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Open and Graded divisions

11th August 2024

Zone Bowling Noarlunga

TWO X THREE GAME SPRINTS

Oil Pattern – 2024 US Open Pattern 2 – (Long)



\$60 Skins Games



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Tournament Format - Open

This is a six (6) game scratch event. There will be one division for both male and female bowlers with females having an 8 pin per game advantage.

All bowlers shall bowl six (6) games. Stage 1 – Bowlers will bowl the first three (3) games and a quarter of the prize fund will be awarded based on the number of bowlers in each division. Stage 2 - Bowlers will bowl a further three (3) games and again a quarter of the prize fund will be awarded based on the number of bowlers in each division. Stage 3 – The scores from Stage 1 and Stage 2 will be added together to determine the overall winners with half the prize fund being awarded based on the number of bowlers in each division. If at any stage a tie exists, the prize fund will be shared equally. Ranking points will be awarded after Stage 3 only.

Tournament Format – Graded

This is a six (6) game handicapped event for both male and female bowlers. To be eligible for the Graded Division bowlers must not have an average that exceeds 179. Handicaps will be established at 100% of 200 taken from their highest league average, in the week prior to the tournament. Male and Female bowlers will combine in one division.

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Skins Event

In conjunction with the tournament a sponsored skins event will be conducted. The highest scratch score bowled for each game will receive the \$60 bonus. Thanks to Mawson Lakes Hotel for donating two skins, also Mikal Howard Finance, Johnson Flooring Contractors and Adelaide Tarp Specialists for their skin donations.

Time and Date

Sunday 11th August 2024. Check-in closes at 8:00am for 8:15am start. Bowlers that are not checked-in by the advertised time will bowl from the frame that they arrive. Entries close when squads are full.

Fees and Prizes

The cost for the tournament will be Open \$96 and Graded \$80, the breakdown of these costs is detailed below. An annual SA Adult Circuit Membership Fee of \$10 for all bowlers will be required to be eligible to bowl in any tournament through-out the year.

Breakdown		
	Open	Graded
Lineage	\$48.00	\$48.00
Prize Fund	\$28.00	\$14.40
EOY Fund	\$8.50	\$8.00
GST	\$4.11	\$2.69
TPR Fee	\$2.88	\$2.40
Admin	\$4.51	\$4.51
Total	\$96.00	\$80.00

PRIZE FUND Based on 9 bowlers Pay out 1 in 5		
	Open	Graded
1 st	\$163.80	\$84.24
2 nd	\$88.20	\$45.36



End of season rankings

See separate Rankings Information sheet.

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Bowlers must be 2024 TBA Registered Players and financial 2024 SA Open Circuit members.
2. This is a TBA accredited tournament and all TBA rules and regulations will apply.
3. **Dress Code:** Male entrants are permitted to wear long dress pants, $\frac{3}{4}$ length pants, or tailored dress shorts and a collared shirt or approved bowling shirt. Jeans, cargo shorts, cargo pants or tracksuit pants are not permitted. Female entrants are permitted to wear long dress pants, dress shorts, $\frac{3}{4}$ length pants and a collared shirt or approved bowling shirt. Jeans, leggings, cargo pants or tracksuit pants are not permitted.
4. The Tournament Director reserves the right at any time to check any bowler's equipment. Any equipment that is found to be in breach of the TBA rules will result in the disqualification of that bowler with no claim to any prize money.
5. Any matters not covered by these rules will be under the jurisdiction of the Tournament Director whose decision will be final.
6. The TBA Code of Ethics will apply to this tournament and will be enforced in accordance with that policy.
7. No bowler will be permitted to smoke or consume alcohol during a session of play.
8. Any appeals or protests must be lodged with the Tournament Director within 30 minutes of the alleged infringement.
9. Refund of Entry Fees – Should a refund of a player's entry fee be required because of an event cancellation or approved refund by the tournament director, the full amount paid will be transferred to the player's portal as a credit amount. The player then has two options
 - Use the total credit amount for any other tournament that is using online entries,
 - Request a Cash-out of the total credit amount less the processing fee. (3%)

