



2021

QUEENSLAND OPEN TEAM SELECTION TRIALS

STAGE 1: 28 FEBRUARY & 7 MARCH
STAGE 2: 13-14 & 20-21 MARCH

FOR THE
AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
[incorporating the ANC Butler & the Swan River Swiss Pairs]
PERTH CONVENTION & EXHIBITION CENTRE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA
10TH – 22ND JULY 2021

ENTRY FEES (collected at start of each Stage)

\$40 per player per day
Youth Pairs have **FREE** entry

ENTRIES CLOSE 5PM WEDNESDAY 17 FEBRUARY

ALL ENTRIES

Stating contending or non-contending
plus mobile and email addresses for each player
DIRECT TO KIM ELLAWAY

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INFORMATION

- ◆ **ABF & QBA Regulations apply and all entrants are presumed to be familiar with relevant clauses.** For details see QBA Home Page under “About QBA”
qldbridge.com.au
- ◆ **ANC Participants Day - Saturday 26 June 2021.** Attendance is expected for members of the Queensland Open Team and optional for pairs placed 4th and 5th in the Trials
- ◆ Non-contending pairs may choose to enter Stage 1 only.
- ◆ **The format** and duration of the Trials is dependent on the number of entries received by 5pm on the closing date of Wednesday 17 February 2021.
 - ❖ **STAGE 1 – STAGE 2** FORMAT:
 - **Non-contending pairs** will enter Stage 1 on the understanding that they will not be proceeding to Stage 2. Their non-contending status must be declared on entry.
 - **Stage 1** will be held on two Sundays to eliminate at least 4 contending pairs.
 - **Stage 2** will be held on two weekends over 3 or 4 days.
 - ❖ **SINGLE STAGE** FORMAT:
 - This will be held over the two weekends allocated to “Stage 2 Open Trials” in the 2021 QBA Calendar
 - There will be **no non-contending pairs** and **no direct entry pairs**
- ◆ **Scoring method:** Cross-IMPs converted to Victory Points using the ANC scale adjusted according to the match length.
- ◆ **Other** – see [pages 30-34](#) of QBA Tournament Regulations
 - ❖ **Systems** – all systems are allowed. Yellow systems must be in the hands of the QBA Tournament Committee Chair by 27 January 2021
 - ❖ **System Cards** – 2 systemically identical and legible 4-page ABF system cards at the table throughout.
- ◆ **DIRECTOR:** Alan Gibson
- ◆ **VENUE:** Queensland Contract Bridge Club – **9.30am start on 1st day**
- ◆ **BYO lunches, snacks, water, cup and pen.**
- ◆ The Covid-19 plan for QCBC will apply as appropriate.