

2023 National Snooker Pairs

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DRAW & PLAYING CONDITIONS

DATE: 9th & 10th September 2023
 VENUE: Howick Club
 REGISTRATION: 8.00-8.30am Saturday 9th September
 PLAY STARTS: 9.00am Saturday & Sunday
 DELEGATE'S MEETING: 8.45am Sunday

	Section 1		Section 2		Section 3		Section 4
1	Brent Jones Garry Hale (HOR)	1	Sani Roberts Vince Tate (MAN)	1	Baljeet Singh Vanny Ry (PAT)	1	Guy Burt Martin Jones (HOW)
2	John Lokeni Tupou Lokeni (MAN)	2	Mark Cleeton Cliff Keach (HEN)	2	Clay Taoai Banjo Browne (MAN)	2	Zac Papalii Chetan Raj (MAN)
3	Les Yates Wayne Herewini (HEN)	3	Mike Tuatai Moneer Dankha (MAN)	3	Andy Kong Michael Chen (HOW)	3	Trevor Wootton Chris Skelling (TEA)
4	Clive Thomson Laurie Holmes (HOW)	4	Nitesh Patel Wayne Tarrant (HOW)	4	Terry McCown Terry Tanner (HOW)	4	Bill Andrews Afa Papalii (MAN)
5	Vaoga Itutu Taalili Itutu (MAN)	5	Mark Cameron Tony Naylor (HOW)	5	Jon Davies Taffy Meredith (MAN)	5	Anthony Andrews Frank Hakiq (HOW)

Tournament Conditions:

Section Play:

Post Section:

Flight

Plate:

Last 16

Quarter Finals

Semi Finals

Final

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Top 4 from each section qualify

1 frame, scores to be recorded on sheet

1 frame

Best of 3 frames

Best of 3 frames

Best of 5 frames

Non qualifiers from Last 16

1 frame

Best of 3 frames

Best of 3 frames

Non qualifiers from section play

Best of 3 frames

Best of 3 frames

QUALIFICATION:

Qualifiers will be decided by: (a) Number of matches won, if equal then (b) points differential (points for minus points against), if equal then (c) points for, if equal then (d) points against, if equal then (e) who beat who, if equal then (f) seeding in the tournament.

IMPORTANT: PLEASE NOTE: This tournament has banned the use of mobile phones for receiving, calling or texting during the playing of a match. The penalty for ALL Snooker Matches will be LOSS OF FRAME.

DRESS CODE:

Dress trousers/slacks, collared long-sleeve shirt fastened at the wrists, bow or neck tie, and dress shoes must be worn during all tournament play. Waistcoat is optional. Eye shades may be worn, but no other form of headgear will be allowed.

NOT ACCEPTABLE – jeans, tracksuits, jandals, sandals, slippers, beachwear, roll neck pull overs, and T-shirts.

RULES: For this tournament, the foul and miss rule will be played as follows:

If you are unable to hit the ball on, a foul and miss will be called, your opponent has 3 options: play from where it is, make you play from where it is, or replace the balls and you play again. Your opponent may replace the balls and make you play again **TWICE** (2 times). On the third miss, your opponent has 2 options: play from where it is, or make you play from where it is.

SNOOKERS:

If you require 4 or more snookers with only the colours remaining on the table, to win, during section play, and the Plate, the match is over. This does not apply to the main event. Remaining points to be split between the 2 pairs, with any extra point going to the winning pair.

	Points Behind
Yellow	39
Green	37
Brown	34
Blue	33
Pink	31

The first pair on the Black gets 1 shot, unless both pairs require the black to win or draw.

REMINDER: This is pairs, you may talk to your partner before you go to the table, but must not talk again until your turn is finished. Your partner is not allowed to approach the table.