





# 2016 QUEENSLAND SCHOOL SPORT TEAM TENNIS COMPETITION

Represent your school in a fun teams event Test your skills against teams from across your region

# **Queensland School Sport Team Tennis Competition**

The Queensland School Sport Team Tennis Competition is open to all secondary schools in Queensland and provides a pathway to the State Final in Rockhampton and the national final for the winner. Each school has the opportunity to nominate teams at regional ties throughout Queensland.

# Teams

Each team must consist of four to five players. There are separate competitions for boys and girls. Thus teams can only be made up by solely boys or girls.

# Cost

Teams must pay a fee of \$60 (incl. GST) to participate in the Regional ties. Payments must be received via direct deposit prior to the competition. No additional cost will be incurred for participation at the State Final.

# **About**

All matches are played using a timed FAST4 format. Each team is guaranteed to play at least three matches on the day. Teams play four singles and two doubles rubbers where possible.

All teams must play in school uniforms, with hats being compulsury for participation.

# Software

All ties will be run using the new Tennis competition software. Players will be able to access their results online at <u>www.leagues.tennis.com.au</u>

# Format

All matches are played using FAST4 format. Each team is guaranteed to play at least three matches on the day. Teams play four singles and two doubles rubbers where possible. Each rubber will be played as a FAST4 set:

- first to 4 games
- tie-breaker at 3 games all
- no ad-scoring
- play lets

For more information on rules and player eligibility please refer to the rules of the competition.

#### **State Final**

The winning boys and girls team at each regional final of the event will be invited to compete at the State Final.

The State Final will be from 15-16 September 2017 at the Rockhampton Regional Tennis Centre. Players must be available for all days of competition, however a reserve may be called in the case of injury/withdrawl if needed.

Queensland Secondary School Team Tennis Competition					
Region	Venue	Green ball	<b>Entries close</b>		
Capricornia	Rockhampton Regional Tennis Centre	4 August	18 July		
Darling Downs	Toowoomba Tennis Association	25 July	18 July		
South Coast	Gold Coast Albert Junior Tennis Club	17 August	29 July		
Metropolitan East	Griffith University Tennis Centre (Mt Gravatt)	22 August	29 July		
Metropolitan North	Shaw Park Tennis Centre	15 August	29 July		
Metropolitan West	Queensland Tennis Centre	16 August	29 July		
North	Tennis Townsville	19 August	29 July		
North West	Copper City Tennis Club	22 July	18 July		
Peninsula	Cairns International Tennis Centre	21 July	18 July		
South West	Chinchilla Tennis Association	12 August	18 July		
Sunshine Coast	Sunshine Coast Regional Tennis Centre	25 July	18 July		
Wide Bay	Bundaberg & District Junior Tennis Association	5 August	18 July		
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# Queensland Secondary School Team Tennis Competition Entry Form

Team Name:			
School:			
Billing Address:			
Player 1:	D.O.B:	Email:	Gender:
Player 2:	D.O.B:	Email:	Gender:
Player 3:	D.O.B:	Email:	Gender:
Player 4:	D.O.B:	Email:	Gender:
Player 5:	D.O.B:	Email:	Gender:
Team Manager:		Phone:	
Email:			

# Payment Method

Direct Deposit: Tennis Queensland, BSB 064-000 Acc No. 12745432 (Please reference your school name and QSSTTC)

# **Tournament Conditions**

This event is sanctioned by Tennis Queensland and will be conducted in accordance with the laws of the game adopted by Tennis Australia. You acknowledge that as a participant in the tournament you are required to comply with various rules and policies.

#### ONLY PLAYERS BORN IN 1999 OR AFTER AND ARE ENROLLED IN THE SCHOOL ARE ELIGIBLE

By lodging an entry into this event, you agree to comply with and confirm that you understand:

- Tennis Code of Behaviour
- Tennis Etiquette and Rules for Non-Umpired Matches
- Tennis Queensland Extreme Heat Policy

If you do not understand the above rules and policies and/or your obligation under them, you should seek clarification from Tennis Queensland before you complete this form.

It is recommended that all schools review the above mentioned policies prior to signing this entry form. These policies can be viewed on the Tennis Queensland web site: *www.tennis.com.au/qld* 

#### **More Information**

Entry forms should be returned to Marc Wittmann at *mwittmann@tennis.com.au* 

Please note that the finalised draw and schedule for each Regional final will be emailed to team managers prior to the start of the event. Also, to allow for travel each Regional final will start at 9:00 am with a managers meeting to be held at 8.40am.

If you require any further information regarding the event, please contact Marc Wittmann on (07) 3120 7909 or email: mwittmann@*tennis.com.au*.