



Toowoomba Touch Association

2024 Monday Night Social Mixed

Conditions of Entry

**Toowoomba Touch Association Fields
Kearney's Spring Sporting Complex
Ruthven Street, Toowoomba**

Monday, 29th January 2024

Nominations close Friday, 12th January 2024

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COMPETITION DATES

Round 1 - Monday 29th January

Round 2 - Monday 5th February

Round 3 - Monday 12th February

Round 4 - Monday 19th February

Round 5 – Monday 26th February

Round 6 – Monday 4th March

Round 7 – Monday 11th March

Finals & Play Offs – Monday 18th March

Proposed Timeslots: 6:15pm / 7:10pm /8:05pm

1. Nomination cost is \$80 per player. Teams must have a minimum of 10 players registered to be deemed eligible to enter the competition. Teams **MUST** have a minimum of 10 players registered on My Sideline by Friday, 26th January to be entered into the draw, no exceptions. All Teams **MUST** supply a duty referee as a part of the condition of entry.

2. The divisions and age requirements are:

<i>Divisions</i>	<i>Age Requirements</i>
A Grade Social Mixed	Must be already turned 12 years of age
B Grade Social Mixed	Must be already turned 12 years of age
C Grade Social Mixed	Must be already turned 12 years of age.

3. Teams shall be limited to **14 players only**, participating in any one game [maximum of six (6) on the field].
Mixed teams must always field a minimum of 3 females on the field.
4. All players are required to be **registered online** by Wednesday 24th January. Online individual registration codes (My Sideline) will be supplied to team delegate following nomination forms being received. Players not registered online cannot play. Players who are registered must play at least one (3) round game to qualify for the Finals.



5. Teams MUST nominate a referee for each team they enter in this tournament. Failure to do so will mean you'll be removed from the competition. It is expected that the duty referee is available to ref one game per night, on a time slot not coinciding with their playing fixture. The TTA referee coordinator will have authority over referees in relation to all competition matters. All duty referees will be paid by the TTA per game.
6. All teams must wear a numbered uniform. The appropriate footwear, ie light leather or synthetic boots with soft molded soles are to be worn at all times during a game. Shoes with screw-in tags or the type with extra high baseball cleats are not permitted. The TTA have sets of uniforms available to purchase, they are \$35 per singlet. Please inquire if you're interested in purchasing these for your social teams.
7. Coaches are not permitted to coach or call instructions from behind the score line and must remain in the sub box. They may choose to stand at an end of the field, but they must remain silent. This rule applies to all members of a team, including parents, staff, and other team members.
8. Players sent from the field (not a period of time) in a match shall be required to serve a two (2) game penalty, with no appeal. If a player is given a period of time in 2 games during the competition, he/she will serve a two (2) game penalty, with no appeal.
9. Progress to the Finals series is dependent upon the number of teams entered. More detailed information about this will be provided after nominations close and the draw is released.

Points are allocated as follows:

Win	3	
Draw	2	
Loss	1	
Forfeit	0	(This will also incur a 0 - 10 score line)

Where teams are tied for places at the completion of the rounds, the following shall apply:

- a) Result of round game
 - b) Best differential (ie for minus against)
 - c) Percentages (ie for divided by against, multiplied by 100)
 - d) Toss of a coin
10. All round games will be 20 minute halves, 4 minute half times.
 - 10.1 Games will be played at 6.15pm, 7.10pm & 8.05pm
 - 10.2 In the event of ties in round games, the result shall stand. In the **FINALS SERIES**, all ties shall require a '**drop - off**' to be played. Drop off will be no second right of reply rule.
 11. Protests / Appeals are to be lodged within ten minutes of the completion of the game in question and on the form that is held in the administration area. NB Protests will not be considered whilst the game is in progress, or in relation to any refereeing decisions.



12. The Competition Control Committee reserves the right to interpret and amend the above rules as required in the interests of the tournament and its participants. **The Competition Control Committee's decision is final.**
13. The Touch Football Australia (TFA 8th Edition) rules shall apply to this competition.

The Fine Print

Insurance

- Any player injured at the venue is to report through to manager. Claim forms are available online at <https://qldtouch.com.au/insurance/>

Mutual Respect Policy

- Referees will be instructed to enforce zero tolerance rules regarding referee abuse from players, coaching staff and spectators.
- Teams/Players are bound by the Disciplinary Regulations Manual un-sportsman like behaviour, eg. sledging and or acting in an abusive manner towards the referee or opposing team.

Lost & Found Policy

- All items found at the fields are subject to the following Lost & Found Policy
- Water Bottles - Are available for collection for 7 days before thrown out
- Articles of Clothing - If School ID will be sent back to School. Other items will be next to the canteen until the end of the season before donated to charity.
- Valuables such as but not limited to wallet, phone, watch, ipad, sunglasses will be handed in to Toowoomba station for collection no later than 48 hours after being found.

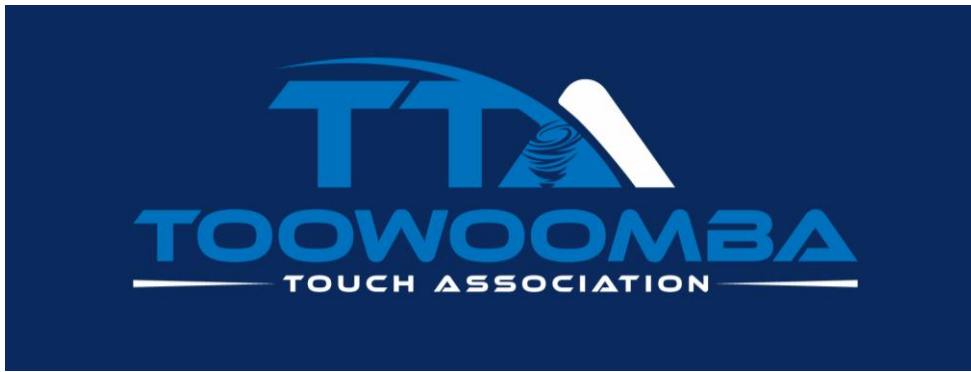
Forced Majeure

- If Toowoomba Touch are unable to perform, in whole or part in any obligation under these regulations of a Force Majeure Event, TTA Touch is relieved of that obligation under these regulations to the extent, and the period it is unable to perform.
- In addition to this, Toowoomba Touch has no obligation to refund to any individual or team any fees paid if it is unable to perform by reason of a Force Majeure Event.
- FORCE MAJEURE EVENT: for the purposes of these regulations a force majeure event includes but is not limited to any or all of the following:
 - Acts of God including flood, drought, earthquake, storm, cyclone, fire, explosion, epidemic; or
 - War or Act of Terrorism; or Riot or civil disturbances; or
 - Permanent injunction of any duly constituted court of competent jurisdiction; or

- Any fact, circumstance, matter, or thing beyond the reasonable control of TTA/ TFA.
- Toowoomba Touch reserves the right to determine and/or interpret matters not covered or specified by the Conditions of Entry and take appropriate action.
- Teams must be in attendance at their allocated playing fields five (5) minutes before the commencement of their match.
- It is the responsibility of each captain to report to the referees two minutes before the start of the game so the coin toss can be affected without loss of time.
- If a team is not at the field at the advertised starting time of the game, the attending team can be awarded the winning of the toss.
- The offending team will receive a maximum of five (5) minutes from the commencement of the game (siren/whistle) to position the team on the field and be ready to commence play.
- If the offending team is not in attendance after the five (5) minutes has expired, the game will be deemed a forfeit and the nonoffending team will be awarded a 5/0 win and three (3) competition points.
- If a team is late, one point may be awarded to the opposition team for every minute up to and including 5 points. The referee will determine the allocated time.
- Any team that forfeits without notice WILL NOT be eligible for FINALS.

Blood Bin

- Any player with a bleeding cut or abrasion is to leave the field immediately and have the cut or abrasion cleaned and covered. At this time, any bloodstained clothing must also be either cleaned or replaced.
- If the player does not leave the field immediately, the Referee will stop the game and ask the player to leave the field (normal substitution rules apply).
- Once the flow of blood has been stemmed, the cut or abrasion cleaned and covered and any bloodstained clothing and equipment cleaned or replaced, the player may return to the field and continue play. If bleeding cannot be controlled and the wound securely covered, the player must not continue in the game.



**Toowoomba Touch Association
2024 Adult Social Mixed Competition**



Nomination Form
(Please print)



Team Name: _____

Team Delegate Name: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

DIVISION	Nominated Referee Name	Nominated Referee Contact Number & Email
A Grade Mixed		
B Grade Mixed		
C Grade Mixed		

Please return the completed nomination form (by no later than Friday, 12 January 2024) to:

TOOWOOMBA TOUCH ASSOCIATION
by email to admin@toowoombatouch.com.au

We hereby agree to comply with the TFA 8th Edition rules and tournament conditions.

Signed: _____ Dated: _____

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