

## **Queensland School Sport**

# 13-19 years Boys Hockey Competition Procedures

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This document <u>must</u> be read in conjunction with the QSSMG Competition Procedures.

#### 1 Queensland School Sport Internal Structures

#### 1.1 Sport Specific Committees and Advisory Groups

The Queensland School Sport (QSS) 13-19 years Boys Hockey sports specific committee follows:

- Queensland School Sport Management Group (QSSMG) Competition Procedures.
- Queensland School Sport 13-19 years Boys Hockey Competition Procedures

QSS 13-19 years Boys Hockey Competition Procedures and QSSMG Competition Procedures must be read in conjunction with one another.

#### 1.2 Registration of New Sports

### 1.3 Alternative Procedures Enabling Participation at a School Sport Australia Competition

- 1.4 De-registration of Sports
- 1.5 Sport Specific Committee Reports
- 1.6 State Sport Committee Finances

#### 2 Approval of Competitions

#### 3 Competition Programs

3.1 State Championships (Inter-regional Competition)

#### 3.2 State Championship Competition Rules

- 3.2.1 All games will be played under the Hockey Queensland Rules and Interpretations except where quoted below.
  - 3.2.1.1 At the State Championships all field players must wear shin guards when taking the field of play.
- 3.2.2 Each team will consist of up to 14 field players plus a maximum of two Goal Keepers. (If selecting two goal keepers at least one must be 16 years and under)
- 3.2.3 The competition will be conducted by using points.
  - 3.2.3.1 The following points will be given on the result of the game:-

Win 3 points
Draw 1 point

If a game is unable to be completed due to safety reasons and cannot be re-scheduled, the result will stand if more than half the game is played, otherwise the result will be 0-0 draw (see Rule 10).

- 3.2.3.2 The rank order at the end of the pool games will be decided in the following order:
  - Points
  - Goal balance: goals "for" less goals "against"
     If a tie still exists
  - Highest number of goals scored in the rounds

If a tie still exists

• Count back (result of match in qualifying round)

If a tie still exists

- Result of match in qualifying against the highest ranked team
   If a tie still exists
- Goal balance against the highest ranked team
   If a tie still exists
- First scorer in the game between two tied teams
   If a tie still exits
- A penalty stroke competition shall be played as outlined in Rule 9
- 3.2.3.3 3.3 At the completion of the pool games, cross pool games will be played using the following format:

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Second in Pool A
                        Third in Pool B
                                           (game A)
Second in Pool B
                        Third in Pool A
                                           (game B)
Fourth in Pool A
                        Fifth in Pool B
                                           (game C)
Fourth in Pool B
                        Fifth in Pool A
                                           (game D)
Semi-final Winner of game A
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                                    first in Pool B
                                                     (game E)
Semi-final Winner of game B
                                    first in Pool A
                                                     (game F)
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In the event of a draw for any of these games a shoot-out will be used to determine the winner.

3.2.3.4 Play off for final positions will be as follows:

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Winner of game E v Winner of game F 1st & 2nd Loser of game E v Loser of game F 3rd & 4th Loser of game A v Loser of game B 5th & 6th Winner of game C v Winner of game D 7th & 8th Loser of game C v Loser of game D 9th & 10th
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3.2.3.5 Positional play-off:

In the event of a drawn game in positional play-offs from 1st to 10th, then the shoot-out competition will be used to determine the winner.

- 3.2.4 The time for each game shall be 2x30 minutes with five minutes at half time.
- 3.2.5 All games will be timed from the central position and will start and finish on the central signal.
- 3.2.6 If a stroke or corner is in progress when the half time or finish central signal is blown, the stroke or corner will be completed before the umpire blows time.

- 3.2.7 The final will be 2x30 minutes with time out for injuries and other stoppages. Should the game be drawn at full time, the shoot-out competition will be used to determine the winner.
- 3.2.8 The Disputes Committee will have authority to suspend players for one or more matches of the competition. Players will be called before the Disputes Committee to show why they should continue playing in the Championship if they obtain a total of 10 Penalty Points. The penalty points will be awarded in the following manner:-

Yellow card — 5 penalty points

Red card — 10 penalty points

The Penalty Points will be cumulative during the Pool games and the Final games. These points will apply to players' behaviour before, during and after a match of the competition. They will also apply to players and officials on the bench.

#### 3.2.9 Shoot-out Competition

In a shoot-out competition, five players from each team take a one-on-one shootout alternately against a defender from the other team as set out in the Hockey Queensland Regulations. The shoot-out competition comprises all series of shootouts required to determine a result.

3.2.10 Stoppages and Interruptions to Play

Where the championship is affected by weather or other events, including but not restricted to rain, hail, storms, lightning, floods, field conditions etc, stoppages or cancellations of a game, games or the final series, will be at the discretion of the tournament director.

The tournament director will take advice from the umpires, technical manager, ground staff and local officials with knowledge of weather patterns, drying out times etc. The tournament director will primarily exercise a duty of care to players, umpires and officials and will also give due consideration to care and preservation of playing fields.

The tournament director may consider the following options:

- 3.2.10.1 Wait and see if weather or conditions clear and the grounds become playable. (It is recommended that no more than fifteen (15) minutes waiting time apply to any one game.)
- 3.2.10.2 Games stopped in the first half and unable to be continued, may be restarted at a rescheduled time and on a reallocated field, where possible, taking into consideration time restraints and other schedules and considerations. On resumption, the score, interchange of players and penalty infringements etc. will be the same as those in place at the time of the stoppage. Where a game is unable to be restarted or rescheduled under this rule, then the game will be declared a draw irrespective of the score at the time of the stoppage. Each team will receive one game point and the score will be recorded as zero goals to each team.
- 3.2.10.3 Games stopped in the second half and unable to be continued (see 3.2.10.1 above) will be declared complete as at the time of the stoppages. Scores, interchange of players, penalty infringements etc. will be confirmed as those in place at the time of the stoppage, and game points awarded accordingly. (If a draw, both teams will receive one point)

#### 3.3 School Based Competitions

#### 3.4 Sponsorship

#### 4 Access to State Championships

- 4.1 Eligibility
- 4.2 Centres of Athletic Development

#### 5 Conduct of State Championships

- 5.1 Championship Host
- 5.2 Participation
- 5.3 Finance
- 5.4 Accommodation Framework
- 5.5 Event Officials
- 5.6 Complaints Management
- 5.7 Meetings
- 5.8 Health and Safety
- 5.9 Excursions and Functions
- 5.10 State Team Selections
- 5.11 Host Report
- 5.12 Travel Subsidy
- 5.13 Requests for Access to Students
- 5.14 Loss or Damage of Equipment at State Championships
- 5.15 Photography
- 5.16 Trophies and Presentations
  - 5.16.1 The trophies are presented by Queensland Secondary Schools Boys Hockey. Perpetual trophies will be played under the following conditions:-

- 5.16.1.1 The South Coast team will always play for the *Chris Hammett Memorial Cup* and the game chosen will be the last game that south coast plays in the state championships.
- 5.16.1.2 The player of the final shall have their name engraved on the *Tony Ridgewell Memorial Shield*. This player shall be chosen by the state team selectors.
- 5.16.1.3 The player of the championships will receive and have their name engraved on the *Life Members Shield*. This player shall be chosen by the state team selectors.
- 5.16.2 The holders of the trophies shall be responsible for the inscribing of the trophies and to the Queensland Secondary Schools Boys Hockey for any loss or damage to the trophies.
- 5.16.3 Teams and alterations should be in the hands of the secretary before the first game of the championship with an asterisk placed next to the player's name who are eligible for the 16 and under Queensland team. To be eligible the player cannot turn 17 years of age this year.

#### 5.17 Areas of Responsibility

#### 5.18 Minimum Venue Standards

#### 5.19 Regional Delegates Role

#### 6 Queensland Teams

#### 6.1 State Team Selection Policies

#### 6.1.1 General

- Two Queensland teams will be chosen at the state championships. One team will participate in the School Sport Australia Boys Hockey Championships and the other in a 19 years and under competition.
- To be eligible for the 16 years Queensland team, players can be no older than 16 years during the year i.e. He can be 16 years or under.
- To be eligible for the 19 years Queensland team, players can be no older than 19 years during the year i.e. He can be 19 years or under.
- Once the Queensland team has assembled at the training camp with Queensland team officials, no player is permitted to play or train in any school/club event or session.

#### 6.1.2 Selection Policy

- 6.1.2.1 Criteria for the selection of Queensland teams
  - 6.1.2.1.1 The major criterion for selection will be the performance of the player at the State Championships. Areas of performance considered will include
    - The skills level exhibited by the player.

- The performance of the player as a member of the team.
- The attitude and behaviour of the player on and off the field.

#### 6.2 Selection Policy Guidelines

- 6.2.1 Queensland team
  - 6.2.1.1 A team of 16 players (which includes two goalkeepers), will be selected for the 16 years team to attend the National Championships.
  - 6.2.1.2 A team of 18 players (which includes two goalkeepers), will be selected for the 19years team to tour New Zealand.
- 6.2.2 Selection procedures
  - 6.2.2.1 The selectors must meet on a regular basis on each day of the competition.
  - 6.2.2.2 The selectors must meet with team officials of competing teams to give team officials the opportunity to put forward the names of and comment on the players considered worthy of selection. Team officials should make themselves aware of the standards necessary for selection of a player in a Queensland team.
  - 6.2.2.3 Team officials may submit a written report to the selectors.
  - 6.2.2.4 At least one member of the selection panel should be present at each game.
  - 6.2.2.5 The Chair of the selection panel should provide feedback to students upon request.
- 6.2.3 Announcement of the Queensland team
  - 6.2.3.1 The selectors must submit the final team to the executive members in attendance for ratification prior to the announcement.
  - 6.2.3.2 A member of the executive will announce the Queensland team to team officials prior to the general announcement on the understanding that the selections are not to be made public.
  - 6.2.3.3 The Queensland teams will be announced at the closing ceremony
- 6.3 Participation at National Events
- 6.4 Appointment of Team Officials
- 6.5 Uniforms
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