#### 2007 ANC ENTRY FEES & ENTRY FORMS

ГО:		State/Territory:	
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Significant	Entry	Systems	ABPC	Other Pairs	ANC Teams
Dates	8 <sup>th</sup> June	17 <sup>th</sup> June	6 <sup>th</sup> July	12 <sup>th</sup> July	16 <sup>th</sup> July

#### **NOTES:**

- ♦ CHANGE ELIGIBILITY. Following discussions with the Youth Committee, the eligibility requirement for Youth is now "born on or after 1-1-(current year 26)"
- ♦ CHANGE FORMAT. The 2007 Senior ABPC consists of three stages concurrent with the Open & Womens ABPC. States are entitled to nominate one pair for Stage II of the Open & Womens categories but not the Senior category.
- ♦ CHANGE ANC Team. Commence Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July
- ♦ CHANGE SYSTEM SUMMARY. As in 2006 ANC Team Systems must be disclosed using the exception form. It is the responsibility of the State/Territory Secretary to ensure that system summaries are completed accurately, identify the pairs by State/Territory and team category, collate and transmit the systems in a maximum of one e-mail per team to webmaster@abf.com.au before 4.00pm Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2007.
- ◆ States/Territories must determine and note on the entry form whether their nominees for the ABPC Stage II and the ANC Open, Women's & Senior Teams are entitled to receive Playoff Qualifying Points because they are qualified to represent Australia by birth or citizenship or by residence.
- ♦ States/Territories must determine the eligibility of their nominees for the ANC Senior and Youth Teams by noting their date of birth on the entry form.
- ♦ All fees include GST
- ♦ States/Territories are urged to book their requirements for the Functions on the entry form.
- ♦ This Entry Form is available for download from the ABF web site, www.abf.com.au.
- ♦ Fines, payable to the James O'Sullivan Trust Fund, for late submission of an entry form or a system summary or an unauthorised withdrawal of a pair are \$220.
- ♦ Limited places in the ANC pairs are available to any pair of players, from the same State/Territory, who enter on the supplementary list to webmaster@abf.com.au before 12<sup>th</sup> July 2007 and pay the entry fee of \$80 per pair before play commences.

Youth players must be born on or after 1-1-1981 except as authorised by the Youth Committee. Senior players must be born before 1-1-1950.

#### STATE/TERRITORY ENTRIES:

**Closing Date:** State/Territory ABPC & ANC entries close 4 weeks prior to commencement of the ANC - 4.00pm Friday June 8<sup>th</sup> 2007. Entries received after this date must be accompanied by the late entry fee of \$220.

Australian Butler Pairs Championship:

- Each State/Territory is entitled to nominate one pair for Stage II in each of the Open & Women's events. The entry fee of \$330 per pair entitles that pair to free entry to Stage I.
- Stage II places not filled and vacancies caused by withdrawals after entries close revert to the pool for the progression from Stage I.
- States/Territories whose nominations qualify to Stage III are invoiced for the Stage III entry fee (\$180 per pair) at the conclusion of Stage II.

#### Australian National Pairs Championships:

- The ANC pairs events are all one-day events on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July commencing at 10.30am.
- Age limits apply to Youth & Senior Events see notes above.
- **Automatic Entries:** 2006 ANC Pairs Winners (Open, Women's, Youth, Senior, & Mixed on the attached trophy list) receive automatic entry to the 2007 ANC Pairs. They are not part of the State/Territory entry quota but must be listed on the entry form.
- Other Entries: Each State/Territory is entitled to three pairs except NT (one pair plus one reserve) plus the holders in each of the Open, Women's, Senior & Mixed pairs. The entry of Youth pairs is unlimited.

After State/Territory entries close each field (maximum 24 pairs) is determined as: the holders, the nominations progressively taking single entries from each State/Territory in rotation order then from the supplementary list in rotation order. (States/Territories move left one place each year)

2007 Rotation | WA | QLD | ACT | TAS | NT | VIC | NSW | SA

After entries close States/Territories may replace one player in their nominations who is unavailable for significant cause by a player from the same State/Territory. Vacancies caused by all other withdrawals are filled from the supplementary list. Note that States/Territories are fined \$220 for each pair they nominate for the pairs events who withdraws within one week of that event.

#### Australian National Teams Championship:

- The captains' meeting is on Monday July 16<sup>th</sup> at 9.00am at the venue.
- The ANC Teams event starts on Monday July 16<sup>th</sup> at 10.30am and consists of 24-board matches.
- Each State/Territory is entitled to an Open, Women's, Youth & Senior team.
- Age limits apply to Youth & Senior Events see notes above.

#### SYSTEMS:

All events at the 2007 Australian National Championships are subject to the ABF System Regulations as revised to September 2006 which specify that systems must be described on ABF Standard System Cards.

Players are required to complete the system summary exception report and 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. Supplementary systems sheets and Defences should be printed, typed or written legibly in black ink on one side of an A4 sheet.

Each player must bring to the table a current ABF Standard system card with a detailed description of the summarised system.

#### Systems are permitted as follows:

- Each team may register up to four systems but a pair is restricted to one YELLOW system
- YELLOW (Highly Unusual Methods). Open/Women/Senior ABPC Stages II/III, ANC Teams
- GREEN, BLUE, RED and BROWN Sticker systems are permitted in all events.

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

**System Disclosure:** Failure to lodge a system summary before the deadline may bar a pair from using a BROWN Sticker or YELLOW system. For the ANC teams, in addition, the offending State/Territory pays a fine of \$220.

**ABPC Stage II/B YELLOW systems:** Two identical current system cards (ABF Standard or WBF) 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 must be lodged with the ABF Tournament Unit Chairman or CTD **AT THE LATEST** by 5.30pm on Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> July 2007.

*ANC Teams:* System summary exception forms must be received earlier than four weeks prior to the commencement of the ANC teams - 4.00pm Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2007. All System summaries must be submitted

- ♦ before 4.00pm Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2007
- as electronic copy in a maximum of one e-mail per team to webmaster@abf.com.au
- with pairs identified by State/Territory and team category.

Supplementary notes may be submitted on one side of a maximum of four A4 sheets. Complete and detailed notes must accompany any YELLOW system and five copies of these system notes must be lodged with the CTD before the captains' meeting.

State/Territory Entry Fee: For 2007 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	100% of the base rate	\$4620 including GST

#### **Australian Butler Pairs Championship:**

Stage II:	One Open pair	cost/pair	\$330 including GST
	One Womens pair	cost/pair	\$330 including GST
Stage III:		cost/pair	\$180 including GST
<b>Functions:</b>	Interstate Welcome Function	cost/person	\$25 including GST
	Victory Dinner/Dance	cost/person	\$85 including GST

#### PRE-ORDERED FUNCTION TICKETS FOR ARE DELIVERED TO ONE PERSON.

# PLEASE INDICATE THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING THESE TICKETS.

#### **Entry Forms:** Please

- enter/type ABF number, surname, given name(s) and, where applicable, date of birth and status for representing Australia on the entry forms
- complete and sign the summary sheet of entry fees
- return all to the Chairman, ABF Tournament Unit
- with the entry fees by cheque payable to "PERTH ANC"

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

## **ENTRY FEES**

## **Summary Sheet**

ABPCPairs @ \$330 per pair including GST	\$
ANC entry fee including GST	\$
Late entry fee \$220 including GST	\$
Interstate Welcome Functioncaptains @ \$25.00 incl	uding GST \$
others @ \$25.00 include	ding GST \$
TO BE COLLECTED BY	••••••
ANC Victory Dinnertickets @ \$85.00 include	ding GST <u>\$</u>
TO BE COLLECTED BY	
TOTAL including GS	ST <u>\$</u>
The Organising Committee would be most appreciative if Stat requirements for the Interstate Welcome Function and the Vic Form.	
(State/Territory)(Signed)	(Secretary)

Please enter ABF Number, Names and A (Australian by birth/citizenship) or R (Residency). For Senior and Youth Teams & Pairs 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					

<b>TEAMS</b>		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					
	3					
	3					
(N)PC	I					

<b>ANC Pairs</b>		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:** One per category available for NT only. Entries for the Youth Pairs are unrestricted.

RESERVES	ABF NO.	SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES
OPEN			
WOMEN			
SENIOR			

### **CAPTAINS' MOBILE NUMBERS**

Category	Captain	Mobile Number
OPEN		
WOMEN		
SENIOR		
YOUTH		

### AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES

#### **2006 WINNERS**

<b>AUSTRALI</b> A OPEN	AN NAT 1st 2nd	TIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP  "The Herald" Cup  "Schaufelberger" Cup	<b>TEAMS/Captain</b> NSW, David Wiltshire VIC, Laurie Kelso
WOMEN'S	1st 2nd	"Argus" Cup "W.A.Newspapers" Cup	VIC, Martin Willcox NSW, Peter Jamieson
SENIOR	1st 2nd	Ivy Dahler NTBA Trophy	ACT, Len Dixon WA, Hilary Yovich
YOUTH	1st 2nd	Cayley - McNeil Cup Greenfield Trophy	SA, Will Jenner-O'Shea QLD, Richard Touton
Steve Hurley	Trophy	Highest datum score - Open Teams	Jeff Fust – Wally Scott
AUSTRALIA	AN NA	ΓΙΟΝΑL CHAMPIONSHIP	PAIRS
OPEN Barne	1st	"Truth and Sportsman" Cup	David Wiltshire - Edward
Danie	s 2nd		Ben Thompson - Ian McCance
WOMEN'S	1st 2nd	"Sullivan" Salvers	Shirra Shilbury - Joan Touyz Judy Marks - Julianne Rocks
SENIOR Volframs	1st	Gerda Stern Trophy	Robert Morris - Arnold
VOIII	2nd		Peter Chan - John Puskas
MIXED	1st 2nd	"Queensland Newspapers" Trophy	Sue Emerson - Attilio De Luca Meredith Woods - Dan Hohor
YOUTH	1st 2nd	ABF Trophy	Jeremy Rosen - Martin Wardle Robin Stevenson - S Yuen
AUSTRALIA	AN NA'	ΓΙΟΝΑL CHAMPIONSHIP	INDIVIDUAL
OPEN	1st 2nd 3rd	Tim Seres Cup	
WOMEN CONGRESS	1st 1st	Ina Belcher Memorial Salver James O'Sullivan Cup	

## AUSTRALIAN BUTLER PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

OPEN	B Neill - A Peake, P Gill - P Gosney, N Rosendorff - N Zeller,
	D Wiltshire - K Dyke, P Markey - A Mill, J Zollo - A Eddie
WOMEN	P Schroor - R Kaplan, N Bashar - K Moses, S Weal - K Yule,
	I Glanger - M Scudder, T Tully - S Lusk, F Wilson - M Wilson
SENIOR	M Dilks - R Gallus, P Grant - T Hancock, T Piper - J Ashworth,
	R Bignall - R Januszke, T Berger - E Berger, B Clarke - P Colmer
ANC SWISS	J Hughes - M Prescott, S Richman - A Richman, A Glasson - B Glasson,
	M Rhodes, R Rhodes, S Fischer - M Bookallil, D McLeish - P McLeish
RESTRICTED	D.Sandhu – N.Sandhu

## **ANC 2007 SYSTEM SUMMARY**

State/Territory	Open/Womens/Seniors/Youth	
Names	Captain	

If your bid has any of the following meanings no further disclosures are required but you are still required to send a blank declaration

Bid	Description	Disclosures
	Basic System Description  GREEN BLUE RED BROWN STICKER	
1C	Strong Club <b>OR</b> Natural 3+ AND 11 HCP	
1D	Natural 3+ AND 11 HCP	
1H	Natural 4+ AND 11 HCP	
1S	Natural 4+ AND 11 HCP	
1NT	Any Balanced Hand fully contained within an 11 to 18 HCP range.	
2C	Acol OR Strong <b>AND/OR</b> Natural 11-15 with or without Major	
2D	Acol AND/OR Strong AND/OR Natural 11-15 with or without Major AND/OR A Weak Two Bid in D or in a major AND/OR 5+/5+ Colour/Rank/Odd	

## **ANC 2007 SYSTEM SUMMARY**

State/Territory		Open/Women's/Seniors
Names		Captain
2Н	Acol AND/OR Strong AND/OR Natural 11-15 with or without Major AND/OR A Weak Two Bid in H AND/OR 5+/5+ Colour/Rank/Odd	
2S	Acol AND/OR Strong AND/OR Natural 11-15 with or without Major AND/OR A Weak Two Bid in S AND/OR 5+/5+ Colour/Rank/Odd	
2NT	Strong <b>AND/OR</b> Minors <b>AND/OR</b> 5+/5+ Colour/Rank/Odd	
T.	Please describe any other opening OR	other bids OR treatments which require a pre-alert
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## ANC 2007 YELLOW SYSTEM SUMMARY/DEFENCE

State/Territory	Open/Women's/Seniors
Names	Captain

Bid	Meaning	Suggested Defence	Opponents Notes/Further Bidding
Pass			
1C			
1D			
1Н			
1S			
1NT			
2C			
2D			
2Н			
2S			
2NT			