

POT BLACK

2015 SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIP



Sanctioned National Ranking Tournament



Venue – BRUNSWICK CLUB

Saturday October 31st – Elimination rounds
Sunday November 1st – Last 16

\$8,000 Prize Money

Field limited to 64 entries. Entries close Wed Oct 21st
(First 64 entries received with payment)

Major Sponsors: CLS, Brunswick Club & VBSA



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Entry Fee:

Players ranked in the top 60 (Current Aust ranking) \$80
Ranked outside the top 60, Ladies, Juniors/Seniors \$40

TOURNAMENT FORMAT:

- ❖ National and state ranking event, open to all players.
- ❖ Saturday 9am start elimination matches, all matches best of 5. Played down to the last 16 NOTE: 2 last 16 matches will be played on Sat)
- ❖ Losing players will be required to referee or pay \$30 to a qualified referee
- ❖ Sunday 10am start - Last 16 knockout stage Best of 5 Frame Matches to reduce to final which will be best of 7 frames
- ❖ Prize money - Winner \$2200, Second \$1200, SF \$700, L8 \$400, L16 \$200. Best Break (100+) \$200.
- ❖ Seeding will be as per the Australian rankings - 2014 winner seeded 1.
- ❖ Referees are supplied on Sunday.
- ❖ Dress code - ABSC dress code applies: Long sleeve predominately plain coloured shirts buttoned at the wrist, dress trousers, bow ties and dark colour dress shoes must be worn for all matches, waistcoat is required from the quarter finals onwards. Incorrectly attired players shall forfeit the right to play.
- ❖ Players may be subjected to Drug testing in accordance with the ABSC Drugs in Sport Policy. The policy is available at [ABSC anti-doping policy](#)

CONDITIONS OF PLAY (By purchasing an entry players agree to these conditions of play)

- 1) Entries only accepted if they are on the official entry form, accompanied by entry fee, or, by purchasing online via vbsa.org.au Payment must be received prior to the closing date. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to accept or refuse any entry.
- 2) All players are required to register at venue 30 minutes before start time. Any player that arrives after match start time will forfeit 1 frame, if more than 15 minutes late the match will be forfeited. Once opening matches are underway the roll on / roll off system will commence.
- 3) All players are to comply with ABSC Code of Dress Rules and Ethics during this tournament.

CONTACT DETAILS:

Tournament Organiser & Tournament Director, George Hoy, georgeho@bigpond.net.au or 0403 047 840

THE POT BLACK SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRY FORM:

Name _____

Mobile No _____ #State _____ #Amount paid _____

Email Address: _____ #Sign: _____

Payment methods: Cheque, money order, PayPal. **Online** Use the PayPal facility at [The VBSA Store](#) OR make a direct deposit to the VBSA account, you will find the [details here](#). If you pay by bank transfer please email the treasurer to notify him of your payment. **By Post** Completed entry with, money order or cheque (All cheques made payable to the VBSA) to: George Hoy, VBSA Treasurer, Unit 36 Excelsior Apartments, 93 -103 High St Preston, 3072 (It is the entrants responsibility to confirm posted entries).

I AGREE, IF SELECTED, TO TAKE A DRUG TEST AT THE EXPENSE OF THE ORGANISING ASSOCIATION AND IF THE TEST INDICATES A PRESENCE OF AN ILLEGAL OR NON PRESCRIBED DRUG(S), OR I FAIL OR REFUSE TO TAKE THE TEST, THEN I ACCEPT THAT I MAY BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED FROM THE EVENT AND FACE A POSSIBLE SUSPENSION. IN THE EVENT THE TEST INDICATES A PRESENCE OF ILLICIT DRUG(S), I RESERVE THE RIGHT TO HAVE MY SPECIMEN FURTHER TESTED, AT MY EXPENSE, AT AN APPROVED PATHOLOGIST'S LABORATORY.

INDEMNITY: All participants enter at their own risk. Neither the Club, nor sponsors, nor organisers shall be liable for any loss, injury or misadventure however arising.

I have read and understood the above, and I am conversant with the ABSC Players' Code of Conduct. I agree to abide by any decision of the Tournament Director in relation to this tournament

Signed: _____ Date: _____