

## WIDE BAY ZONE EVENTS 2022 CONDITIONS OF CONTEST.

### Wide Bay Zone Novice Pairs Trial:

Players must be a Member of a Club within Wide Bay Zone. To be played in Maryborough. 3 Pairs will be subsidized to play in the QLD Novice Pairs.

### GNOT Club Play-offs:

Players must be a Member of a Club within the Wide Bay Zone. All four Clubs **MUST** hold a play-off. The top half of the field (or as near as possible) from each Club shall now progress to the Semi-final in Maryborough. Continuation from Club playoffs to the Semi Final is **NOT** compulsory. Each Club must send results of Home Club play offs and all Team members names to the Secretary on completion of their Club play offs. Each Club is responsible for sending their results to the State Masterpoint Secretary. When the State Masterpoint Secretary sends the account for the Masterpoints to your Club and after your Club has paid the account your Club must then send the account to the Wide Bay Zone Secretary and your Club will be reimbursed for the Gold Masterpoints. Each Team may nominate up to 6 Players in their Team. If a member of the original Team has to withdraw and the original Team did not nominate 6 players in their Team and needs to augment for the Semi-final, they may augment 2 players for that Team (making a total of 6 players). An augmented player can be selected from any player who has played in play-offs within Wide Bay Zone.

### GNOT Semi-Final:

To be in played in Maryborough. This Event will be played over 2 days. 4 Teams will now qualify to play off in the Final. To play in the Final you **MUST** be prepared to represent Wide Bay Zone, usually in November each year, at a venue to be announced. If you qualify in the top 4, your Team does not have to play in the GNOT Final. If a member of a Team has to withdraw and the original Team did not nominate 6 players in their Team and needs to augment for the Final, they may augment 2 players for that Team (making a total of 6 players). Wide Bay Zone will work their way down the Semi- final result list until 4 Teams are selected.

### GNOT Final:

The Final is to be played in Maryborough. The 4 Teams will play a Round Robin of 3 X 20 Board matches with the winning Team representing Wide Bay Zone. The Entry Fee for the winning Team is subsidised Wide Bay Zone. If a member of the original Team has to withdraw (**not for the sake of convenience**) and the original Team did not nominate 6 players in their Team and needs to augment for the Final, they may augment up to a total of 2 players for that Team (making a total of 6 players). An augmented player may only be selected from players who have played within Wide Bay Zone. If for some valid reason a player wishes to withdraw, changes must be approved by the GNOT Tournament Organiser. The request must be made through the State Secretary

### WBZ Teams Trials:

Players must be a Member of a Club within the Wide Bay Zone. This Event is played in Maryborough. Each Team may nominate up to 6 players in their Team. If a member of the original Team has to withdraw and the original Team did not nominate 6 players in their Team and needs to augment to compete in the QBA Open Teams, they may augment up to a total of 2 players for that Team (making a total of 6 players). An augmented player may only be selected from players who have played in Wide Bay Zone Teams Trial. 3 Teams will be subsidized to play in the QLD Festival of Bridge.

**Wide Bay Zone Open Pairs Trial:**

Players must be a Member of a Club within Wide Bay Zone. This Event is to be played in Maryborough. 3 Pairs will be subsidized to play in the Queensland Festival of Bridge.

**Wide Bay Zone Inter-Club Teams Final:**

Each Club must have a play-off in their appropriate Sections. Novice: 0.00 > 99.99 MP's Open: 100+ MP's. Players **MUST** be a Home Club Member of a Club within the Wide Bay Zone. For qualifying, players can only play in their respective Home Club. Each Team may nominate up to 6 players in their Team. If a member of the original Team has to withdraw and the original Team did not nominate 6 players in their Team, they may augment up to 2 players (making a total of 6 players) who have played in their respective Home Club playoffs The Final is played in Maryborough in November. The Final will be played in 2 Sections, Open and Novice. At the end of the Event the total VPs from both Sections shall be calculated together and the Club with the most VPs shall hold the Wide Bay Zone Inter-Club Teams Shield for 12 months.