



# 2019 State Country Championships

## Association information

### Championship dates

The 2019 Championships will be held on the following dates:

- Senior Country Championships 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2019, Starplex
- Junior Country Championships U14 and U18, 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019
- Junior Country Championships U12 and U16, 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> March 2019

### Registration and By-laws

- All registrations must be completed online
- By-laws have changed, please ensure you are familiar with these changes and/or all other By-laws

### Fees

The team nomination fees to cover the expenses relating to hosting the Championships are:

- Senior Country Championships; \$290.00 (incl. GST) per team
- Junior Country Championships; \$310.00 (incl. GST) per team

The fees and reimbursements for Referee nomination are as follows:

- No referee nominated with the team - \$200 fee
- A non-country Referee nominated with the team - \$125 fee
- Country Referee nominated with the team - \$50 reimbursement
- Refer below for Referee nomination requirements

### Grades

Nominations will be accepted for the following grades:

- Seniors: A, B, C – men and women
- Juniors: Div 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 – boys and girls

Teams may be re-graded or grades combined at the discretion of SACBCI once nominations close.

### By-law

The Country Championships by-laws can be downloaded via our website [www.sacbc.com.au](http://www.sacbc.com.au) under the competitions menu.

### **Tax invoices**

A tax invoice will be issued to the Association on receipt of a nomination.

### **Team Nominations**

- Senior Country Championships; team nominations close on **2<sup>nd</sup> January 2019**
- U12/14/16/18 Junior Country Championships; team nominations close on Tuesday **5<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

Team Nominations will be collected via an [online form](#) to ensure all required information is received.

Note:

- **Invoices must be paid in full** and Referee documentation received prior to a nomination being accepted
- Any rebates for Referee provision will be provided after the event – full payment of the team nomination fee is required in advance

### **Team Sheets**

All teams will be required to complete a Team Sheet and forward this to SA Country by the dates listed below. If changes to the Team Lists occur after this date SA Country need to be notified immediately.

- **9<sup>th</sup> January 2019** – Senior Country Championships
- **13<sup>th</sup> February 2019** – U12/14/16/18 Junior Country Championships

**Please send all team sheets to the following email address** [office@sacbc.com.au](mailto:office@sacbc.com.au)

### **Player Registrations**

- Senior Country Championships; player registrations close on **11<sup>th</sup> January 2018**
- U12/14/16/18 Junior Country Championships; player registrations close on **22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019**

Player registration will be collected online to ensure all required information is received. At the time of team registration you will be provided with a registration link and Team Code. This will need to be used to register all players online.

## **Referees**

Referees will be required to register their interest in assisting at the tournament online.

Note that it is a requirement of the nomination process that the Referees register and advise of their availability to validate your team nominations. The program is linked to the fixture and can accommodate a request to not clash with specified teams or times during the Championships.

The link to the online form for Referee nomination will be distributed prior to the tournament.

The required number of Referees is as follows:

1-3 teams: 1 Referee per team

4-5 teams: 3 Referees

6-8 teams: 4 Referees

9+ teams: 5 Referees

Failure to correctly nominate may incur penalties at the discretion of the organising committee.

## **Playing uniforms**

An alternative playing uniform **must** be provided in the event of colour clashes.

## **First Aid**

Each team will need to provide First Aid requirements. SA Country will ensure a qualified sports medicine trainer will be present at each venue – note that they are not able to supply tape to all players, please ensure you provide tape.

## **Fines and other fees**

Forfeit fines are to be paid by the nominating Association if a team withdraws after the fixture is created. Nomination fee will not be refunded once the fixture has been completed.

Team sheets accompany this information.

We look forward to your participation in the Country Championships.