

# QLD STATE CUP 2024 EVENT BULLETIN #1

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### 1. WELCOME

Queensland Touch Football (QTF) will issue regular Event Bulletins outlining important updates for the upcoming 2024 QLD State Cup (QSC), which is taking place at Coomera Sports Park, Gold Coast from Friday 29 November to Sunday 1 December.

QSC is the premier affiliate competition in Queensland for ages 15-60+ and includes male, female and mixed divisions for all abilities. Players and referees alike come together and represent their local affiliate in a fun, enjoyable and unforgettable experience.

Please review Event Bulletin #1 carefully to incorporate these updates into your relevant planning; we strongly recommend reviewing the **QSC Conditions of Entry** for a thorough understanding of eligibility criteria and requirements.

# 2. QSC TEAM NOMINATIONS (AS AT TUESDAY 1 OCTOBER)

It's time to start getting excited for the 2024 QSC with a record 150+ teams nominated as at Tuesday 1 October

PERFORMANCE DIVISIONS						
MP	WP	MxP	M20	W20	Mx20	
6	6	6	12	8	8	

	COMPETITIVE DIVISIONS									
МО	WO	MxO	M30	W30	Mx30	M40	W40	Mx40	M45	W45
10	7	16	6	4	9	8	10	5	7	0

PARTICIPATION DIVISIONS					
M50	W50	M55	M60	Inc	
6	0	7	0	10	

This includes a number of International Teams that are excited to attend this year's QSC.

Note: Due to the overall number of nominations received, W45 has merged with W40, W50 has merged with W40 and M60 has merged with M55.

# 3. PLAYER, COMPETITION AND SEASON ELIGIBILITY

QTF will only accept Affiliates and Players who meet the player and competition eligibility requirements, as outlined in Section 3 of the 2024 OSC Conditions of Entry (COE).

Affiliates are required to complete the **QTF Affiliate Team Declaration form** for each team entering QSC. A revised Form has been added to QSC resource page at <a href="https://qldstatecup.qldtouch.com.au/resources/">https://qldstatecup.qldtouch.com.au/resources/</a>.

Affiliates are responsible for confirming all players meet eligibility requirements, as outlined in event Conditions of Entry for each Affiliate team entering QSC. Requested information will include the player's NRL ID, DOB, season eligibility (s1 or 2 2024), minimum 5 games eligibility and Player Pool requests.

The onus is on the Affiliate to ensure all players selected, nominated and registered for Affiliate team meet the eligibility criteria, as outlined in **Item 3.2 Player and Competition Eligibility** of <u>2024 QSC Conditions</u> of Entry.



## **REGISTRATION PROCESS** 4.

Team Links will not be made available until referees are registered to teams.

Once referees are registered, Affiliates contacts will be sent specific links which will provide access to each Affiliates registered teams.

# **Referees:**

All referees must register via MySideline to the affiliate they are representing. Affiliates who fail to bring enough referees may have teams removed from the competition.

The last day for referees to register is **Monday 14 October**.

Please ensure you are following up your referees to register.

They can complete their registration here: Click here

# Plavers:

All players must register via MySideline to the team they are associated with. The last day for players to register is Monday 11 November.

Teams will only be visible for registration once affiliate referee quotas have been met.

Entry Fee: \$110 (inc. GST)

\*Late registrations - if approved for a late registration, the player will incur a \$20.00 late fee.

# Coaches, Team Manages & Accredited Volunteers:

All coaches, team managers & accredited volunteers must register online via MySideline. Coaches are to register to the team you are associated with through the direct team link, and all other volunteers are to register to the QLD State Cup Association. The last day to register is Monday 11 November.

Teams will only be visible for registration once affiliate referee quotas have been met.

Team nominations invoices will be issued via email to the key contact(s) of each affiliate competing at 2024 QSC from today (**Tuesday 1 October**); team nominations invoices are to be paid in full by **Tuesday** 22 October.

Tent hire invoices will also be issued after this time; these are to be paid in full by **Monday 11 November**.

### 5. ONLINE LEARING

Affiliate Coordinators are reminded that they are required to meet the REQUIRED online education as detailed in Item 3.3.4 of the 2024 QSC Conditions of Entry by 11 November 2024:

# 3.3.4 **Online Learning**

Affiliate Coordinators, Team Management and Athletes are required to meet the online education requirements as detailed below:

REQUIRED:

Safeguarding Children & Young People: Affiliate Coordinator

Completion Certificates for the Safeguarding Children and Young People should be uploaded to the Nest once attained.

- 1. Complete the Safeguarding Children and Young People course here: https://elearning.sportintegrity.gov.au/login/index.php?testsession=276737
- 2. Create/Log in to profile in the Nest: https://touchfootball.etrainu.com/training/index.cfm?event=page.login



- 3. Locate the Safeguarding Children and Young People course in the Training Library
- 4. Enrol
- 5. Upload the Completion Certificate

All other education for Affiliate Coordinators, Team Management and Athletes is RECOMMENDED.

Please contact the QTF office if you require further information.

# 6. **KEY UPCOMING DATES**

DATE	IDPM
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Monday 14, October 2024	<ul> <li>Individual Referee Registrations close for Team Validation</li> <li>Affiliate Team Declaration Form Due</li> <li>Team Nomination Refund Deadline</li> </ul>
Monday 11, November 2024	〉 Individual Registrations Close – Player, Coach Team Manager
	> Individual Refund Deadline
	> Draw Structure Released
	Play by the Rules – Online Training Completion Due
Friday 15, November 2024	> Affiliate Information Pack sent out
Tuesday 19, November 2024	> Final Draw Released
	> Information Booklet Released
	→ Affiliate Briefing
Friday 22, November 2024	> Final playing shirt numbers to be entered in MySideline
Thursday 28, November 2024	> Tournament Check-In
Saturday 30, November 2024	> Inclusive Division Tournament Check-In

# **SUPPORTING INFORMATION** 7.

- **OSC Resources**
- **QSC Website**

# **EVENT CONTACT** 8.

If you have any questions relating to the above information or the event, please do not hesitate to contact the Event Manager:

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