

2020 Australian Seniors' Team Playoff
Information for Captains

Quarter-Final draw (128 boards - 8 x 16 board stanzas)

Lorentz v Waters

Robinson v Reynolds

(In each match, the first named team will carry-forward 0.1 IMPs)

Braithwaite and **Thomson** have a bye to the Semi-Finals, commencing on Monday, December 9

Session times (each day, 4 x 16 board stanzas)

9.30 am - 11.38 pm

11.50 pm - 1.58 pm

2.30 pm - 4.38 pm

4.50 pm - 6.58 pm

Lunches

Lunches will be provided to all players free of charge. Available options, including for those with special dietary requirements, will be listed on an order sheet at the start of each day.

Players should complete the form and hand it to me before the start of the first stanza.

(Special arrangements have been made for pairs not playing in that stanza. They may complete the form on arrival at the venue.) Lunches will be served in the hotel restaurant.

Seating rights

Captains toss for seating rights with the winner of the toss electing to have choice of opponents in either the odd- or even-numbered stanzas.

Board rule

In order for the winning team to qualify to the next stage, all Nominated Pairs in the team must play at least 4 stanzas in each match. (Notwithstanding, if a player is unavailable with due cause, the CTD may deem that the player has fulfilled the board rule and allow the team to proceed to the next stage.)

Refunds and Player Subsidies

Refunds will be given to players depending upon when their team is eliminated. \$870 if they lose in the Quarter-Final round, \$435 if they lose in the Semi-Final round and no refund to the two finalists.

Refunds and player subsidies for each team will be paid in one net amount into a nominated bank account as soon as practicable after the Playoffs finish.

Please contact Jane Rasmussen secretariat@abf.com.au with your nominated person and bank account details.

Convention cards

System cards may be viewed at:

<http://www.abfevents.com.au/events/playoffs/2020/sw/conventions.asp#conv>

Supplementary Regulations

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The full regulations can be found at:

<http://www.abfevents.com.au/events/playoffs/2020/sw/docs/2020SupplementaryRegulations.pdf>

Bridge Base Online

It is anticipated that there will be BBO broadcast of one match from either the Women's or Seniors' event in every stanza.

Further questions

Any queries should be directed to me at this email address.

matmc@internode.on.net

Looking forward to seeing you on Saturday, December 7 (or Monday, December 9).

Cheers,

Matt