

## Venue

Burton and Garran Hall, Daley Rd,  
Australian National University, Canberra.  
The entrance to the playing area is at the  
north-west corner of the central building.

## National Playoff

The 2 highest-placed Australian Teams of 4,  
with all four players born on or after 1/1/1975,  
in the Australian Youth Teams Championship  
qualify for the National Playoff on 19 January,  
the winners of which, with a third pair to be  
added, will represent Australia in the World  
Junior Teams near Rio de Janeiro in Brazil in  
August 2001 and (subject to confirmation) also  
in the PABF Teams in Singapore in June 2001.  
Unavailable players will be replaced as  
determined by the ABF Youth Committee.

## Trans Tasman Challenge

On the January 13-14 weekend, there will be an  
international competition at Burton and Garran  
Hall between New Zealand's Youth Team and  
some Australian Youth Teams. Everyone is  
invited to come along and kibitz top youth  
bridge; details at [www.abf.com.au/newyouth](http://www.abf.com.au/newyouth)

## Prizes

Trophies and prizes will be awarded in two  
categories in both the Pairs and the Teams:

Under 30 - born on or after 1/1/71

Under 20 - details as advised on site.

Gold Master Points will be awarded.

## Subsequent Events

If you decide to stay after January 19 for the  
Summer Festival of Bridge, full-time students  
receive a half-price discount.

## Travel

**AIR:** If you quote the ABF's Ansett master file  
account number XP02164, you will receive full  
flexibility to book at the last minute and to  
change departure dates, with 50% off the full  
economy fare (about the same cost as the  
normal Advance Purchase flights).

**BUS/TRAIN:** Dial-a-Coach at 1800-020-007  
(e.g. Sydney-Canberra return \$46-20 full-time  
students or \$68-20 non-students). Bus and train  
travellers will be met at Canberra station by  
prior arrangement. Train line goes to Sydney.

**CAR:** For lifts from Sydney, contact Peter Gill.  
From Barry Drive, enter ANU at traffic lights  
via North Rd. Take first right into Daley Rd &  
Burton and Garran is about 500m on the right.  
From Clunies-Ross St, enter ANU via Dickson  
Rd. Turn left into Daley Rd and Burton and  
Garran Hall buildings are on your left.

## Accommodation (pay on arrival)

Please stay at the venue if at all possible as it  
assists our financing of the event as well as any  
transport arrangements. Book via the Convenor.

The venue - Burton and Garran Hall - provides  
single room accommodation, with bed, linen,  
tea and coffee facilities. Shared bathroom and  
kitchen. It's fairly civilised.  
BYO utensils and gear if planning to cook.

**SPECIAL RATE** (please book via entry form)  
\$104-15 per week without breakfast  
(or \$18-50 per night)  
For rates with meals, contact the Convenor.

Billeting arranged on request.



**The Australian Bridge Federation**

Incorporated (ARBN 053 651 666)

presents

the 32nd annual

# Australian Youth Championships

for under 30 pairs & teams

**ANU, Canberra**

**January 15 - 19, 2001.**

**Tournament Director:**

**Matthew McManus**

## Entry Form

Note: 1 entry per pair / team is adequate. Please do **not** include money. Fees will be collected at the table at the start of the event. Entries close at 5pm on 12 January 2001.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

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PHONE.....

EMAIL:.....

ABF Number.....

Date of Birth.....

I enter the Australian Youth Pairs with:  
Partner.....

I enter the Australian Youth Teams with:  
(please label captain)  
2) .....  
3) .....  
4) .....

If ACCOMMODATION required at venue:

Arrival date.....

Departure date.....

Entries to: Peter Gill, 2/94 Windsor Rd  
Dulwich Hill NSW 2203

or email entries to [gillp@bigpond.com](mailto:gillp@bigpond.com)

or enter at [www.abf.com.au/newyouth](http://www.abf.com.au/newyouth)

Electronic entries will be confirmed. If no reply received, please contact the Convenor.

## Timetable

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> 1-30pm: Pairs 1st session  
7-30pm: Pairs 2nd session  
Tues 16<sup>th</sup> 10-30am: Pairs 3rd session  
2-30pm: Pairs 4th session  
6-00pm: Barbecue  
Wed 17<sup>th</sup> 11-30am: Free seminar  
1-30pm: Teams 1st session  
7-30pm: Teams 2nd session  
Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> 11-00am: Teams 3rd session  
1-30pm: Teams 4th session  
5-00pm: Brainstorming  
7-30pm: Teams 5th session  
Fri 19<sup>th</sup> 10-00am : National Playoff  
11-00am : Speedball (90 minutes)  
1-30pm: Board-a-Match Teams

### Notes:

1. Tuesday's BBQ is free for all players. Lifts to Weston Park will be provided.
2. On Jan 13-14 you may kibitz an Australia v NZ International Youth match., from 2pm on the 13<sup>th</sup> and from 11am on the 14<sup>th</sup>.
3. The free Seminar on the Wednesday will be about 50 minutes of fun and education by a leading player.
4. Thursday's 40 minute Brainstorming session is an opportunity for everyone to suggest how to make Youth Bridge better.
5. Friday's Speedball and BAM teams are for those who don't make the National Playoff.
6. Timetable for the Teams Championship may be varied, subject to entries.

## Eligibility

You must be born on or after 1/1/1971. To be eligible for the National Playoff on the Friday, all four players in the team must be Australians born on or after 1/1/1975.

## Cost (inclusive of GST)

Pairs: \$25 per person (full time students \$10).  
Teams: \$35 per person (full time students \$15).  
All fees payable at the table.  
Venue accommodation costs payable on arrival.

Financial assistance is available this year. Two sponsors have kindly offered to assist those in genuine financial hardship; one sponsor will help with the expenses of those who cannot otherwise attend, and another sponsor will assist with the expenses of those who need financial aid in order to be able to stay on for the Nationals after the Youth week finishes. For details, contact the Convenor.

## Convenor

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**Additional Contact**  
**In Canberra - Dorothy Jesner**  
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Phone: 02 6251 3664

## System Regulations

Some complex systems (e.g. forcing pass systems) are not permitted. Contact Convenor or see [www.abf.com.au/newyouth](http://www.abf.com.au/newyouth)

## Website

For further information, see the ABF Youth Website at [www.abf.com.au/newyouth](http://www.abf.com.au/newyouth)