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## **NBS Senior Interclub 2019/20.**

### **Leagues and information sheet.**

NBTA offers the following options for Interclub competition for the 2019/20 season.

#### **Definitions:**

- Long deuce – normal full tennis deuce and advantage
- Short deuce – 1 normal deuce and advantage then sudden death
- Sudden death – one point decider receiver chooses side
- Conventional tie break - played first to 7 with a margin of 2.
- Match tie break – (super tie break) first to 10 with a margin of 2.

**Monday morning Women** - 9am warmup prompt 9.30am start. 4 person team. All matches up to 9. Conventional tie break at 8 all. Each player partners each of the other players on the team. Short deuce to be played to player of corresponding merit. i.e. Player 3 serves to player 3

**Monday morning Women Competitive league.** 9am warmup prompt 9.30am start. Best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Pairing as follows 1&2 V 1&2, 3&4 V 3&4, then 1&3 V 1&3, 2&4 V 2&4. , short deuce. If team numbers permit, will remain at 4 person team, if not, will reduce to 2 person team. (THIS IS A NEW LEAGUE OFFERED)

**Monday B Grade Women, Pool A** – 5.45pm. Numbers dependant this grade could be 4 person or 2 person teams. To be entered by club convenor on their merit as the club convenor sees fit. Each player will play one doubles and one singles. Singles best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set, short deuce. Doubles, best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set, short deuce.

**Monday B Grade Women, Pool B** – 5.45pm. Numbers dependant this grade could be 4 person or 2 person teams. To be entered by club convenor on their merit as the club convenor sees fit. Each player will play one doubles and one singles. Singles best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set, short deuce. Doubles, best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set, short deuce.

**Monday B Grade Mens** – 5.45pm. 4 person team. Numbers dependant this grade may be divided into 2 pools. Each player will play one doubles and one singles. Singles; best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Doubles; best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Short deuce. 3 & 4 play singles first. 3 courts used (maximum)

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**Tuesday A Grade Men – 5.45pm. 4 person team.** Each player will play one doubles and one singles. 3 & 4 play singles first, 1 & 2 play doubles first. Doubles; best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set, sudden death deuce. Singles; best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Long deuce. 3 courts used (maximum). Team numbers dependant, this league will play 2 rounds leading up to Christmas to be followed by Cameron Cup semis and finals between top 4 teams. Post Cameron Cup competition to be confirmed according to time available. Extend provision of lights across season for A Grade. Increase in team fees for extended use of lights, Team fee \$80

**Tuesday A Grade Women – 5.45pm. 2 person team.** Each player will play one doubles and one singles. Doubles; best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set, sudden death deuce. Singles; best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Long deuce. Cameron Cup semis and finals between top 4 teams post completion of A Womens League. Extend provision of lights across season for A Grade. Increase in team fees for extended use of lights, Team fee \$80

**Wednesday Competitive Men's Dbls. – 5.45pm.** 4 person team. This is a **men's** only league. Best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Pairing as follows 1&2 V 1&2, 3&4 V 3&4, then 1&3 V 1&3, 2&4 V 2&4. , short deuce. If team numbers permit, will remain at 4 person team, if not, will reduce to 2 person team.

**Wednesday Social Womens Dbls – 5.45pm.** 4 person team. Three matches to 6, with a conventional tie break at 6 all, thus playing with each person on the team. Short deuce to be played to player of corresponding merit. i.e. Player 3 serves to player 3.

**Wednesday Intermediate Grade Women's Dbls 5-45pm** Numbers dependant this grade could be 4 person or 2 person teams.. This is a **women's** only league. Format to be decided once team numbers confirmed.

**Wednesday Competitive Women's Dbls 5-45pm** 2 person team. This is a **women's** only league. 3 full sets played, conventional tie break at 6 all, long deuce. Bonus point to winner of the 3<sup>rd</sup> set.

**Thursday A Mixed Doubles. – 5.45pm.** 4 person team, 2 ladies and 2 men. 1 doubles and 1 mixed doubles best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Short deuce.

**Thursday Competitive B mixed Doubles – 5-45pm.** 4 person team, 2 ladies and 2 men. 1 doubles and 1 mixed doubles, best of 3 sets, conventional tie break at 6 all, match tie break 3rd set. Short deuce.

**Thursday Social B Mixed Doubles – 5.45pm.** 4 person team, combination of ladies and men. Three matches to 6, with a conventional tie break at 6 all, thus playing with each person on the team. Short deuce.

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**Team entries:** All team entries are to go through the club captain only. Captains - enter teams directly on line via Configure Ranking. Results - entered directly on line by the winning team via Configure Ranking as per last year. Ali will be in contact with each club captain with their entry instructions. Entries close on **29<sup>th</sup> September 2019**

**Junior Players:** several of the older junior players successfully took part in past senior interclub season – clubs please consider your older junior players when making up your teams again this year.

**Interclub starts the week of** Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October'19

**Play through to the week starting** Monday 2nd December'19

**Make up week for wet weather starting** Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December'19

**Christmas Break**

**Interclub restarts the week of** Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January '20

**Make up week for wet weather in the second half of the season** TBC

**Senior Prize Giving** Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April'20

**CANCELLATIONS:** uncertain weather - cancellations by mutual agreement. A week has been set aside Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> Dec for makeup games in the case of wet weather during the first half of the season, plus a week in March for the second half of the season. The venue as per the rained out match. Any further rained off matches are to be made up at a time suitable to both teams, in your own time.

Teams are required to work together to arrange a suitable time to replay, if 2 reasonable suggestions are provided by one team and declined by the other then a default occurs.

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