

TOUCH FOOTBAL

# 2024 QUEENSLAND STATE CUP DRAW STRUCTURE VERSION 1.0

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Queensland Touch Football (QTF) has endeavoured to deliver a draw structure that is fair and equitable to all participants for this year's event. The guiding principles used at previous QTF events inform this year's event draw as follows:

## Determination of Round Games and Pools (where possible)

- > Minimum five (5) games played per Division.
- All Teams (excluding Inclusive Division) will play on the first day of competition (Friday).
- All Inclusive Division matches (including Finals) will be played on Saturday
- > Teams will play a maximum of four (4) games per day.
- > Teams are to have a minimum of two (2) games break between games, other than Quarter Finals, Semi Finals and Finals, where this may not be possible due to time constraints.
- > Invitational/International/Interstate teams are unable to accrue points, but teams must defeat them in order to earn maximum points and/or points for a draw.
- > Finals will commence on Sunday morning.

## **Playing Times**

All games in the event will be 15 minutes each way with a five (5) minute half time break. Five (5) mins between games. [Time slots 40 minutes]. The Inclusive Division games are 20 minutes straight duration.

- QTF Tournament Management reserves the right to alter duration of games based on any specific tournament requirements and in the best interests of player welfare.
- > All finals games must result in an outright winner. In the event of a drawn match at the end of full-time, a drop off will determine the match winner.
- > There is no "time off" for serious injury during any Round Matches or Finals.

#### **Determination of Finals Rankings Across Pools**

The overall positioning of teams into Quarter Finals and Play-Off matches is determined by the following assessment.

- > Highest Competition Points if equal;
- > Difference (For and Against) if equal;
- > Percentage if equal;
- > Result of Round Game if draw;
- Most Trys For if equal;
- > Least Trys Against if equal;
- > Coin Toss





# **MEN'S PREMIER**

\* International

#### Structure

- Total teams 7
- 1 pool of 7
- 6 round games + bye
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 8

\*International/Invitational teams are unable to accrue points. However, teams must defeat them in order to earn maximum points. For example, if an invitational team wins, neither team will receive any points for that particular game. Invitational teams will finish at the bottom of their respective pool.

#### Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Final

- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \ v \ 4^{th}$
  - $\circ$  SF2 2<sup>nd</sup> v 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, 2^{nd}$



# **WOMEN'S PREMIER**

WP
BMTA Mustangs
Caboolture
Gold Coast
Kawana
Redlands
UQ Rebels

#### Structure

- Total teams 6
- 1 pool of 6
- 5 round games
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 7

## Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Finals

- Play Off
  - $\circ ~~5^{th}\,v\,6^{th}$
- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \, v \, 4^{th}$
  - $\circ$  SF2 2<sup>nd</sup> v 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MIXED PREMIER**

МХР
Brothers
Coolum Bluefins
Palm Beach
Toowoomba
UQ Rebels

#### Structure

- Total teams 5
- 1 pool of 5
- 4 round games (+ bye)
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 6

#### Progression

1<sup>st</sup> progresses to Grand Final, Preliminary final, playoffs for remaining teams

- Play off
  - $\circ \quad 4^{th} \, v \, 5^{th}$
- Preliminary Final
  - $\circ \quad PF \text{--} 2^{nd} \ v \ 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, Winner \, PF$



## **MEN'S 20S**

Team Nominations
Arana
BMTA Mustangs
Cairns Pirates
Gold Coast
Kawana
Japan*
Redlands
Rockhampton
Townsville
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\*International

#### Structure

- Total teams 9
- 1 pool of 5, 1 pool of 4
- Pool A: 4 round games (+ bye); Pool B: 3 round games
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 7

\*International/Invitational teams are unable to accrue points. However, teams must defeat them in order to earn maximum points. For example, if an invitational team wins, neither team will receive any points for that particular game. Invitational teams will finish at the bottom of their respective pool.

#### Progression

Positions 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in Pool A and Pool B will progress to Quarter Finals, playoff for LQF1 and LQF3 against Japan

- Quarter Finals
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF \ 1-1^{st} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 4^{th} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ$  QF 2 3<sup>rd</sup> Pool A v 2<sup>nd</sup> Pool B
  - $\circ \quad QF \ 3 \ \ 2^{nd} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 3^{rd} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ \quad QF \ 4 \ \ 4^{th} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 1^{st} \ Pool \ B$
- Semi Finals
  - $\circ$  SF1 Winner QF1 v Winner QF2
  - SF2 Winner QF3 v Winner QF4
- Playoff
  - o Japan vs Loser QF1
  - o Japan vs Loser QF3
- Grand Final
  - o Winner SF1 v Winner SF



# WOMEN'S 20S

W20
BMTA Mustangs
Brothers
Caboolture
Gold Coast
Kawana
Redlands
Rockhampton
UQ Rebels

#### Structure

- Total teams 8
- 1 pool of 8
- 7 round games
- Minimum number of games 7
- Maximum number of games 9

## Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Final

- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \text{ v } 4^{th}$
  - $\circ \quad SF2 \text{ } 2^{nd} \text{ } v \text{ } 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MIXED 20S**

MX20
Bundaberg
Caboolture
Gold Coast
Labrador Dodgers
Noosa
Palm Beach

#### Structure

- Total teams 6
- 1 pool of 6
- 5 round games
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 7

#### Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Finals

- Play Off

 $\circ ~~5^{th}\,v\,6^{th}$ 

- Semi Finals
  - $\circ$  SF1 1<sup>st</sup> v 4<sup>th</sup>
  - $\circ \quad SF2 2^{nd} \ v \ 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MEN'S OPEN**

Team Nominations
Australian Defence Force
Caboolture
Gladstone
Ipswich
Labrador Dodgers
Noosa
Palm Beach
Redlands
UQ Rebels

#### Structure

- Total teams 9
- 1 pool of 5, 1 pool of 4
- Pool A: 4 round games (+ bye); Pool B: 3 round games
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 8

#### Progression

Positions 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in Pool A and Pool B will progress to Quarter Finals, playoff for 5<sup>th</sup> Pool A

- Quarter Finals
  - $\circ ~~QF~1 \mbox{--} 1^{st}~Pool~A~v~4^{th}~Pool~B$
  - $\circ \quad QF \ 2 3^{rd} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 2^{nd} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF\ 3\ -\ \ 2^{nd}\ Pool\ A\ v\ 3^{rd}\ Pool\ B$
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF \ 4 \ \ \ 4^{th} \ \ Pool \ \ A \ v \ 1^{st} \ Pool \ B$
- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ Winner QF 1 v Winner QF 2}$
  - $\circ \quad SF2 \text{ Winner QF 3 v Winner QF 4}$
- Playoff
  - $\circ ~~5^{th} \, Pool \, A \, vs \, Loser \, QF \, 1$
  - $\circ \quad \text{Loser QF2 v Loser QF3}$
- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad \text{Winner SF1 v Winner SF2}$



# **WOMEN'S OPEN**

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Australian Defence Force
BMTA Mustangs
Ipswich
Labrador Dodgers
Palm Beach
South Pine

#### Structure

- Total teams 6
- 1 pool of 6
- 5 round games
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 7

#### Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Finals

- Play Off  $\circ 5^{th} v 6^{th}$
- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \text{ v } 4^{th}$
  - $\circ \quad SF2 2^{nd} \ v \ 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MIXED OPEN**

Team Nominations
Australian Defence Force
Caboolture
Coolum Bluefins
Dalby Eagles
Gold Coast
Kawana
Labrador Dodgers A
Labrador Dodgers B
Mackay
Noosa
Redlands

#### Structure

- Total teams 11
- 1 pool of 6, 1 pool of 5
- Pool A: 5 round games; Pool B: 4 round games + bye
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 8

#### Progression

Positions 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in Pool A and Pool B will progress to Quarter Finals, playoff for 5<sup>th</sup> Pool B.

- Quarter Finals
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF \ 1 \ \ \ 1^{st} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 4^{th} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF\ 2\ -\ \ 3^{rd}\ Pool\ A\ v\ 2^{nd}\ Pool\ B$
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF\ 3\ \ \ -\ \ 2^{nd}\ Pool\ A\ v\ 3^{rd}\ Pool\ B$
  - $\circ \quad QF \ 4 \ \text{--} \ 4^{th} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 1^{st} \ Pool \ B$
- Semi Finals
  - $\circ$  SF1 Winner QF 1 v Winner QF 2
  - $\circ \quad SF2 \text{ Winner QF 3 v Winner QF 4}$
- Playoff
  - $\circ ~~5^{th} \, Pool \, A \, vs \, 5^{th} \, Pool \, B$
- Grand Final
  - o Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MEN'S 30S**

M30
Bundaberg
Gold Coast
Redlands
Rockhampton
UQ Rebels

#### Structure

- Total teams 5
- 1 pool of 5
- 4 round games + bye
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 6

#### Progression

1<sup>st</sup> progresses to Grand Final, Preliminary final, playoffs for remaining teams

- Play off  $\circ 4^{th} v 5^{th}$
- Preliminary Final
  - $\circ \quad PF \text{--} 2^{nd} \ v \ 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, Winner \, PF$



# WOMEN'S 30S

W30
Bundaberg
Redlands
South Pine
Toowoomba

## Structure

- Total teams 4
- 1 pool of 4
- 6 round games
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 7

## Progression

- Grand Final
  - $\circ$  1<sup>st</sup> v 2<sup>nd</sup>



# **MIXED 30S**

MX30
Brothers
Caboolture
Coolum Bluefins
Kawana
Labrador Dodgers
Palm Beach
Toowoomba
Townsville

#### Structure

- Total teams 8
- 1 pool of 8
- 7 round games
- Minimum number of games 7
- Maximum number of games 8

## Progression

- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, 2^{nd}$



# **MEN'S 40S**

M40
BMTA Mustangs Blue
BMTA Mustangs Red
Bundaberg
Gold Coast
Kawana
Noosa
Palm Beach
Townsville

#### Structure

- Total teams 8
- 1 pool of 8
- 7 round games
- Minimum number of games 7
- Maximum number of games 8

## Progression

- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, 2^{nd}$



# WOMEN'S 40S

Team Nominations
Arana
BMTA Mustangs
Caboolture
Gold Coast
Kawana
Noosa
Palm Beach
Redlands
Townsville

#### Structure

- Total teams 9
- 1 pool of 5, 1 pool of 4
- Pool A: 4 round games (+ bye); Pool B: 3 round games
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 7

#### Progression

Positions 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in Pool A and Pool B will progress to Quarter Finals, playoff for 5<sup>th</sup> Pool A.

- Quarter Finals
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF \ 1 \ \ 1^{st} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 4^{th} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ \quad QF \ 2 3^{rd} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 2^{nd} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ \qquad QF \ 3 2^{nd} \ Pool \ A \ v \ 3^{rd} \ Pool \ B$
  - $\circ \quad \ \ QF \ 4 \ \ \ 4^{th} \ \ Pool \ \ A \ v \ 1^{st} \ Pool \ B$
- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{--} Winner \, QF \, 1 \, v \, Winner \, QF \, 2$
  - $\circ \quad SF2 \text{ Winner QF 3 v Winner QF 4}$
- Playoff
  - $\circ ~~5^{th} \, Pool \, A \, vs \, Loser \, QF \, 1$
- Grand Final
  - $\circ$  Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MIXED 40S**

MX40
Arana
Labrador Dodgers
Palm Beach
Toowoomba

#### Structure

- Total teams 4
- 1 pool of 4
- 6 round games
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 7

## Progression

- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, 2^{nd}$



# **MEN'S 45S**

M45
Arana
BMTA Mustangs
Gold Coast
Kawana
Redlands
Rockhampton
Toowoomba

#### Structure

- Total teams 7
- 1 pool of 7
- 6 round games (+ bye)
- Minimum number of games 6
- Maximum number of games 7

## Progression

- Grand Final
  - $\circ \quad 1^{st} \, v \, 2^{nd}$



# **MEN'S 50S**

M50
BMTA Mustangs
Caboolture
Cairns Pirates
Gold Coast
Mackay
Redlands

#### Structure

- Total teams 6
- 1 pool of 6
- 5 round games
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 7

#### Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Finals

- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \, v \, 4^{th}$
  - $\circ \quad SF2 \text{ } 2^{nd} \text{ } v \text{ } 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **MEN'S 55S**

M50
BMTA Mustangs Blue
BMTA Mustangs Red
Coolum Bluefins
Gold Coast
Gordonvale
Redlands

#### Structure

- Total teams 6
- 1 pool of 6
- 5 round games
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 7

#### Progression

Top 4 teams progress to Semi Finals

- Semi Finals
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \, v \, 4^{th}$
  - $\circ \quad SF2 \text{ } 2^{nd} \text{ } v \text{ } 3^{rd}$
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



# **INCLUSION DIVISION**

Team Nominations
Ballina
BMTA Mustangs Red
BMTA Mustangs Blue
Gold Coast A
Gold Coast B
Redlands
Toowoomba A
Toowoomba B
Toowoomba C
UQ Rebels

#### Structure

- Total teams 10
- 2 pools of 5
- 4 round games + bye
- Minimum number of games 5
- Maximum number of games 7

#### Progression

Top 2 teams in each pool progress to Quarter Finals. Play Offs/Semi Final, and Grand Final

- Play Off
  - $\circ \quad PO1 \text{ } 3^{rd} \text{ Pool A } v \text{ } 3^{rd} \text{ Pool B}$
  - $\circ ~~PO1 \text{--} 4^{th} \, Pool \, A \, v \, 4^{th} \, Pool \, B$
  - $\circ \quad \ \ PO1 \text{--} 5^{th} \, Pool \, A \, v \, 5^{th} \, Pool \, B$
- Semi Final
  - $\circ \quad SF1 \text{ } 1^{st} \, Pool \, A \, v \, 2^{nd} \, Pool \, B$
  - $\circ$  SF2 2<sup>nd</sup> Pool A v 2<sup>nd</sup> Pool B
- Grand Final
  - Winner SF1 v Winner SF2



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