2004 ANC ENTRY FEES & ENTRY FORMS

TO:	State Secretary	
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FROM:	ABF TOURNAMENT UNIT CHAIRMAN	E.H.RAMSHAW
	ANC CONVENER	I COLLING

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 2004 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 webmaster@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
- ♦ Fines, payable to the James O'Sullivan Trust Fund, for late submission of an entry form or a system or an unauthorised withdrawal are \$200 plus GST

Automatic Entries: 2003 ANC Pairs Winners (Open, Women's, Youth, Senior, & Mixed on the attached trophy list) receive automatic entry to the 2004 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 25th 20043. 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 Sunday August 1st at 10.30am.
- The captain's meeting is on Monday August 2nd at 9.00am.
- The ANC Teams event starts on Monday August 2nd 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 each field (22 pairs) is determined as: 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 2004 is the order of ANC rotation in which States move left one place each year:

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^{*-}Youth players must be born after 31-12-77, except as authorised by the Youth Committee

^{**-}Senior players must be born before 23-7-49 (ABPC), 1-8-49 (ANC Pairs) or 2-8-49 (ANC Teams).

Systems: All events at the 2004 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 webmaster@abf.com.au. Supplementary systems sheets and Defences should be printed, typed or written legibly in black ink on one side of an A4 sheet.

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, 25th July 2004. 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 2nd 2004. 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 2004 the base rate for the entry fee is \$4620 including GST

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

Australian Butler Pairs Championship:

Stage II:	One Open pair One Womens pair	cost/pair cost/pair	\$310 including GST \$310 including GST
Stage III:	One Open Pair One Womens Pair	cost/pair cost/pair	\$160 including GST \$160 including GST
Functions:	Interstate Welcome Function Victory Dinner	cost/person	\$25 including GST \$70 including 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 VBA - ANC 2004

Chairman, ABF Tournament Unit

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ENTRY FEES

	ABPCPairs @ \$310 per	r pair including GST	\$
	ANC entry fee including GS	Γ	\$
	Late entry fee (\$220) including	ng GST	\$
	Interstate Welcome Function	captains @ \$25.00 including GSTothers @ \$25.00 including GST	\$ \$
	ANC Victory Dinner	tickets @ \$70.00 including GST	<u>\$</u>
		TOTAL including GST	<u>\$</u>
		be most appreciative if States included the the Victory Dinner on this Entry Form.	eir requirements for the
(State)			
(State))	(Signed)	(State Secretary)
•		to VBA - 2004 and return to the Chairman, A	

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					
	1					
	2					
	2					
	3					
	3					
(N)PC						
SENIOR						
	1					
	1					
	2					
	2					
	3					
	3					
(N)PC						
YOUTH						
	1					
	1					
	2					
	2				1	
	3					
	3					
(N)PC	1				†	

ANC Pairs		ABF NO.	SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES
YOUTH	1			
	1			
	2			
	2			
	3			
	3			
	4			
	4			

ANC PAIRS		ABF NO.	SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES
OPEN	Н			
Holders	Н			
	1			
	1			
	2			
	2			
	3			
	3			
WOMEN	Н			
Holders	Н			
	1			
	1			
	2			
	2			
	3			
	3			
MIXED	Н			
Holders	Н			
	1			
	1			
	2			
	2			
	3			
	3			
SENIOR				
	Н			
	Н			
	1			
	1			
	2			
	2			
	3			
	3			

RESERVES: Enter as required; identify category and rank in the first two columns. e.g. Open 1, Open 2.

RESERVES		SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP AND CONGRESS TROPHIES

2003 WINNERS

AUSTRALIA	N NA	TIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP	TEAMS/Captain
OPEN	1st	"The Herald" Cup	VIC, Robert Fruewirth
	2nd	"Schaufelberger" Cup	SA, Phil Gue
WOMEN'S	1st	"Argus" Cup	NSW, Lynn Kalmin
	2nd	"W.A.Newspapers" Cup	SA, Phil Gue
SENIOR	1st	Ivy Dahler	NSW, Alan Walsh
	2nd	NTBA Trophy	SA, Phil Gue
YOUTH	1st	Cayley - McNeil Cup	ACT, Andrew Struik
	2nd	J & D Cup	SA, Phil Gue

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL	CHAMPIONSHIP	PAIRS
AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL		IAINS

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OPEN	1st	"Truth and Sportsman" Cup	Pauline Gumby - Warren Lazer
	2nd		Janeen Solomon - Neville Francis
	3rd		Jamie Ebery - Leigh Gold
WOMEN'S	1st	"Sullivan" Salvers"	Inez Glanger – Marcia Scudder
	2nd		Val Cummings - Candice Feitelson
	$3^{\rm rd}$		Rachel Krasenstein - Debbie Frankel
SENIOR	1st	Gerda Stern Trophy	Jim Branton - Charlie Schawbeggar
	2nd		Shira Shilbury - Joan Tousz
	3rd		Tony Marinos - Peter Kahler
MIXED	1st	"Queensland Newspapers" Trophy	Meta Goodman - Tony Jackman
	2nd		Betty Lee - Mike Robson
	$=3^{rd}$		Ivy Dahler - Keith McDonald;
			Helen & Charlie Snashall
YOUTH	1st	ABF Trophy	Fiona Brown – Tony Nunn
	2nd		Mark Abraham – James McGowan
	3rd		Arian Lasocki - Michael Porter

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

ODEN	1	Time Comes Com
OPEN	1st	Tim Seres Cup

2nd

3rd

WOMEN 1st Ina Belcher Memorial Salver

CONGRESS 1st James O'Sullivan Cup

AUSTRALIAN BUTLER PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

OPEN N.Croft - J.Haffer; P.Reynolds - N.Rosendorff; R.Klinger - Z.Nagy; B.Neill -

J.Roberts; M.Prescott - P.Gill; A.Delivera - I.Robinson

WOMEN V.Cummings - C.Feitelson; B.Folkard - M.Watts; S.Lusk - T.Tully; F.Lyons -

L.Lovelock; K.Moses - W.Halvorsen; W.Driscoll - D.Greenfeld

SENIOR W.Westwood – R.Evans; D.Anderson - D.Mortimer; L.Clarke - R.Clarke; R.Crichton

- P.Grant; T.Piper - J Ashworth; E.Havas - G.Danta

M.Foster - R.Cowan; K.Daws - C.Schawbegger; J.Ashworth - J.Mottram

INDIVIDUAL

CONSOLATION W.Ashton - T.Nunn; Gauld - M.Abraham; J.Ebery - L.Gold

RESTRICTED R.Thomson - M.Weddell; D.Ouvrier - E.Fanos; L.McIntyre - T.Hobson