

JUNIOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

GREG DUNCAN FIELDS, BUNDABERG
23-25 AUGUST 2019



HONOUR ROLL

DIVISIONS	2018	2017	2016
12 BOYS	Winner: BTF	Winner: SQBD	Winner: CQ
	Runner-up: SQBD	Runner-up: SWQ	Runner-up: SQBD
12 GIRLS	Winner: BTF	Winner: SQBD	Winner: SQBD
	Runner-up: SQBD	Runner-up: CQ	Runner-up: CQ
14 BOYS	Winner: CQ	Winner: CQ	Winner: NQ
	Runner-up: BTF	Runner-up: SQBD	Runner-up: SWQ
14 GIRLS	Winner: SQBD	Winner: CQ	Winner: BTF
	Runner-up: BTF	Runner-up: BTF	Runner-up: CQ
16 BOYS	Winner: NQ	Winner: SQBD	Winner: SQBD
	Runner-up: CQ	Runner-up: CQ	Runner-up: CQ
16 GIRLS	Winner: SQBD	Winner: SQBD	Winner: BTF
	Runner-up: SWQ	Runner-up: CQ	Runner-up: SQBD
CHAMPION CUP SHUKER-WILLIAMS TROPHY	SQBD	SQBD	SQBD



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WELCOME FROM THE CEO

It is my pleasure to welcome you all to the 2019 Queensland Touch Football Junior State Championships.

Our annual three-day carnival brings together more than 400 of the best junior players in the state in an outstanding showcase of touch football's next generation of talent.

The six regions – North Queensland, Central Queensland, Sunshine Coast, Brisbane, South West Queensland & South Queensland – have selected their best young players to compete for state glory, and I thank them for their ongoing support and commitment to the event.

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This event provides us with an opportunity to not only identify our best young talent, but also reinforce the strong pathways that have been created to progress through to the elite level of touch football.
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In 2017, changes were made to the junior representative selection process. Junior Cowboys, Junior Broncos and Junior Titans teams in the Under 14 and 16 age groups were introduced, along with merit teams in the Under 12 divisions. This process will remain in place in 2019.

The introduction of the NRL Touch Premiership in 2018 was a game-changing move for the sport, and a fantastic opportunity to showcase the sport to a broader audience on the national stage. We look forward to supporting this competition again in 2020, and thank the Brisbane Broncos, North Queensland Cowboys and Gold Coast Titans for their ongoing support of our Queensland teams.

The junior teams will be selected from within the same boundaries of the existing NRL Touch Premiership permits, establishing a clear link between the junior and senior representative pathways.

We would like to extend our thanks to the Bundaberg Touch Association for their assistance with this year's event and the use of their facilities for the event.

I also thank our event partners Optus, All Sports Travel, STEEDEN, DSA Images, our host region Central Queensland and our host association Bundaberg Touch Football Association for assisting us in the delivery of this tournament.

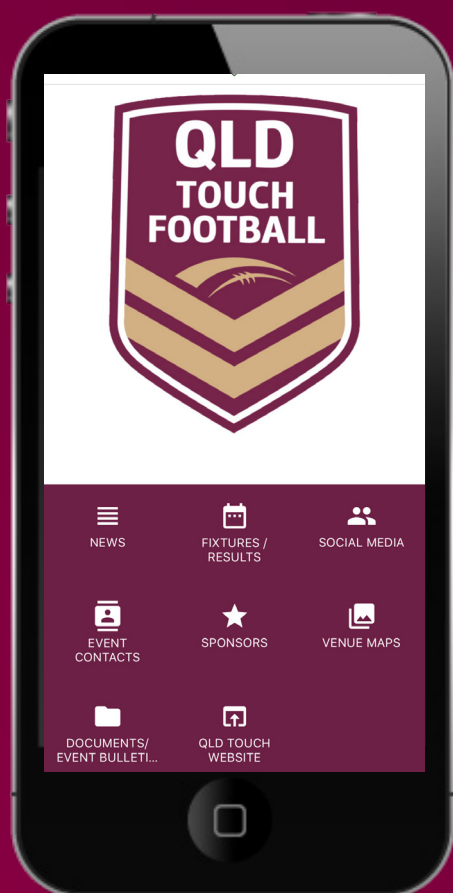
To all players, coaches, officials, referees volunteers, family and friends, enjoy the weekend and your stay in Bundaberg and I look forward to seeing you all again at the event.

Ben Mannion
Chief Executive Officer
Queensland Touch Football

KEEP UP-TO-DATE DURING THE EVENT

JUNIOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS APP

NEWS | FIXTURES & RESULTS | SCHEDULE | MAPS | DOCUMENTS & POLICIES
| EVENT CONTACTS | SOCIAL MEDIA | SPONSORS



Team APP will once again be the main communication tool of the 2019 Junior State Championships. Being a member of the Junior State Championship Event on Team App will be the best way to receive all information regarding the event.

How to sign up?

1. Download the App from the App Store or Google Play onto your Smart Device
2. Once you have downloaded the app and created a login search for the event “Junior State Championships”
3. Click on the event and ask to become a member
4. Turn on your mobile notifications so you will get all the latest information sent direct to your phone!



CONTACT INFORMATION

TOURNAMENT CONTACT DETAILS

Outlined below are the key event personnel and their contact details, should you need direct assistance. For all questions, feedback and general information, the Athlete Services Area is located within the Bundaberg Touch Association clubhouse. (See event site map on Page 8) This is located on the clubhouse veranda - see event site map on Page 8. Athlete Services is the first point of call for all enquiries.

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RACHAEL GIBSON

QTF Sponsorship & Projects Manager
Phone: 0439 448 058

Location: Roaming

Rachael is the primary contact for this event.

GREG DENNY

QTF General Manager Operations
Phone: 0417 025 420

Location: Tournament Control

TRACY UPTON

Central Queensland Regional Administrator
Host Region

Location: CQ Regional Tent

BEN MANNION

QTF Chief Executive Officer
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Location: Roaming

RACHAEL HARPUR

QTF Marketing & Communications Manager
Phone: 0477 002 362

Location: Roaming

DAVE FIELD

QTF Referees' Director
Phone: 0408 199 676

Location: Tournament Control / Referee Building

Dave is the primary contact regarding all refereeing matters.

TRISTAN MANA

QTF Performance & Pathways Manager
Phone: 0416 323 181

Location: Roaming

Tristan is the primary contact regarding all coach development and Talent Identification matters.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

KEY INFORMATION

Event Dates: 23-25 August 2019

Venue: Greg Duncan Fields, Bundaberg touch Association, Isis Highway and University Drive, Bundaberg

Game Duration: 45 minute games - 20 minutes each way, 5 minutes half time, 5 minutes between games.

DAY	EVENT	TIME
Friday 23 August	Tournament Check-In	10am-11.15am
	Coaches Briefing	10:30-10:45am
	First Games Commence	12pm
	Last Games Commence	4:10pm
Saturday 24 August	First Games Commence	9:00am
	Last Games Commence	3:40pm
Sunday 25 August	First Games Commence	8.30am
	Last Games Commence	11:35am
	Presentations	12.30pm

RESOURCES & INFORMATION

DOCUMENTS

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

[Click here.](#)

2019 JUNIOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

[Click here.](#)

These documents contain further information on Score Disputes, Finals Format, Protests and Disciplinary Processes.

LEGAL GUARDIANSHIP

As this is a junior event, there will be persons under the age of 18 present. Please ensure you take all precautions to ensure minors are supervised by a Legal Guardian at all times.

RESPONSIBILITY CODE

Touch Football Australia has developed a Responsibility Code for Affiliates, and will be in place for this event. QTF expects individuals to abide by the code, which can be viewed here:

[TFA RESPONSIBILITY CODE.](#)

Upon registering your child for this event, you acknowledge that you have read and understood these terms and condition as outlined in the TFA Membership and Participant Declaration.

[MEMBERSHIP AND PARTICIPANT DECLARATION](#)

The TFA Code of Conduct applies to all individuals and entities involved with TFA. This Code aims to ensure our core values, good reputation and positive behaviours and attitude are maintained and that everyone involved in our sport is

aware of his or her legal and ethical rights and responsibilities.

[CODE OF CONDUCT](#)

EVACUATION PROCEDURE

Prior to an evacuation, the following ground announcement will be made over the PA System:

“Ladies and Gentlemen, Management has requested that although you are in no immediate danger, for your safety we have to stop the game(s)/performance temporarily and evacuate the fields/facility. Please remain calm and move in the direction indicated by the nearest exit signs.”

The appropriate evacuation process is:

1. After ground announcement (above), all staff/volunteers are to provide guidance and assistance to patrons if an evacuation is conducted.
2. Patrons are to be evacuated to a safe area – clear of problematic, damaged facilities or objects that could cause further harm.
3. A count of all patrons present should be conducted as soon as all are seated and reasonably calm.
4. Patrons and staff are to remain seated in the designated area, until Emergency Services have given the ‘all clear’.

PLEASE NOTE: The evacuation point is located on field 6, please wait here where you will receive instructions from fire wardens and/or emergency services.

PRE-EVENT REQUIREMENTS

TOURNAMENT CHECK-IN

It is compulsory for the Regional Coordinators to check in all teams.

DATE

Friday 23 August 2019

TIME

10am-11.15am

LOCATION

Athlete Services, Bundaberg Touch Association Club House (see map on Page 8).

Directions to Bundaberg Touch Association, corner of University Drive and Childers Road [Click here.](#)

WHAT TO BRING

The following documentation is required to be lodged at your specified Tournament Check-In:

- Any medical allowance requests (if required)
- Final team list with playing shirt numbers (to be confirmed against the details submitted through the online registration process)

A team list report detailing the registered players and officials, and further information on how to input team numbers will be emailed to the Regional Administrator. Please contact the team if you have not received this information prior to the event.

NOTE












- New players cannot be added to the final team list (provided at Tournament Check-In) **without being registered online prior.**
- If a player who is not registered and listed on the final team list takes the field, the team **will be forfeited.**

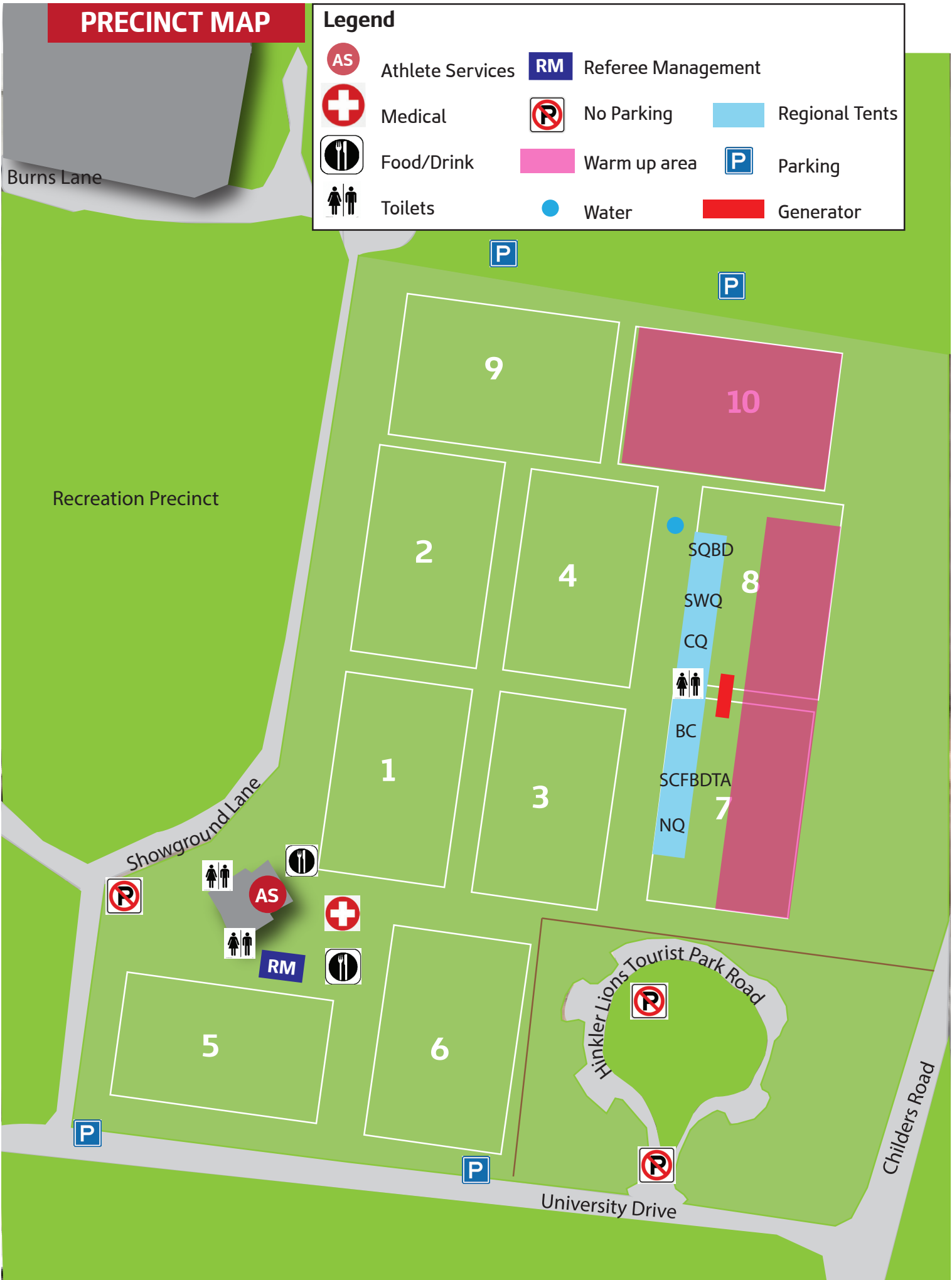
Team Officials are to confirm team lists and numbers at the official Tournament Check-In. At this time, a match ball and other information will be provided.



PRECINCT MAP

Legend

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|  Athlete Services |  Referee Management |  Regional Tents |
|  Medical |  No Parking |  Parking |
|  Food/Drink |  Warm up area |  Water |
|  Toilets |  Generator | |



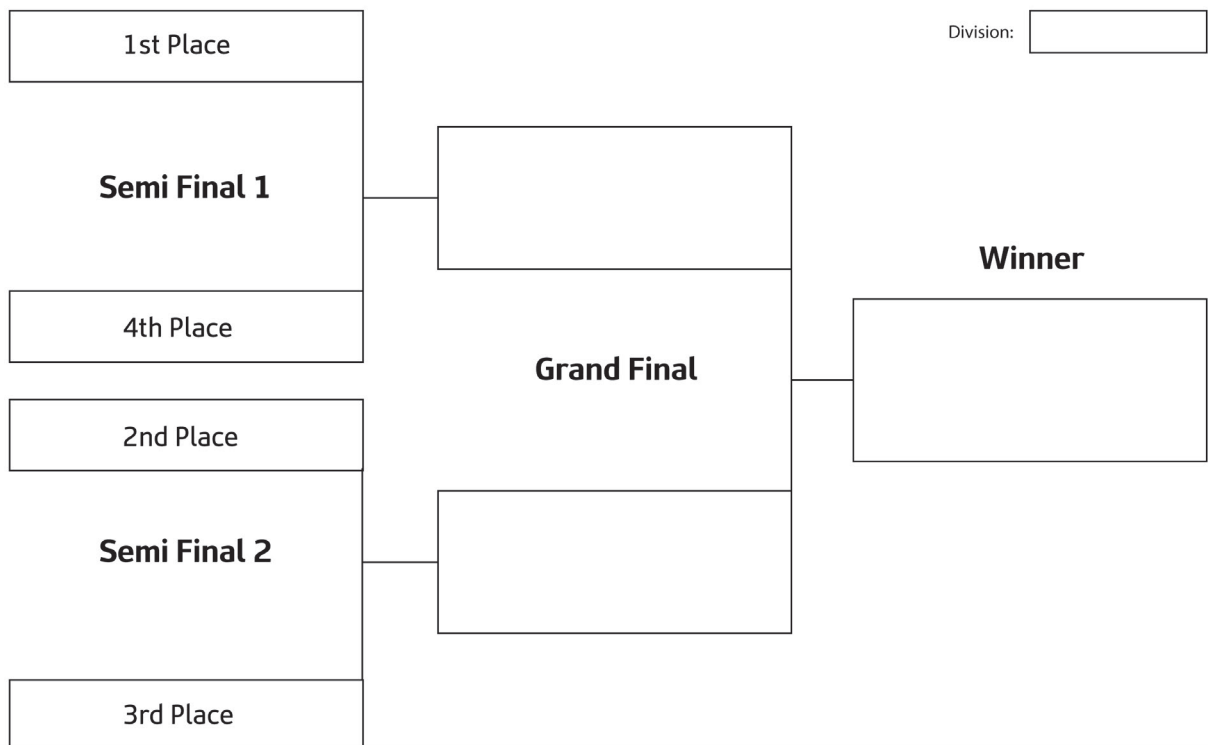
DRAWS & FINALS STRUCTURE

TOURNAMENT DRAW

The 2019 Junior State Championships draw can be viewed on the Queensland Touch Football website and the 2019 Junior State Championships Team App

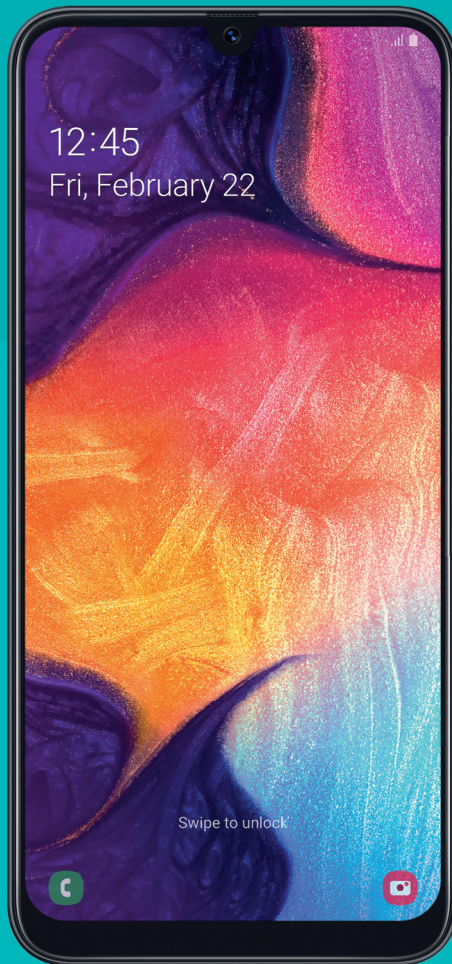
[Click here to view the Draw.](#)

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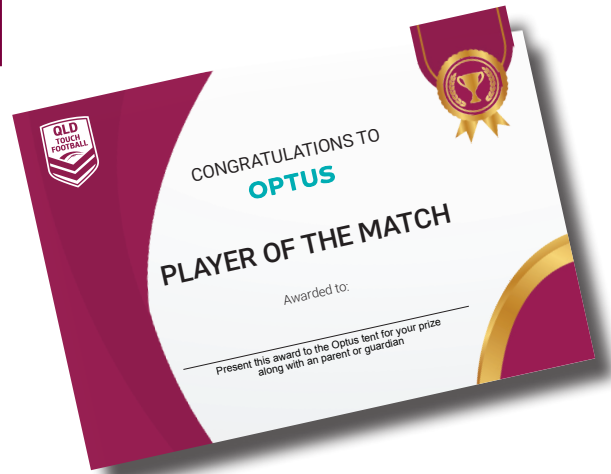
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PATHWAYS

QTF YOUTH ACADEMY TEAMS 2020

Three teams comprising 14 players each, from the Under 14 and 16 Boys and Girls divisions at the Junior State Championships shall be selected (twelve teams in total). Note – a minimum of 6 players from each competing regional team will be selected, however the final split of numbers 8/6 or 7/7, shall rest with the High Performance & Pathways Manager.

Teams will be selected from within the boundaries of the existing NRL Touch Premiership permits – Cowboys from North Queensland and Central Queensland, Broncos from Sunshine Coast and Brisbane, and Titans from South West Queensland and South Queensland and Border Districts.

The overall selection process will be managed by QTF Performance and Pathways Manager, Tristan Mana. Tristan will oversee the girls selections and QTF Selection Panel Member Karen Larose will oversee the boys. The selection panel shall comprise of the two regional coaches of each permit team in their age division and either Tristan or Karen.

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Cost equalisation will remain in place to ensure affordability for players required to travel. The Player levy will cover travel, accommodation, meals and uniforms at the Youth Academy.

Players competing at the QTF Junior State Championships who are current QSST 15s or 18s representatives shall not be eligible to participate at the QTF Youth Academy may still be named as Junior Broncos where applicable.

Selected players will be invited to attend the Youth Academy Camp at the Gold Coast, from **Friday 14 February to Sunday 16 February 2020.**

REGIONAL COACHES 14S & 16S DIVISIONS

Regional Coaches will remain an important part of the selection process in determining all Youth Academy teams. The process will however be driven by QTF Performance & Pathways Manager.

The coaches of each youth team (Junior Titans etc.) for the camp will in the first instance be offered to the relevant regional coaches who selected the teams. (i.e. the SQBD and SWQ 14 girls coaches shall be the co-coaches of the Titans team.) Should they not be available or do not want to take up the opportunity, a replacement coach shall be sought from the relevant region(s).

Participating coaches shall be subsidised to attend the Youth Academy Camp at the Gold Coast, from **Friday 14 February to Sunday 16 February 2020.**

PATHWAYS CONTINUED

MERIT TEAMS 12S DIVISION

The same process for selecting Merit teams across the 12s division will apply again in 2019.

The teams will comprise 12 boys and 12 girls made up from the 6 QTF regions. This will require the identification of 2 players from each participating region as advised by the regional coach of the relevant region. (i.e. 2 each from the Sharks, Swans etc.)

The choice of the player shall fall with each coach however the criteria for that selection will be advised at the announcement of each team. Coaches are encouraged to be conversant with the criteria below when making their choice of the two players.

Each selected player shall receive an award/medal to acknowledge the achievement.

IDENTIFICATION CRITERIA

The player has demonstrated a consistently sound or better performance in all games.

The player has been a 'team player' first and foremost.

The player has demonstrated a high level of sportsmanship throughout all games.



FURTHER INFORMATION

MEDICAL

Medics will be located on-site to manage all medical incidents and enquiries. Medical will be roaming and based near field 1 - see the event site map on Page 8. Prior to attending the event, please ensure you are aware of the current Concussion Guidelines provided by the Australian Sports Commission, view the AIS and AMA position statement on concussion in the sport below.

[CONCUSSION GUIDELINES](#)

Please note that there are small costs associated with strapping and treatments. If you are looking to purchase strapping tape, there will be some available within the Medical tent.

Hospital

Bundaberg Hospital
Location: 271 Bourbong Street, Bundaberg
Central 4670

COMMUNICATION

Team Managers are encouraged to frequent the Athlete Services Area with any issues or questions regarding the event. A Team Manager may be called at any time during the event if required for urgent and/or matters that affect their team.

FOOD & DRINKS

There will be a canteen available for food within the Bundaberg Touch Clubhouse and additional food vendors within the venue.

ALCOHOL AND SMOKING

As this is a junior sporting event, no alcohol is to be brought onto the premises and smoking is also not permitted.

Section 6A of the *Smoke-free Environment Act 2000* declares a number of outdoor public places smoke-free. Smoking is banned in spectator areas at public sports grounds and other recreational areas. Penalties of up to \$550 apply to individuals who smoke in spectator areas at public sporting events.

RESULTS

The primary source of information draws and results for the tournament is the QTF Junior State Championships Team App. Be sure to download the app before the event – see page 3 for details.

All event results will be made available electronically via the website.

[QLD TOUCH FOOTBALL WEBSITE](#)

The results team will attempt to update the results online as soon as possible following the completion of games.



SCORE SHEETS

Team Score Sheets

Only registered players will be permitted to take the field. If a player's name is listed on the scorecard, but they are not playing for that specific game, you can signal this with a line through their name

It is the responsibility of each team to allocate the appropriate person to sign the score sheet at the end of each game (team manager and/or coach) to limit confusion and score disputes.

PLEASE NOTE

- No junior player should sign the score sheet.
- By signing the score sheet, the nominated person, on behalf of their team, has acknowledged and accepted the information on the score sheet to be correct, including
 - Full time and half-time scores
 - Playing Numbers
 - Send Offs or Period of Time sanctions

If you do not agree with the information on the score sheet, do not sign the score sheet and lodge a protest at the Athlete Services area – as outlined in the Conditions of Entry.

NOTE: this year you will be required to have completed a Team Score sheet which lists all Try's and Try Scorer's of the game.

If you do not present this completed sheet to the Athletes Services Desk, your protest will not be considered. Team Manager Score Sheets can be downloaded from the Junior State Championships webpage here:

[TEAM MANAGERS SCORE SHEET](#)

YELLOW CARD SYSTEM

A tool to address misconduct. Do not abuse it.

The Yellow Card Warning will apply to all coaches, team officials, and players at all QTF Events. The highest standard of professional conduct is an expectation at all QTF events. In addition to TFA Rule 17 - Discipline and Player Misconduct, the following procedures will also apply in addressing misconduct.

Team officials (including Coaches and Managers) and Players are under the direction of the referee during the game. Should a team official be deemed to be in breach of the Code of Conduct, the team official will be instructed at the end of the game by the match referee(s) that they will be reported for a conduct breach. The referee will ask the team official for their name. The game card will be marked accordingly with the name of the team official and include the words "COC breach".

This will effectively mean that a "yellow card" or warning has been actioned. On returning the game card to Referee Administration, the Referee Manager will report that there has been a breach and notify Tournament Director.

The offending Team Official/Player, along with the Affiliate or Regional Manager will be summonsed. The offending individual will be issued with an official "Yellow Card" warning and be asked to provide additional information as to their actions.

A further "yellow card" issued to an offending individual may result in a potential sanction under TFA Disciplinary Regulations.



FURTHER INFORMATION CONTINUED

PRESENTATIONS

Presentations will take place out the front of the Bundy Touch Clubhouse at the conclusion of games on Sunday afternoon. Please listen for an announcement from the ground announcer for updates.

AWARDS

Awards include:

- Champion Team (for each division)
- Player of the Final (for each division)
- Player of the Series (for each division)
- Champion Cup
- Merit Medal (12B, 12G Merit Team)
- Referee of the Tournament
- Junior Referee of the Tournament

Please ensure that your team is ready for presentations to commence as soon as the final game of the day is completed, to assist in presentations running to schedule.

TEAM PHOTOS

[DSA images](#) are the official event photographer for the 2019 Junior State Championships.

You will find the photo order form from the QLD Touch Football website.

[Team Photo Order Form](#)

[Individual Photo Order Form](#)

Please note all photographers require approval from the Event Organiser prior to attending the event. Any photographer that is not on the QTF event photographer approved list will be requested to stop.

QLD STATE CUP GOLD COAST, 29 NOV – 1 DEC 2019

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2019 JUNIOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS



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