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2026 SUNCITY OPEN

29TH - 31ST MAY

BURDEKIN BOWL
170 Queen Street,
Ayr, Queensland



TBA ACCREDITATION NUMBER: A26/0052

 LEXUS | TOWNSVILLE

QUALIFYING AND ENTRY

LOCATION: Burdekin Bowl 170 Queens Street, Ayr QLD

ENTRIES OPEN: Saturday, 17th January 2026, 9:00 AM AEST. Closes 1 hour before each squad. Late entries at the tournament director's discretion. No re-entries.

OPEN DIVISION ENTRY FEE: \$275.00

LADIES DIVISION ENTRY FEE: \$275.00.

To be paid in full at time of entry to claim a spot. Open division and ladies division qualifying will consist of 9 games in one sitting (3 x 3 game blocks) with 4 players maximum to a pair..

FORMAT FOR OPEN DIVISION

- After qualifying top 6 bowlers on pinfall move to stage 3 (pinfall drops)
- After qualifying bowlers 7-24 for mens on pinfall will move to stage 2 (pinfall Carries)

STAGE 2:

Bowlers 7-24 for men will bowl a further 6 games in 3 x 2 game blocks. After 6 games the top 6 bowlers from stage 2 on pinfall will join the top 6 from qualifying to form the top 12 to move onto stage 3 (pinfall drops)

STAGE 3:

The top 12 bowlers will bowl a 11 games head to head matchplay. Matchplay will be 3 points win 1 point draw and 0 points loss. With for and against pinfall determining any ties in positions at the end of 11th game.

FINALS: Stepladder single game elimination 5 plays 4. Winner plays 3. Winner plays 2.

WINNER: Will progress to the final and play top seed in a 1 game roll off to determine the winner of the LEXUS OF TOWNSVILLE 2026 SUN CITY OPEN

FORMAT FOR LADIES DIVISION

- After Qualifying top 12 go through to matchplay (pinfall drops)

— QUALIFYING

FRIDAY 29TH MAY 2026 (IF REQUIRED)

- L Squad -lanes conditioned
- Check in before 6.15pm
- 6.30pm Squad A bowls 9 games (3x3 game blocks)
- Odds 1 pair left. Evens 1 pair right

FRIDAY 29TH MAY 2026

- A Squad -lanes conditioned
- Check in before 8.30am
- 8.45am Squad A bowls 9 games (3x3 game blocks)
- Odds 2 pair left. Evens 2 pair right

FRIDAY 29TH MAY 2026

- B Squad -lanes conditioned
- Check in before 1.30pm
- 1.45pm Squad B bowls 9 games (3x3 game blocks)
- Odds 2 pair left. Evens 2 pair right

SATURDAY 30TH MAY 2026

- C Squad -lanes conditioned
- Check in before 7.15am
- 7.30am (approx) Squad C bowls 9 games (3x3 game blocks)
- Odds 2 pair left. Evens 2 pair right

SATURDAY 30TH MAY 2026

- D Squad -lanes conditioned
- Check in before 11.30am
- 11.45am Squad D bowls 9 games (3x3 game blocks)
- Odds 2 pair left. Evens 2 pair right

— FINALS

SATURDAY 30TH MAY 2026

Stage 2 men - lanes conditioned

- Check in before 4.00pm bowlers 7-24 (pinfall carries)
- 4.15pm (approx.) Bowlers 7-24 in mens division bowl 6 games (3x 2 games blocks) Odds 2 pair left. Evens 2 pair right

SUNDAY 31ST MAY 2026

Stage 3 Matchplay - Both divisions Lanes Conditioned (pinfall has dropped)

- Check in before 7.15am top 12 men (6 from qualifying and 6 from stage 2) and top 12 women from qualifying.
- 7.30am top 12 bowlers in men and ladies will play 11 games matchplay.
- Matchplay will be Based on a win. Loss ratio only. 3 points for a win, 1 point for draw and 0 points for a loss. Positions for next stage will be based on points only, with for and against pinfall determining any ties.

Stage 4 stepladder final - traditional 5 person

- Stepladder final approximately 12.30pm lanes conditioned
- Single game head to head elimination. 5 plays 4, winner plays 3, winner plays 2 winner plays top qualifier lanes conditioned
- (pinfall has dropped)

PRESENTATIONS - 2.30-3.00pm

OPEN DIVISION PRIZE FUND

ENTRY \$275.00 (BASED ON 60 ENTRIES)

FIRST	\$6,000.00	THIRTEENTH	\$360.00
SECOND	\$3,000.00	FOURTEENTH	\$350.00
THIRD	\$1,750.00	FIFTEENTH	\$340.00
FOURTH	\$1,450.00	SIXTEENTH	\$330.00
FIFTH	\$1,200.00	SEVENTEENTH	\$320.00
SIXTH	\$1,000.00	EIGHTEENTH	\$310.00
SEVENTH	\$800.00	NINETEENTH	\$300.00
EIGHTH	\$700.00	TWENTIETH	\$290.00
NINTH	\$600.00	TWENTY FIRST	\$280.00
TENTH	\$500.00	TWENTY SECOND	\$270.00
ELEVENTH	\$400.00	TWENTY THIRD	\$260.00
TWELFTH	\$375.00	TWENTY FOURTH	\$250.00

TOTAL - \$19,935.00

HIGHEST JUNIOR NON QUALIFIER-\$150 • HIGHEST YOUTH NON QUALIFIER-\$150 • HIGHEST GRADED (UNDER 185 AVG.) NON QUALIFIER-\$150 HIGHEST SENIOR NON- QUALIFIER \$150.00 **LIMIT ONE PRIZE PER PERSON

LADIES DIVISION PRIZE FUND

ENTRY \$275.00 (BASED ON 30 ENTRIES)

FIRST	\$6,000.00	SEVENTH	\$800.00
SECOND	\$3,000.00	EIGHTH	\$700.00
THIRD	\$1,750.00	NINTH	\$600.00
FOURTH	\$1,450.00	TENTH	\$500.00
FIFTH	\$1,200.00	ELEVENTH	\$400.00
SIXTH	\$1,000.00	TWELFTH	\$375.00

TOTAL - \$16,275.00

HIGHEST JUNIOR NON QUALIFIER-\$150 • HIGHEST YOUTH NON QUALIFIER-\$150 • HIGHEST GRADED (UNDER 175 AVG.) NON QUALIFIER-\$150 • HIGHEST PLACE SENIOR NON-QUALIFIER \$150.00 **LIMIT ONE PRIZE PER PERSON



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TOURNAMENT RULES

- Entrants must be 2026 registered members of Tenpin Bowling Australia or a IBF Affiliate.
- This tournament is conducted under the rules of TBA Ltd.
- Check in times will be strictly followed and failure to check in will result in disqualification and the next available reserve in order taking that spot.
- Players are not permitted to smoke or consume alcohol whilst competing in a squad.
- Ties occurring for progression of the tournament to move stages will be decided by a single game roll off. Should this single game roll off end in a tie, then the tenth frame will be re-bowled until the tie is broken. Except in points matchplay.
- Ties for payouts not affecting the progression of the tournament will be determined by the highest last game bowled.
- Any matters not covered under these rules will be decided by the tournament director and that decision shall be final.
- **DRESS CODE:** Neat tidy acceptable bowling attire. No denim, singlets, yoga/track suite pants allowed. Tournament directors decision is final.
- Once paid no refunds will be given. Unless tournament is full or tournament cancelled.
- Should a refund of a players 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 players portal as a credit amount. **The player then has two options:**
 - 1/ Use the total credit amount for any other tournament that is using online entries,
 - 2/ Request a cash-out of the total credit amount less the processing fee. (3%)
- Qualifying Blocks of 3 games in stage 2 will be strictly monitored for slow play. Each block will be no longer than 72 minutes in duration.(Tournament director will monitor lane breakdowns) Bowlers not finished the block in this time will receive a 10 pin penalty up to 5 mins and a 20 pin penalty after 5 mins .
- Qualifying Blocks of 2 games in stage 2 will be strictly monitored for slow play. Each block will be no longer than 48 minutes in duration.(Tournament director will monitor lane breakdowns) Bowlers not finished the block in this time will receive a 10 pin penalty up to 5 mins and a 20 pin penalty after 5 mins .
- During matchplay, Games will be set at 25 minutes per game. (Tournament director will monitor lane breakdowns) Bowlers not finished the Game in this time will receive pinfall up to where they have completed at that time, and Points for wins/draw/losses will be allocated as such.
- Prize payouts based on minimum 30 ladies and 60 men and will be adjusted accordingly.