

**TASMANIAN
2024 JUNIOR, YOUTH, SENIOR & PARA STATE SELECTION**



AVAILABILITY FORM

VERSION 3/23



STATE SELECTION AVAILABILITY FORM

CONDITIONS

1. State Selection Availability Form

- 1.1. This form is the means of advising Selectors of
- 1.2. your availability for state team selection and is not binding.
- 1.3. Confirmation of receipt of your availability form will be issued by the Chairman of Selectors with selection components and guidelines.
- 1.4. State Selection Availability due dates
 - 1.4.1. Tasmanian Junior, Youth, Senior & Para State Selection Form due Sat 9th March 2024.

2. Eligibility

- 2.1. Athletes must play in a minimum of three recognised Tasmanian Open Tournaments (in the age group or above for which they are available) to have their availability for selection considered. If selection has not already occurred the Tasmanian Closed Tournament will count towards this requirement.
- 2.2. To be considered for selection the athlete or parent/guardian (if under 18 years old) must sign the Table Tennis Tasmanian State Selection Availability agreement and return it to the Chairman of Selectors by the date stipulated on the form as established by the State Selectors.

3. Withdrawals

- 3.1. You may elect to withdraw your availability prior to the state selection date. This must be done in writing to the Chairman of Selectors. *Please refer to Section 4 National and State Emergencies*

4. National & State Emergencies

- 4.1. All national tournaments athletes will follow the rules and regulations set by the Table Tennis Tasmania (TTT) Board of Directors regarding national and state emergencies.
 - 4.1.1. Team Manager and Head Coach will be responsible for ensuring all rules and regulations are followed during national competitions. Ultimately though, it is the responsibility of all participants to adhere to the rules and guidelines.
 - 4.1.2. TTT Board will adhere to the rules and regulations set by Table Tennis Australia.

5. Funding Assistance

- 5.1. **Athletes must note that in the absence of any fundraising, athletes will be required to fund all costs associated with their membership of a team which includes interstate travel, accommodation and playing fees. Note: Due to 'duty of care' requirements Junior & Para Team Members will also be required to pay a share of any coach and manager costs.**
- 5.2. All athletes are expected to participate and co-operate in all fundraising activities organised by Table Tennis Tasmania which directly or indirectly assists the funding of state teams.
 - 5.2.1. Tasmanian government assistance for state team travel is available at the following web address https://www.sportaus.gov.au/grants_and_funding/local_sporting_champions#eligibility_criteria
 - 5.2.2. Local Sporting Championship Grant cannot be completed by Table Tennis Tasmania or affiliated associations/clubs. Individuals or parents/guardian must apply for this grant themselves. This only applies for athletes aged 12 -18.
- 5.3. Please check with your affiliated association/club for any possible funding assistance.
- 5.4. Your City/Town Council may offer grants to players who are residents.



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6. State Team Travel and Costs

- 6.1. As per *section 5 Funding Assistance*, all athletes will be responsible for their own costs and logistics.
 - 6.1.1. Athletes are responsible for their own travel arrangements including, flights, accommodation, meals, and travel to and from the venue.
 - 6.1.2. Junior, Youth and Para Coach's logistics including airfares, accommodation, transport, and any uniform requirements will be pre-paid by Table Tennis Tasmania.
 - 6.1.3. Regarding financial hardship, please email Director of Administration, Geoff Long at geoffglong@gmail.com

7. Training

- 7.1. Athletes are to attend training sessions as and when directed by the State Selectors and/or State Coach(s). Failure to attend without notice to the State Selectors and/or State Coach(s) may jeopardise selection.
- 7.2. Reports on training performance may be sought by the State Selectors from an individual's coach either prior to or after team selection.

8. Residential Qualifications

- 8.1. To be eligible for state selection, an athlete must have resided continuously in Australia for 12 months, including in Tasmania as a registered player for at least 6 months prior to the commencement date of the national championships.

9. Compliance with Instructions

- 9.1. All intending players are required to comply with instructions as and when given by either State Selectors, Selectors on Tour, State Director of Coaching, Team Manager and Team Coaches.
- 9.2. Players who breach such instructions or are the subject of a Report may be summoned to appear before the State Selectors or a Disciplinary Tribunal.

10. Umpiring

- 10.1. Players may be required to undertake an approved umpiring test either before or after the selection of a team.

11. Selection Announcement

It is expected that teams will be announced on Sat 5th May 2024.



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12. Para Classification

12.1. All Para classifications are conducted by Table Tennis Australia recognised classifiers. Para athlete can only be classified through a classification session prior to a national event.

12.1.1. If you have not previously been classified, please circle NA under Event Details – Para Classification.

12.1.2. Classification 1-5 wheelchair athletes, 6-10 standing athletes, 11 hearing impaired athletes.

STATE SELECTION FORM DUE DATES

If you wish to make yourself available for State selection at a national tournament this year, please fill out this form and return it by the due date to the Chairman of Selectors by post or email.

TTT Chairman of Selectors

Address: C/-17 Kirval Court, West Hobart 7000

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JUNIOR, YOUTH, SENIOR & PARA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP:

Availability Form due: 9th March 2024



STATE SELECTION AVAILABILITY FORM

PERSONAL DETAILS

SURNAME:

GIVEN NAME:

**CONTACT
NUMBER:**

EMAIL:

ADDRESS:

PLEASE CIRCLE: **MALE** **FEMALE** **DATE OF BIRTH:**

AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION/CLUB:

**I HEREBY ADVISE MY AVAILABILITY FOR STATE TEAM SELECTION AND AGREE TO THE
CONDITIONS OUTLINED IN THE AVAILABILITY FORM.**

SIGNED:

(PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE IF UNDER 18):

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONTACT NUMBER:

DATE:



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EVENT DETAILS

(PLEASE NOTE THE HOLDING OF AN EVENT IS SUBJECT TO GOVERNMENT COVID-19 REGULATIONS)

Indicate your entry preferences (please circle appropriate choices below)

Event Name: Junior, Youth, Senior & Para National Championship

Location: Mandurah, Western Australia

Date: 7th – 14th July 2024

CAPACITY: Athlete Coach Captain Manager Chaperone

TOURNAMENT: Junior Youth Senior Para

AGE GROUP (PLEASE CIRCLE APPROPRIATE AGE ACCORDING TO DATE OF BIRTH AFFECTIVE ON DECEMBER 31 OF CURRENT YEAR)

Junior: U/11 U/13 U/15 U/17 U/19

Youth: U/21

Senior: 22 years of age and higher (affective on December 31 of current year)

Para Classification: NA 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11
(NA if unsure):