



WHEELCHAIR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT
Hosted by Wheelchair Basketball New Zealand and Basketball New Zealand
September 23rd-24th

A Grade
Auckland Blue
Mid West
Bay of Plenty
Canterbury
Auckland White

B Grade
Auckland Development
Te Raki Troopers Northland
Waikato

Draw

The structure of the draw is taken from the direction of Wheelchair Basketball New Zealand.

A Division

- 1 round robin of 5 teams
- 1-4 Semi Finals, Final
- 5th Pool Playoff with 1st B division

B Division

- 2 round robin of 3 teams
- 1st Pool V 5th A Division
- 2nd Pool V 3rd Pool Playoff

Seeding/Pool

Seeding of teams is taken from the direction of Wheelchair Basketball New Zealand.

Times

- Warm Up - Minimum of 10 minutes
- Playing Time - 4 x 10 minute stop clock quarters
- Half Time – 5 minutes
- Quarter Time Intervals – 2 minutes
- Extra Periods – 5 minutes
- Extra Period Intervals – 2 minutes

Stadium

- ASB Arena 81 Truman Lane, Mt Maunganui, Tauranga 07-5778560

Tournament Officials

- Technical Commissioner – Devina Banks 022 0728628
- Tournament Director – Shane Davis 027 546 0870
- BBNZ Tournaments Coordinator – James Liberona-Feek 027 687 5398



Team Roster

Please ensure that all your players are registered with the WBNZ and are eligible to compete in the tournament. Once a team's first game commences, only those players listed on the score sheet for the first game may participate in the remainder of that Tournament as players.

Scoresheets

Scoresheets will be available on the control desk for teams to check prior to their game. Please do not remove the scoresheets from the table.

Evacuation

If the building needs to be evacuated please leave through the exit doors and assemble in the car park by the Assembly Point.

On-line Draw and Results

The results can be viewed on the BBNZ website using the following link:

<http://nz.basketball/Competitions/Wheelchair>

Awards Ceremony

The awards ceremony will be held at conclusion of the last game of the tournament

Cafe

There is a full café onsite at the Stadium, only food purchase at the cafe can be eaten in café area.

Traffic into Tauranga

Allow plenty of time to get to your games.

Disputes Procedure

In the unlikely event of a dispute the procedure is: the team captain is to sign the bottom of the score sheet in the box provided within 20 minutes of the completion of the game. The team then has one hour to lodge a written report and pay a bond payment of \$250 to the Tournament Director. A Judicial Committee will be assembled to consider the dispute. The Judicial Committee is made up of three representatives – Technical Commissioner, Tournament Director and a BBNZ Representative. If the Committee rules in favour of the dispute, the bond will be refunded to the team.

BBNZ Code of Conduct and Fairplay

Please ensure that all your participants (coaches, managers, players, spectators and officials) read and abide by the BBNZ Code of Conduct and Fairplay this can be found at the BBNZ web link under the heading Behavior Guide at Tournaments

<http://nz.basketball/Competitions/Resources>

Important Details

- Forfeit of Game - \$500 fine.
- Uniforms – in the event of a clash Team A is to wear their light coloured uniforms and Team B is to wear their dark coloured uniforms, unless teams can come to a mutual agreement.
- Team Benches – Sitting at the scorebench; Team A **MUST** sit to the left and Team B **MUST** sit to the right. Please ensure all games start correctly with this procedure. Only the rostered players and management are allowed to sit on the team bench. All supporters must sit in the stands.
- Scorebench - If there is a problem with the scorebench, only the coach may approach on a dead ball and then ask the referee to check the enquiry. Other management may approach the bench



during the 2 minute break at quarter time and at half time. They **MUST NOT** approach the bench any other time to check the score sheet or query the scorebench.

- The tournament will use BBNZ Internal Regulations and IWBF Rules.

Classification Rules 2015

1.
 - a. Juniors and Women in a mixed team get a 0.5 point deduction per person each. This only applies to mixed teams. Only 2 deductible players are able to be on the court at any one time.
 - b. Any violation on exceeding of the 14 points on the floor will be dealt with Under IWBF Rules – a technical foul on the coach, who will be ejected from the game after two technical fouls. Subsequent technical fouls will be assessed against the offending player/s.
2. Classification cards will be marked with classification and must add up to 14 points or below.
3. Continued flouting of the rules will have the team disqualified from the tournament and may face a fine.

Classification Rules 2017

Points system:

- "A" div - 14 points total (NO deductions)

- "B" div - 14 points total deductions for junior = 1 point, female = 1 point (max of 2 points deduction at any 1 time)

Important Contacts

- **Supermarket** – Countdown Bayfair
- **Doctor** - Bayfair Doctors, 42 Griven Road 07 5726800
- **Dentist** – Bayfair Doctors, 42 Griven Road 07 5726800
- **Medical Centre** – Bayfair Doctors, 42 Griven Road 07 5726800
- **Hospital** – Tauranga Hospital, 789 Cameron Road. 07 5798000

**Good luck with the tournament from Basketball New Zealand Tournaments and Wheelchair
Basketball New Zealand**