



***29 FEBRUARY – 1 MARCH
2020***

VENUES: Devonport, Latrobe, Penguin

EVENT CONDITIONS

1. Each team must supply two score bench person for each of their games including all finals, unless specifically requested not to do so.

2. Each team must supply a referee for the tournament who will be required to officiate at least 4 games during the weekend. These games may not be the games that the team plays in, each nominated Referee will liaise with the referee co-ordinator in the week prior to the tournament regarding their skills and availability. The referee will be placed on games that match these requirements. Referees can still request preference to officiate the games that a specific team plays in but will not be guaranteed these appointments.

Teams are required to negotiate remuneration with their referee for these 4 games, if the referee agrees to complete additional games to the above requirements BTAS will pay the official BTAS rate for any additional games.

Teams who are unable to fulfil the above requirement can elect to pay BTAS an additional fee of \$165 (inc. GST). BTAS will then assume all responsibility for the teams referee requirements.

Teams are required to contact their preferred referee prior to completing the team entry form and must complete all details on the entry form for their Referee, including full name, email address and phone number, failure to do so will result in the additional fee being invoiced to the team.

A single referee can be nominated for a maximum of 3 teams, with the requirement being that they will referee at least 4 games per team.

3. Permit players are not permitted for the pre-season Tournament.

4. Twelve players may be nominated and all 12 may play in any one game. Players must play one game prior to the Grand Final to qualify to play in the Grand Finals. (Players must be uniformly attired and be ready to play sitting on the players bench. The bench chair will cross out any player not present during the game immediately following the completion of the game). Players are only permitted to play in 1 team during the competition.

5. 4 X10 minute quarters will be played, 1-minute break between 1st & 3rd quarters, 2 minutes at half time, clock will stop for time-outs, and in the last 2 minutes of the 4th quarter will be fully timed if the score difference is 10 points or less.

Substitutions will not be permitted in the last minute of the first 3 quarters, except at the referees discretion ie injury, player fouled out.

6. Time Outs: 2 in 1st half, 3 in 2nd half with a maximum of 2 in the last 2 minutes of the 4th quarter.

7. Shot clock will be in operation for Under 14, Under 16 and Under 18 competitions where available in the venue. Under 14 shot clock will start when the ball crosses into the offensive teams front court.

8. Three minutes warm-up will be allowed.

9. We will aim for each team to play a minimum of 4 games however this is not always possible. Three games are guaranteed. Four games are preferred.

10. Drawn games will stay a draw except for finals where 3 minutes overtime will be played.

11. Admission charges for 2020

Players and Adults - \$5 per day

Non-playing children (Under 16) - \$3 per day

Concessions - \$3 per day

Family (2 adults, 3 children) - \$15 per day or \$25 for weekend.

Players can be included in the family passes.

12. Match balls will be indoor leather Molten balls with the following sizes:

Size 5 U10G, U10B, U12G, U12B.

Size 6 U14G, U14B, U16G, U18G.

Size 7 U16B, U18B.

13. T-shirts, regardless of style, may not be worn under a playing singlet, even if a medical certificate is provided.

14. Undergarments and other equipment are allowed according to FIBA rules, please review these rules if necessary.

15. Appropriate sponsorship only may be displayed on the playing gear.

16. In the event of teams finishing with the same number of wins at the end of the round robin series, the method of determining positions will be that contained in the Official Basketball Rules i.e. only the game(s) between the teams concerned will be taken into account.

17. All players and officials are to be registered members of Basketball Tasmania in 2020 - officials may be registered elsewhere as a player but if not, they are to be registered as non-playing officials.

18. In submitting their entry, associations have certified that all requirements of Basketball Tasmania have been met, including those relating to the National Member Protection Policy.

19. In the event of a clash of colours, any team in unofficial colours will be required to change. If both teams are in official colours the first named team is required to change their uniforms.

20. Under 12 and 14 competitions will have 3 point baskets count, the 3 point line will be the 3 point line closest to the basket.

21. The use of Zone Defence is not allowed in Under 14, Under 12 and Under 10 competition. Zone Defence is defined as being any defence in the half court which does not incorporate normal man to man defensive principles. The host association will appoint an observer (Zone Buster) who will be called upon only by the Match Manager to adjudicate on an issue which has been raised. Only the Match Manager may call upon the observer and only then if the Match Manager is satisfied that the allegation is based on a genuine belief that Zone Defence was being played. If the observer is satisfied that Zone Defence has been played, the Match Manager will be advised and that person will issue an official warning to the offending coach. Offenders will be entitled to one warning only, for the duration of this specific event. Should there be a further transgression during the same event whether it be during the same or a subsequent match, the Match Manager will request the referees (through the Scoretable Chair) to charge the offending coach with a Technical Foul and from that point on, during the match in progress and all future matches in the particular event, normal Technical Foul penalties will apply.

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