



**Victorian Tenpin Bowling Association Inc.  
Presents**

**2018 State Team Trials for:**

**Walter Rachuig Trophy**

**TBA National Seniors  
Team Challenge**

**TBA National Restricted  
Teams Challenge**

**19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2018**

**Oz Tenpin Chirnside Park  
25 Fletcher Road, Chirnside Park.**

**TBA Accreditation No: A18/0175**

**Scheduled Entries Close 5.00pm  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2018**



## **Composition of Victorian State Teams for 2018:**

### **Walter Rachuig:**

- top 4 men and top 4 women with the highest total scratch pinfall at the conclusion of 20 games; and
- the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> males and the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> females shall be determined by the State Team Selection panel.

### **Seniors:**

- top 3 men and top 3 women with the highest scratch pinfall at the conclusion of 8 games; and
- the 4<sup>th</sup> male and the 4<sup>th</sup> female shall be determined by the State Team Selection panel.

### **Restricted:**

- top 3 men and top 3 women with the highest scratch pinfall, plus handicap at the conclusion of 8 games;
- and the 4<sup>th</sup> male and the 4<sup>th</sup> female shall be determined by the State Team Selection panel.

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### **Submission dates for Forms:**

2018 TBAV State Team Nomination Form	17 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018
Application for Exemption (State Championships, if necessary, must accompany the 2018 TBAV State Team Nomination Form)	17 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018
Application for Exemption (2018 Rachuig Trials, if necessary, must accompany the 2018 TBAV State Team Nomination Form)	17 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018

### **Nomination & Eligibility Criteria for ALL TEAMS:**

1. Eligibility is open to all 2018 TBA registered players, residing in Victoria (including Albury), and may be restricted as to age and average (refer to the specific format criteria below). Registered player cards will be required to be presented at check-in. All successful Senior Challenge and Rachuig Team players are required to be 2018 Silver Members.
2. Bowlers must have bowled a minimum of 24 games during 2018 in a league in a TBA registered centre in Victoria, during the period 1 January 2018 to 30 April 2018. League games completed as pre bowling do not count towards the number of games bowled. As per TBA rules, a bowler must not bowl in another zone's State Team Trials.
3. Upon qualifying for the Victorian Walter Rachuig, Restricted Challenge and Senior Challenge teams, bowlers must continue to bowl in a league in a TBA registered centre and must continue to be a member in good standing.
4. In order to participate in these Team Trials, bowlers must have been a resident of Victoria for at least three (3) months prior to the first trial date and must have completed an All Events at state level in the twelve (12) month period prior to the first trial date – for the purposes of this clause, the first trial date is 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
5. Bowlers must have completed an All Events in the 2018 State Championships held at Keon Park during February 2018, unless:
  - a. prior exemption has been granted; and
  - b. an official exemption form has been completed and approved; and
  - c. the State Championships All Events Fee of \$83 (singles, doubles, teams, plus All Events) has been paid in full prior to the commencement of the 2018 State Team Trials.

### **Tournament Rules:**

1. Bowlers are required to check in at the tournament room prior to the designated check-in time. Any queries or protests must be lodged at this time. Bowling will commence after briefing.
2. All Tenpin Bowling Australia rules and regulations shall apply at all times.
3. TBA's Code of Conduct, Social Media and Member Protection Policies shall apply at all times.
4. All athletes shall familiarize themselves with TBAV's Athlete Obligations guidelines (refer page 7). These guidelines will be applicable to all athletes participating in TBAV State Team Trials, and for all athletes who either qualify for, or are selected into, Victoria's Adult State Teams.
5. Mobile phones must be switched off whilst bowling. Personal entertainment systems (phones, tablets, laptops computers, mp3, iPods, etc) will not be allowed in the players' area. The use of 'apps' in the players' area will not be permitted.
6. For these state team trials, the designated players' area will be for participating bowlers only. The designated players' area shall be confirmed during the briefing session prior to commencement of each day's play.
7. Any bowler wishing to leave the lanes during the event must first obtain the permission of the Tournament Director or an event official.
8. Any disputes or complaints regarding on-lane activities must be lodged with the Tournament Director within fifteen minutes of any alleged infringement. The Disputes / Tournament Committee will deal with any disputes or complaints. Their decision will be final.
9. All bowlers are required to wear a collared shirt or bowling industry shirt. Men to wear slacks; ladies to wear a skirt, slacks, skorts or dress shorts. No singlets, tracksuit pants or torn clothing will be permitted. The Disputes / Tournament Committee will decide what constitutes acceptable attire.

10. Any bowler who qualifies for any Victorian State Team(s), and subsequently incurs an injury between the completion of the State Team Selection Trials and the date of the respective 2018 National event, will be required to submit written medical clearance prior to competing in October 2018, to the Tournament Secretary by no later than 30 September 2018.
11. All bowlers should be aware of, and will be subjected to, all ASADA policies, guidelines and penalties
12. The Disputes / Tournament Committee will decide on any matter not previously covered.

For the purposes of the 2018 Victorian Adult State Team Trials:

Tournament Directors:

Louise Eady  
Jamie Taafe

Disputes / Tournament Committee:

Louise Eady	Tournament Director
Jamie Taafe	Tournament Director
Denece Jones	Tournament Secretary

The Tournament Rules and the Athlete Obligations will apply to TBAV State Team Trial competitors and the eventual representative team members. These rules and obligations should be read in conjunction with the TBA Rules and Regulations, TBA Code of Conduct, TBA Social Media and TBA Member Protection Policies.

Any bowler not conforming to the conduct requirements of TBAV will have their right to represent Victoria revoked.

Penalties

- First offence will be a verbal warning;
- Second offence will receive a 'yellow' card;
- Third offence will receive a 'red' card, which means that the bowler will be out of the respective State Team trials.

In the case of illness or injury, the members of the tournament team/respective team managers, will have the authority to act in the best interests of the bowler concerned, and if necessary, seek medical assistance at the bowler's expense

## **2018 Adult Nationals:**

The 2018 Adult Nationals will be conducted at Oz Tenpin, Chirnside Park, Vic, during October 2018. Schedule of events and Team event rules will be available on the TBA website.

**Note:** All team members must complete an All Events in the Australian National Championship.

*For planning purposes, key dates are as follows:*

Please note that once team members have assembled in Melbourne, they are required to stay in accommodation as organised by the State Committee for the entire duration of the challenge tournament (i.e. 4 nights).

	<b>Restricted Challenge Team</b>	<b>Seniors Challenge Team</b>	<b>Walter Rachuig Team</b>
<b>Own arrangements for travel</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>To be at Chirnside Park</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> October 2018 AM	13 <sup>th</sup> October 2018 AM	20 <sup>th</sup> October 2018 AM
<b>Bowl Nationals</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	13 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	20 <sup>th</sup> & 21 <sup>st</sup> October 2018
<b>Rachuig / Challenges</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	16 <sup>th</sup> – 18 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	23 <sup>rd</sup> – 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2018
<b>Presentation Dinner</b>	11 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	18 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	27 <sup>th</sup> October 2018

### **ALL TEAM MEMBERS**

Upon selection, Rachuig team members will be required to pay in the vicinity of \$1400, Seniors & Restricted in the vicinity of \$1100. This is a guideline only and is based upon costs known and reasonably estimated at March 2018. Once costs such as lineage and accommodation are more accurate, the final cost to team members may vary.

All monies due by team members must be paid in monthly instalments or they may be replaced by the next available reserve. Any monies paid will only be refundable by written request after deduction of the committee's expenses and outlays.

**Payments:** Monthly instalments of \$300, (Rachuig \$350) payable by 30th June 2018, 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018, 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018; the fourth and final instalment, to be paid after receipt of an itemized account, is payable by 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2018.

**NOTE:** These instalments are **COMPULSORY**, and if you, as an athlete, are unable to comply with payment arrangements, then please do NOT nominate.

## **FORMAT: Walter Rachuig Team Trial**

**Entry Fees & Payment:** Cost: \$150.00 (payable at check-in)

**Rachuig bowlers ALSO wishing to trial for Seniors and/or Restricted, will pay an additional \$20 per nomination.**

**Day 1 - Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018 - Check-in by 9.45am - Bowling 10.00am after briefing.**

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl 6 games.

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl another 6 games.

**Day 2 - Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018 - Bowl 10.00am**

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl 4 games.

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl another 4 games

***Note: bowlers arriving late will still be subject to a briefing and will begin play with the score count beginning in the frame that they are ready to bowl - the definition of late shall mean the bowler must have commenced bowling prior to the completion of Game 1 on each Day. Any bowler who presents later than the conclusion of game 1 on either Day 1 or Day 2, shall not be entitled to compete***

**Total scratch pinfall will decide the top (4) four men and the top (4) four women as members of the 2018 Victorian Walter Rachuig Team to compete at Oz Tenpin, Chirnside Park, Vic during October 2018.**

Should a tie occur for fourth qualifying position in either the male or female division, a single game will be played to break the tie. Any subsequent tie will require a 10<sup>th</sup> frame playoff until the tie is broken.

**The State Team Selection Panel will select the (5<sup>th</sup>) fifth and the (6<sup>th</sup>) sixth male and the (5<sup>th</sup>) fifth and the (6<sup>th</sup>) sixth female member of the team.**

## **FORMAT: National Seniors Challenge Team Trial**

**Participants must attain the age of 50 or above by 31/12/18.**

**Entry Fees & Payment:** Cost: \$65.00 (payable at check-in)

**Senior bowlers ALSO wishing to trial for Restricted, will pay an additional \$20 per nomination.**

**Day 1 - Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018 - Check-in by 9.45am - Bowling 10.00am after briefing**

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl 4 games.

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl another 4 games.

***Note: bowlers arriving late will still be subject to a briefing and will begin play with the score count beginning in the frame that they are ready to bowl - the definition of late shall mean the bowler must have commenced bowling prior to the completion of Game 1. Any bowler who presents later than the conclusion of Game 1, shall not be entitled to compete***

**At the conclusion of eight (8) games of qualifying, the top (3) three men and the top (3) three women on scratch pinfall, will become members of the 2018 Victorian National Seniors Challenge Team to compete at Oz Tenpin, Chirnside Park, Vic during October 2018.**

**The State Team Selection Panel will select the (4<sup>th</sup>) fourth male and the (4<sup>th</sup>) fourth female member of the team.**

## **FORMAT: National Restricted Challenge Team Trial**

Bowlers must not have any league average, including touring leagues, exceeding 184 pins for the Men's Division and 174 pins for the Women's Division, over 24 games, as at **31<sup>st</sup> December, 2017**.

Handicap will be calculated using 100% of the difference between the bowlers entering average and 200.

**Entry Fees & Payment:** Cost: \$65.00 (payable at check-in)

**Restricted Bowlers ALSO wishing to trial for the Seniors will pay an additional \$20 per nomination.**

**Day 1 - Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018 - Check-in by 9.45am - Bowling 10.00am after briefing**

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl 4 games.

Lanes will be dressed - All bowlers will bowl another 4 games.

***Note: bowlers arriving late will still be subject to a briefing and will begin play with the score count beginning in the frame that they are ready to bowl - the definition of late shall mean the bowler must have commenced bowling prior to the completion of Game 1. Any bowler who presents later than the conclusion of Game 1, shall not be entitled to compete***

**At the conclusion of eight (8) games of qualifying, the top (3) three men and the top (3) three women on scratch pinfall plus handicap, will become members of the 2018 Victorian National Restricted Challenge Team to compete at Oz Tenpin, Chirnside Park, Vic during October 2018.**

**The State Team Selection Panel will select the (4<sup>th</sup>) fourth male and the (4<sup>th</sup>) fourth female member of the team.**

## **ATHLETE OBLIGATIONS:**

### **1. General**

- 1.1. As a member of the Team, the athlete agrees to:
  - 1.1.1. comply with, the TBA Constitution, Policies, Procedure and By-Laws and this agreement;
  - 1.1.2. respect the spirit of fair play and non-violence and behave accordingly;
  - 1.1.3. conduct themselves so as to obtain and maintain their best possible mental and physical fitness and health to perform to the highest possible standard at the event and carry out their duties to the Team to the best of their ability;
  - 1.1.4. observe and comply with all reasonable directions of the Team Coach and /or Team Manager and any person appointed by them;
  - 1.1.5. not engage in conduct which is, in the absolute discretion of the Chairman of TBAV or, during the period of the 2018 TBA Adult Nationals, in the absolute discretion of the Team Coach or Team Manager of the Victorian State Teams will or would be likely to bring the athlete, the sport, TBA, TBAV or the Team into disrepute or censure;
  - 1.1.6. travel and depart from the event accommodation on the dates and in the manner determined or approved by the TBAV Coach or as directed by the Team Manager;
  - 1.1.7. reside in the official event accommodation for the whole of the period as determined by the Team Manager or at such other location during the event as directed or approved by the Team Manager;
  - 1.1.8. wear and use exclusively the Team Uniform throughout the event and at all other times as directed by TBAV including without limitation at all official events and functions. The requirement to wear the Team Uniform does not apply to competition shoes or Specialised Equipment;
  - 1.1.9. provide all reasonable assistance to TBAV in its fundraising activities; and
  - 1.1.10. notify TBAV in writing of the name of their Sponsors and the relevant terms of the agreements with their Sponsors within 14 days of their selection as a member of the Team and to promptly advise TBAV of all changes to their Sponsor and the terms of any agreements with their Sponsors.
- 1.2. The athlete acknowledges that failure to comply with the above mentioned requirements will be subject to the following penalties:
  - 1.2.1. The athlete being ineligible to nominate, roll-off or be selected in any State team to compete in TBA National Championships including President's Shield, Youth Challenge or Rachuig in 2018 or 2019; and
  - 1.2.2. An athlete may be disqualified and sent home from the tournament at the athlete's expense should they fail to comply with the requirements outlined in clause 1.1. TBAV shall follow the process outlined in clause 4 should any breaches of athlete's obligations occur.
- 1.3. The athlete agrees that their obligations under this agreement will bind their heirs, executors, assigns and personal representatives.

### **2. Alcohol & Tobacco**

- 2.1. Athletes (either individually or collectively) must not demonstrate behaviour, which may reasonably be seen by other competitors, officials or spectators as being inappropriate for an athlete who is a member of the 2018 Victorian State Adult Teams;
- 2.2. Athletes must refrain from smoking in their Victorian team uniform.

### **3. Gambling**

The athlete agrees:

- 3.1. not to appear in, participate in or permit their image to be used for or in connection with the endorsement, promotion or marketing of any betting or gambling agency that relates to the Event;
- 3.2. not to participate in any gambling or betting activities whilst wearing their Victorian team uniform.

### **4. Breach of Obligations Disciplining Procedure**

- 4.1. The athlete acknowledges and agrees that, during the Event period, the standard of their behaviour will be assessed by the State Coach and Team Manager, following values which comply with the principles of fair play outlined below.
- 4.2. The athlete acknowledges and agrees that as a member of a Victorian representative Team they will be required to take on the role of an Ambassador of the sport, TBA and TBAV. As a sporting Ambassador, the athlete fully understands that it is imperative that they live the principles of fair play as listed below.



**The athlete agrees to demonstrate:**

### ***Integrity***

**Play by the rules and spirit of the sport and agree that at all times he/she will:**

- participate in the best interest of the sport and other participants, always having regard to governing rules, regulations and standards;
- set an example for others in the way he/she conducts himself/herself when playing, or spectating, winning or losing;
- encourage positive actions and appreciation for people's good behaviour and involvement – remember to thank those who assist you; and
- advocate a pure sport environment, free of alcohol, and performance enhancing and illegal drugs.

### ***Respect***

**Value the rights, dignity and worth of every individual at all times through recognition of the fact that:**

- everyone has the same value and right to be respected regardless of gender, age, ability, ethnic origin or religion; and
- as part of a team, he/she will value and utilise the skills, aspirations and goals of team members to help them reach their full potential.

### ***Responsibility***

**The buck stops with the athlete and, accordingly, will:**

- demonstrate good sportsmanship by acting positively, and taking responsibility for their actions, decisions and behaviour; and
- take appropriate actions to protect others from any form of harassment or abuse.

### ***Excellence***

**The athlete will give it their best shot! The athlete will:**

- Go for it! Rise to the challenge; and
- Enjoy the journey. Strive to compete at their best!

The athlete will comply with the TBA Bowlers Code of Ethics, the TBA Member Protection Policy and the TBA Social Media Policy and understands that failure to do so will result in penalties as outlined in clause 4.3.

4.3. The athlete acknowledges that:

- 4.3.1. where the Team Manager receives a complaint about a member's behaviour, or believes on other grounds that an athlete may have breached this agreement, the Team Manager will investigate the matter and report all information to the State Coach and the Chairperson of TBAV to instigate disciplinary procedures; and
- 4.3.2. together the State Coach and State Team Manager have the authority to determine the sanction to be applied for a breach of the required standard of behaviour, except where the State Coach believes that the athlete ought to be expelled from the Team or the Board of TBAV believe that the athlete ought to have a financial sanction applied.

4.4. The parties agree that each complaint will be dealt with on a case by case basis

4.5. The State Coach has the power in their absolute discretion for incidents arising during the Event period to:

- 4.5.1. terminate the athlete's membership of the Team and where possible, replace said athlete with the named reserve; and / or
- 4.5.2. require the athlete to leave the event venue; and/or
- 4.5.3. exclude the athlete from competition; and / or
- 4.5.4. impose financial penalties in respect of TBAV financial or other support provided to the athlete by the Board of TBAV upon their return; and / or
- 4.5.5. if the athlete is accused of breaching this agreement, the athlete will have an opportunity to meet with the State Coach and Team Manager to discuss the matter; and
- 4.5.6. the Team Manager will use his/her best endeavours to ensure that all complainants will receive a response and a Determination within 24 hours of being lodged.

# State Team Selection Policy

With Victoria moving to a combination of qualification (the top four men and the top four women with the highest total) and selection (the remaining two (2) members of each team), the selection process will be governed by the TBAV State Team Selection Policy as detailed below:

## 1.0 Eligibility

- 1.1 Prospective team members must have completed an All Events in the State Championships, immediately preceding the respective state team trials, unless prior exemption has been granted and an official exemption form has been completed and approved, and accompanied by the respective All Events fee.
- 1.2 Prospective team members must have been a resident of Victoria for at least three (3) months prior to the first trial date of the respective tournament, and must have completed an All Events at state level in the twelve (12) month period prior to the first trial date of the respective tournament.

## 2.0 Procedure

- 2.1 The State Team Selection Panel will be empowered to select eligible athletes to be included into teams competing in events as determined by the State Board.
- 2.2 State team members will be selected by a State Team Selection Panel, nominated by the Board of TBAV and (for the 2018 Victorian Adult Teams Trials) will comprise of: Louise Eady, Graham Pearson and Jamie Taafe.
- 2.3 State team selection criteria include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - Eligible member
  - Current form during TBA accredited tournaments, including ranked events
  - Athlete's recent form (if applicable) during past state and national competitions
  - Participation and results in State Championships
  - Cohesive temperament in a team environment
  - Historical ability to take direction from team coaching and managerial staff
  - Ability to represent Victoria with dignity, humility and professionalism.
- 2.4 Each team member will be selected by a majority vote of the State Team Selection Panel.
- 2.5 Members of the State Team Selection Panel must act in the strictest confidence during the selection process. Breaching any confidentiality during the selection process may lead to sanctioning of the panel member by TBAV.
- 2.6 Athletes not selected in the team are permitted to appeal the decision made by the State Team Selection Panel under the criteria set out in Section 3.0 of this policy.

## 3.0 Athlete Appeal Procedure

- 3.1 An athlete not gaining state team selection may lodge an appeal on the sole grounds that the State Team Selection Policy was not properly followed or implemented.
- 3.2 An athlete wishing to appeal against the process of team selection must advise a member of the State Team Selection Panel in writing of their intention to appeal within 24 hours of the announcement of the team.
- 3.3 Should an appeal be lodged, the status of the announced team or position remains unconfirmed until the appeals process has been completed.
- 3.4 Appeals in the first instance should be lodged with the panel responsible for making the original selection.

- 3.5 Should an appellant be dissatisfied with the answer received from the panel, they should lodge a further appeal with the State Association.
- 3.6 Should an appellant be dissatisfied with the answer received from the State Association, they should lodge a further and final appeal with TBA.
- 3.7 All communications between the appellant and the relevant Committee must be in writing. Alleged verbal communications will not be taken into consideration in any appeals.
- 3.8 Only those persons comprising an Appeals Panel will be permitted to sit on the panel. Others with relevant information can be called to address the panel with their witness statements.
- 3.9 TBAV must see to the creation of an independent Appeals Panel, comprised of members who have not been involved in any of the selection process at that time.
- 3.10 TBAV has appointed an Appeals Panel for the purposes of this policy and (for the 2018 Victorian Adult Teams Trials) will comprise of: Denece Jones, Simon Pearce and Glenn Whiting.
- 3.11 Persons associated with the original selection will not be permitted to make any attempt to sway the appeals process, either by communicating with the Independent Panel members or addressing the panel prior to any proceedings taking place where that person is called to give testimony.
- 3.12 No person is eligible to be appointed to the Appeals Tribunal if he or she is in any way related to the appellant or any member of the Team Selection Panel.
- 3.13 The Appeals Tribunal will convene a hearing within 14 days after receipt of the submission of the grounds of appeal.
- 3.14 Prior to the hearing, the Team Selection Panel will provide the members of the Appeals Tribunal and the appellant with a written statement as to the reasons for the decision against which the appeal is made.
- 3.15 The Appeals Tribunal will give its decision as soon as practicable after the hearing and will provide the appellant with a statement of the reasons for its decision.
- 3.16 Should the process escalate to Tenpin Bowling Australia Limited, the findings of any Appeal to a TBA-appointed Appeals Tribunal will be final.

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# Nomination Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male / Female \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

2018 TBA Registered Player Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Verified by Tournament Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please nominate the State Team Trials for which this entry is valid:**

2018 Rachuig Team Trial - \$150.00

2018 Restricted Challenge Team Trial - \$65.00

2018 Seniors Challenge Team Trial - \$65.00

Additional entries = \$ 20.00 per entry

Successful bowlers, on the completion of the roll off, will be required to sign an Athletes Agreement.

**LIST ALL LEAGUE AVERAGES IN A TBA REGISTERED CENTRE AS AT 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018  
(over a minimum of 24 games between 1<sup>st</sup> January and 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018)**

**RESTRICTED BOWLERS – LIST HIGHEST LEAGUE AVERAGE AS AT 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2017.**

Centre	League	Games at 30/4/2018	Average	Average as at 31/12/17	League Secretary Name	Verified by Tournament Secretary

**This entry form must be completed prior to bowling and will not be accepted unless completed in full**

In signing this Nomination Form, I acknowledge and agree:

- a. that I have read and understood all aspects of the 2018 Adult State Team Trials nomination form (including, but not limited to, the eligibility criteria, the format, the tournament rules, the athlete’s obligations and the athlete’s responsibilities upon becoming a member of a Victorian 2018 State Team);
- b. that the tournament team / management team in charge will have the authority to act in my best interests and, if necessary, authorise them to seek medical assistance at my expense; and
- c. that I agree to comply with the payment instalments plan

Signed (athlete): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Return nomination form to: **Denece Jones  
Tournament Secretary  
denece@bigpond.net.au**

I do not allow the Victorian Tenpin Bowling Association to use my email address for any purpose (other than in relation to State Team Selection) (tick if necessary)



## 2018 VICTORIAN ADULT STATE TEAMS

### PLAYER AGREEMENT FORM

**\*\*DOES NOT NEED TO BE FILLED OUT PRIOR TO MAKING THE TEAM\*\***

I accept my position in the 2018 Victorian Rachuig \* Senior\* Restricted\* Team (\*delete which is not applicable) and agree:

1. to be available to travel to Chirnside Park as required, during the period 6<sup>th</sup> October 2018 to 27<sup>th</sup> October 2018 (inclusive).
2. to accept all direction from the Team Managers and Coaches and to attend and participate in all team training sessions, except for illness or injury or any circumstances granted by the Management Team.
3. that the team will be accommodated together for the duration of the challenge competition.
4. that I have read and agree to abide by the TBA code of ethics, TBA Social Media Policy, TBA Member Protection Policy, the TBA rules covering the tournament and the team of which I am a member. I understand and agree that if there is a breach of the code, policies or rules that I may be removed from the team and team environment at any time as determined by the team management. No refunds will be given and any expenses incurred will be at my own cost.
5. that I will pay monthly instalments as contained within the nomination form and further highlighted below. This instalment program is a non-negotiable requirement for all bowlers making any Victorian Representative Team. The instalment program for the 2018 Victorian Adult State Teams is \$300.00 or \$350.00, payable on / by each of following dates:  
30th June 2018, 31st July 2018, 31st August 2018, any balance due (after receiving an itemised account) due and payable no later than 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2018.
6. that I understand that these payments are instalments of the costs incurred as a member of the team, and I agree to pay the full amount of these costs. Voluntary payments leading up to each payment date can be made with prior arrangement with the TBAV State Treasurer. I understand that any further items and expenses that are incurred and not covered in the estimated budget are my responsibility. **Failure to make any payments as set down in this agreement may result in forfeiture of my place in the team.**
7. that if for any reason I withdraw from the team, I will pay / forfeit any monies to TBAV that have been outlaid on my behalf up to the point of withdrawal; no refunds will be given unless a replacement is found. No official team uniforms will be issued, irrespective of whether they have been paid for, if withdrawing from the team.
8. if I withdraw or am removed from the team and my account is in credit I understand that if the credit balance is due to prepayment, the money will be refunded; but if the credit is due to fundraising, this money will not be refunded.
9. to conduct myself in a manner befitting an ambassador of TBAV and the sport of Tenpin Bowling and where possible assist in public relations, promotional and other activities as requested by TBAV and the Management Team.
10. to the dress rules as applied by the National body in regard to their dress policy and rules.
11. that I understand and accept that failure to abide by this agreement may result in my removal from the team and the loss of any monies paid.

**Bowler:** Surname ..... Christian name: .....

**Signed:** .....

**Date:** .../.../...



**APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION: 2018 VICTORIAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

2018 TBA Registered Player Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Verified by Tournament Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

State Team: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to advise that I was unable to complete an All Events in the current year's State Championships due to:

(Please tick one of the following and attach the necessary documentation)

A Medical Condition – (please attach a medical certificate)

A National Team Commitment – (please attach notice of selection)

Business / family related commitments – (please attach your itinerary/roster etc.)

Other – (please attach details)

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return completed form and All Events entry fee of \$90.00, to:

**Denece Jones**  
**Tournament Secretary**  
**Email: [denece@bigpond.net.au](mailto:denece@bigpond.net.au)**



**APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION: 2018 VICTORIAN ADULT TEAM TRIALS**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

2018 TBA Registered Player Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Verified by Tournament Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to apply for exemption from the 2018 Rachug \* Senior\* Restricted\* (\*delete which is not applicable) trial due to:

(Please tick one of the following and attach the necessary documentation:)

A Medical Condition – (please attach a medical certificate)

A National Team Commitment – (please attach notice of selection)

Business / family related commitments – (please attach your itinerary/roster etc.)

Other – (please attach details)

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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