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2018 WINTER INTERCLUB

You are invited to enter a team in the upcoming Winter Interclub Competition. Competition commencing on **Thursday 3rd May.** Depending on the number of entries teams may be required to play on an alternative day. If this eventuates, the lowest grade(s) will be scheduled to play on Wednesday evenings. Teams will be advised of the draw before the competition begins. *If you do not have a partner we can pair you up with one*.

Playing Dates

Thursdays
May: 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th , 24 th , 31 st
June: 7 th , 14 th , 21 st , 28 th
July: 5 th , 12 th , 19 th , 26 th
Aug: 2 nd , 9 th , 16 th , 23 rd , 30 th
Sept: 6 th , 13 th , 20 th (if required)

WEEKS SCHEDULED WITHOUT PLAY

No weeks are scheduled without play at this point in time.

THE COMPETITION

All contests will be the best of 5 matches comprising 4 singles and 1 doubles. Each match will be the best of 7 games to 11 points. The doubles may be played best of 5 games to 11 points if both teams agree. Teams can opt to play with either 2 players or 3 players. In the instance that teams play with 2 players the format will be exactly the same as in recent years with players contesting 2 singles matches and 1 doubles match each. In the instance that teams play with 3 players the format will be slightly different. 1 player will play 2 singles matches, and 2 players will play 1 singles match and 1 doubles match each (the Olympic format). It is also possible for a 2 player team to compete against a 3 player team.

Starting time 7.30p.m. Late starters may be penalized competition points. Please note that if you can not attend every week of scheduled competition it is important that you enter in a 3-person team and rotate with the other players in the team depending on which players are available on a given night. It is often difficult for the stadium office to find replacements.

ENTRY FEE

- A team Entry Fee of \$40 must accompany your entry. All teams must pay this entry fee.
- The **night fee will be \$10 per player.** Financial stadium keyholders are exempted this night fee. (Excluding Life-time Stadium keyholders). If you are not already a stadium keyholder you may want to give consideration to becoming one as you may be financially better off.
- Entries close Thursday 19th April, 2018.

GRADES

The competition will comprise a number of Grades that will be based on the number of teams and quality of teams that enter the competition.

INDIVIDUAL PLAYER AWARDS

All players will be awarded two points for an individual win and one point for a doubles win.

NUMBER OF TEAMS

The number of team entries received will determine the format of the draw. If in excess of 42 teams enter the 2018 Winter Interclub competition the lowest grade(s) will be scheduled to play on Wednesday evenings (start time of 7.30p.m.)

OFFICIAL EQUIPMENT

The 2018 Winter Interclub will be contested on Butterfly Centrefold Rollaway table tennis tables. In the event of a dispute the official ball will be the Butterfly G40+ plastic white ball.

2018 WINTER INTERCLUB ENTRY FORM

I / MY TEAM WOULD LIKE TO PLAY EVERY NIGHT OF THE 2018 WINTER INTERCLUB COMPETITION RUNNING FROM MAY – SEPTEMBER 2018:-

at the beginning of the season.					
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Please ensure that your team entry fee is attached Or direct credit: "Auckland Table Tennis Association" 12-3013-0104400-00

E-mail entry form to: <u>aucklandtt@xtra.co.nz</u>