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Dear Members,

“State Super 4” PFA New Competition

Registration close: 25 February 2016

The new competition will be based on team of 4 players – 2 Men and 2 Woman.

Players will form their team with players from their own state of residence.

Open competition and Over 60 competitions

Team registered at the start of the qualification cannot be changed; a player can be replaced in case of unforeseen circumstances by a player not registered with another team.

1 substitute by team (a man or a woman) not registered with another team.

The teams will register with PFA and will be playing in a league format qualification rounds within their own states.

Each team playing their opponent once, Top team in each state to qualify for the State Super 4 finals played at one venue on 3 – 4 September 2016.

Each team playing all other teams in a league

Format:

- 1st round
 - o 1 Men double game
 - o 1 Women double game
 - o in 1 hour – extra end only if team on equal score
 - o 1 point per win
- 2nd round
 - o 2 Mixed double
 - o in 1 hour – extra end only if team on equal score
 - o 1 point for a win
- 3rd round
 - o 1 triple game
 - o 1 single game
 - o in 1 hour – extra end only if team on equal score
 - o 1 point for a win

Winner of the match between the 2 teams is the team with the highest number of win, the winning team score 3 points, 1 point for a draw, 0 point for a loss at the end of the qualifications if 2 or more teams are on equal number of points the following will be used:

- a) results of the game played between the teams on equal score
- b) number of games won
- c) number of point delta (+/-) scored in all games

All results to be signed by a league official (umpire) and sent to PFA Board

- Secretary tdando@vtown.com.au and Sport Director andre.13@bigpond.net.au

The qualification rounds to be conducted over a number of weeks as necessary in function of number of teams entering the competition in each State.

The qualifications rounds should be played same day at different venues.

The winning team in each division (Open and Over 60) will represent their State League in the Finals.

FINAL

Finals will be played at same venue and date.

Open teams and Over 60 teams + an invitation youth team – 16 pistes required

All teams to wear same uniform Top and bottom

ENTRIES FEES AND REGISTRATION WITH PFA (attached registration form)

Entry fees \$200 per team to be paid to PFA with team registration

- \$ 120 (60%) of team's entry fees going towards Cash pool prize
- \$ 40 (20%) of each team entry fees returned to the State league of origin
- \$ 40 (20%) placed in a PFA development fund

PRIZES

Prizes for winners: PFA \$1000 per team guarantee + \$120 per team registration going in the pool prize

- Cash prize to be distributed proportionally to all participating teams based on their final ranking

CALENDAR

Qualification each State to organise their own calendar

Each State to inform PFA Secretary tdando@vtown.com.au and Sport Director andre.13@bigpond.net.au of their representative teams by Friday 26 August 2016

FINAL: 3 - 4 September 2016 - Venue to be announced

Note: A review of the competition format and condition will be conducted at the completion of the Finals