------------------------|
| OPEN | 1st | Tim Seres Cup |
| | 2nd | |
| | 3rd | |
| WOMEN | 1st | Ina Belcher Memorial Salver |
| CONGRESS | 1st | James O’Sullivan Cup |

INDIVIDUAL

AUSTRALIAN BUTLER PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

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|---------------------------|--|
| OPEN | D.Beauchamp - P.Fordham; M.McManus - M.Ware; K.Dyke - R.Klinger |
| | N.Noble - M.Prescott; D.Appleton - D.Scully; R.Evans - D.Stern |
| WOMEN | B.Folkard – R.Kaplan; V.Cummings - C.Feitelson; S.Muuray- |
| | White - H.Snashall; N.Bashar - M.Robb; T.Bardon - S.Johnson |
| SENIOR | W.Westwood – R.Januske; J.Brockwell - T.Jackman; L.Clarke - R.Clarke |
| | M.Foster - R.Cowan; K.Daws - C.Schawbegger; J.Ashworth - J.Mottram |
| CONSOLATION RESTRICTED | K.Brook - J.Eddie; C.Baker - J De Ravin; D.Croft - N.Francis |
| | C.Bridgland - M.Porter; D.Geromboux - G.Ware; E.Fanos - D.Ouvrier |