



REBOUND VOLLEYBALL
QUEENSLAND

2021 RVQ Tournaments

Conditions of Nomination

Issue	Amendment	Initial	Date
A	Issued for Interclub 2014.	LR	20.01.14
B	Clause 1.1.1. Amended. Junior and Masters age requirements updated.	NR	14.02.15
	Clause 1.1.5. Amended. Minimum teams for a competition amended.		
	Clause 2.1.2. 3. Amended. RVQ Membership fee reduced.		
	Clause 3.1.2. Amended team fee discount amount.		
	Clause 4.2.1. Amended. Game format amended.		
	Clause 4.2.2. Amended. Team umpire duty requirements added.		
	Clause 4.2.4. Amended. If teams drawn in a finals game added.		
	Clause 4.3.1. Amended. Competition point allocation amended.		
C	Clause 2.1.2. 3. Amended. RVQ Membership fee increased.	LS	2017
	Clause 3.1.2. Amended team fee discount amount.		
	Clause 4.2.1. Amended. Game format amended.		
	Clause 4.2.2. Amended. Team umpire duty requirements added.		

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D	Clause 1.4. Amended. Bonus points if all players in team uniform	LS	2018
E	Interclub and State Titles Conditions of Nomination combined and issued for 2019 Tournaments	LS & CW	2019
F	Amendments to Clauses: 1.1.1, 1.1.2, 1.1.5, 5.3.6 – Consistency with ‘Competition’ replacing ‘Division’ to describe Mens, Ladies, Mixed and Masters teams 5.6.1, 5.6.2 – Finals eligibility changed from ‘One Round’ to ‘Two Rounds’ 5.6.3 – Removal of this clause	LS	Feb 2019
G	Addition of Definitions table Amendment to clauses: 1.1.1, 1.1.4, 3.1.1.4, 4.1.1, 4.1.2.1.a, 4.1.2.1.b, 4.1.2.2.a, 4.1.2.2.b, 4.1.4, 5.3.5, 5.3.6, Additions of clauses: 3.1.1.6, 3.1.1.7, 3.1.1.8, 3.1.1.9,	LS	May 2019
H	Amendment/Addition to Definitions table Amendment to clauses: 2.1.1, 3, 3.1.1, 4.1.1.3, 4.1.1.4, 4.1.1.5, 4.1.1.6, 4.1.1.8, 4.1.1.9, 4.1.1.11, 5.1.1.1, 5.1.1.2, 5.1.1.3, 5.1.2, 5.1.2.1, 5.1.2.2, 5.1.4, 5.1.5, 5.1.6, 6.3.1, 6.3.2, 6.3.6, 6.3.7 Removal of clauses: 2.3.3 – uniform bonus points 5.1.3 – refer to RVQ website for tournament costs 6.4.1 dot points 2 and 5 – drawn game points and uniform bonus points	CW & LS	Dec 2019
I	Issued for Interclub 2021 Removal of payment option 3 (4 round game fee) under clause 5.1.1.	CW & IG	Jan 2021

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1. Definitions

Competition	The different choices of team composition that players have to choose from (Under 19's/Open/Over 35's/Over 45's - Mens/Ladies/Mixed)
Division	The competition is split into skill related divisions if needed at the committee's discretion
Permanent Player	A player who is going to play for the whole tournament
Substitute player	A player who is able to replace a permanent player who is unable to play for part of the tournament
Membership Fee	The \$20 fee that gives you RVQ membership for that calendar year
Tournament Team Nomination Fee	The \$60 administration fee to nominate for an RVQ Tournament
Tournament Team Game Fee	The fee to compete in an RVQ tournament (price varies per Tournament. Please see RVQ website for more details)
Calendar Year	1 st of January to 31 st of December of the current year

2. Tournament Format

2.1. Competitions & Divisions

2.1.1. Rebound Volleyball Queensland (RVQ) Tournaments may consist of the following competitions (subject to team nominations):

Competitions	Conditions
Junior Mens (Under 19's) Code: JM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 male players. Players must be 18 years of age or younger on the 1st of January 2021 to participate in the competition.
Open Mens Code: M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 male players. No age restrictions
Mens Masters (Over 35's) Code: MM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 male players. Players must be 35 years of age or older by the 31st of December 2021 to participate in the competition.
Mens Grand Masters (Over 45's) Code: MGM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 male players. Players must be 45 years of age or older by the 31st of December 2021 to participate in the competition.
Junior Ladies (Under 19's) Codes: JL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 female players. Players must be 18 years of age or younger on the 1st of January 2021 to participate in the competition.
Open Ladies Code: L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 female players. No age restrictions
Ladies Masters (Over 35's) Code: LM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 female players. Players must be 35 years of age or older by the 31st of December 2021 to participate in the competition.

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Ladies Grand Masters (Over 45's) Code: LGM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 female players. Players must be 45 years of age or older by the 31st of December 2021 to participate in the competition.
Junior Mixed (Under 19's) Code: JMX	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 (cannot be 4 males) players and a maximum of 10 (5 males and 5 females) players. Players must be 18 years of age or younger on the 1st of January 2021 to participate in the competition.
Open Mixed Code: MX	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 (cannot be 4 males) players and a maximum of 10 (5 males and 5 females) players. No age restrictions
Mixed Masters (Over 35's) Code: MXM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 (cannot be 4 males) players and a maximum of 10 (5 males and 5 females) players. Players must be 35 years of age or older by the 31st of December 2021 to participate in the competition.
Mixed Grand Masters (Over 45's) Code: MXGM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams must consist a minimum of 4 (cannot be 4 males) players and a maximum of 10 (5 males and 5 females) players. Players must be 45 years of age or older by the 31st of December 2021 to participate in the competition.

- 2.1.2. Each Competition may be divided into divisions but is subject to the number of teams confirmed for that competition.
- 2.1.3. The Competitions within the Tournament are a 6 aside format.
- 2.1.4. Teams must have a minimum 5 players registered with a minimum of four players taking the court. Mixed teams cannot have 4 male players as their minimum taking the court.
- 2.1.5. Any other combination of 4 players is allowed (eg – 3 males and 1 female, 3 females and 1 male, 2 males and 2 females or 4 females).
- 2.1.6. For a competition to be formed there must be at least 2 teams competing in the competition. If there are less than 2 teams competing, then the nominating team/s will be given the option to enter another competition if available (eg – if there is only 1 Men's Masters team entered, then they will be given the option to play in the Open Men's competition).

2.2. Rules

RVQ rules differ to indoor volleyball and beach volleyball. All players are expected to familiarise themselves with these rules prior to taking the court. A copy of the rules can be obtained from the RVQ website.

2.3. Uniform Policy

- 2.3.1. All teams are encouraged to wear their club's official uniform with the club's logo.
- 2.3.2. The club uniforms are set by their club. For information about club uniforms, teams should contact the Club's Centre Manager.

3. Membership

3.1. RVQ Membership

- 3.1.1. To participate in an RVQ Tournament a player must be a "current" RVQ registered member in the 2021 calendar year.
- 3.1.2. To become a member of RVQ:
 - 1. Go onto the RVQ website (www.rvq.com.au)
 - 2. Complete the online "**RVQ Membership Application**" Form prior to your first tournament.
 - 3. Transfer the \$20 RVQ Membership fee to the RVQ bank account. Please include your full name as the payment reference to ensure your RVQ membership is processed correctly. RVQ must receive a player's membership fee before they take the court. Proof of payment may be required if payment hasn't been received the night before the Tournament commences.

4. Team Nomination

4.1 Nomination Process

- 4.1.1. To nominate your team:
 - 1. Go onto the RVQ website (www.rvq.com.au)
 - 2. Complete the online "**RVQ (Tournament Name) Team Nomination**" Form
 - 3. The Team Nomination form for RVQ's 2021 Interclub Challenge must be received as follows:

Friday the 5th of February 2021 if playing the full season
Friday the 5th of March 2021 if playing from March 2021 onwards (if team nominations are still open)
NO Team Nominations will be received after Friday the 5th of March 2021
 - 4. The Team Nomination form for RVQ's 2021 State Titles must be received by Friday the 20th of August 2021.
 - 5. A Team Code will be emailed to the Team Captain which must be used as the payment reference when making a payment for that team for that RVQ Tournament.

6. Men's & Ladies teams can nominate a maximum of 8 players for a Tournament. Mixed teams can nominate a maximum of 5 male and 5 female players for a Tournament
7. Permanent players cannot play for another team in the same or a different competition (eg – a Mens Over 45's player cannot play for another team in the Mens competition, the Mens Over 35's competition or the Mens Over 45's competition).
8. Substitute players can substitute for a maximum of 2 teams in the same or a different competition as long as their age qualifies them for that competition (eg – a substitute player in the Mens Over 45's competition can be a substitute player in another team in the Mens competition, the Mens Over 35's competition or the Mens Over 45's competition).
9. Once permanent or substitute players have played for a team, they cannot be removed from the team or replaced. Exceptional circumstances via a written request to info@rvq.com.au will be considered by the RVQ committee at their discretion.
10. Once the maximum number of players have been reached for the team, **NO more players can be added to the team** (eg – if 8 male players have signed in and played for the Mens Over 45's team, then that's the quota reached and NO more players can be added or play for that team).
11. Team numbers may be capped, and team codes are allocated on a "1st in, Best Dressed" basis.
12. Team nominations for the RVQ Interclub Challenge will only be accepted for 3 rounds at a minimum.
13. Late Team Nominations may only be accepted for the Interclub Challenge after Round 1, if the competition/s are not full. No team nominations will be accepted after Friday the 5th of March 2021.

5. Payment

5.1. Payment Options

- 5.1.1. Team game fee payments for **RVQ's 2021 Interclub Challenge** must be paid as below. The below payments are payable if team nominations are accepted & team codes are issued to the team captain:

1. \$720 Team game fee for **6 rounds** (February – August 2021)

Teams pay a discounted \$600 by Friday the 12th of February 2021

OR

Teams pay 50% (\$360) by Friday the 12th of February 2021 & the remaining 50% (\$360) by Friday the 12th of March 2021

2. \$600 Team game fee for **5 rounds** (March – August 2021)

Teams pay \$600 by Friday the 12th of March 2021

OR

Teams pay 50% (\$300) by Friday the 12th of March 2021 & 50% (\$300) by Friday the 2nd of April 2021

- 5.1.2. Team game fee payment (\$300) for **RVQ's 2021 State Titles** must be paid in full by Friday the 27th of August 2021.
- 5.1.3. Team game fee is to be paid via a single electronic payment for the entire team and the team code is to be used as the payment reference.
- 5.1.4. Team registration fee payment (\$60) for ALL RVQ tournaments must be paid on the same day as the 1st game fee payment.
- 5.1.5. Team registration fee is to be paid via a single electronic payment for the entire team and the team code is to be used as the payment reference.
- 5.1.6. RVQ's banking details are as follows:

Bank: Heritage Building Society
Name: Rebound Volleyball Queensland Inc.
BSB: 638070
Account: 13250078
Reference: Please use your first initial & surname for membership payments
AND team codes issued to the team captain for team game & registration payments

6. Competition Format

6.1. Rounds

All rounds of the Tournament (excluding the Finals day) will be a round robin format, where each team will compete against all other teams in their competition / division.

6.2. Attendance Register

All players must sign the attendance register at the RVQ registration desk prior to taking to the court at each round of the Tournament. Match points will be lost till all players are signed in. The attendance form will be used to check player eligibility to play in finals.

6.3. Matches

- 6.3.1. Each match will be a timed game of 2 halves with continuous scoring. Golden Point will be played for all drawn games in the Round Robin Matches.

- 6.3.2. Umpire duties will be performed by paid umpires. RVQ reserves the right to request playing teams to perform team umpiring duties, if necessary.
- 6.3.3. There will be a small break between each match.
- 6.3.4. Nominated substitute players can sub in between sets or matches.
- 6.3.5. Nominated substitute players can sub in during a set ONLY if there is an injury.
- 6.3.6. Substitute players can nominate and play for a maximum of 2 teams in 1 competition or 2 different competitions as long as their age qualifies them for that competition (eg – a substitute Mens Over 45's player can substitute for another team in the Mens competition, the Mens Over 35's competition & the Mens Over 45's competition).
- 6.3.7. At Finals, if there is a draw at the end of the scheduled time, an additional two minutes of game time will be played. If teams are still tied, the game will go to golden point.

6.4. Leaderboard

- 6.4.1. Competition points are awarded as follows:
 - Winning team receives 3 points;
 - Losing team receives 1 point;
 - Bonus points are earned for every multiple of 10 match points scored (irrespective of win or loss);
 - Forfeit or disqualification receive 0 points;
- 6.4.2. Team competition points will be accumulated and shown on a leader board after each round. If a team has equal total points, then the team with the next highest win points will receive a higher ranking.

6.5. Finals

Matches during the finals round will be a double elimination format and all teams will have the opportunity to make the final.

6.6 Finals Eligibility

- 6.5.1. A player must play a minimum of 2 rounds (full day for their competition) and have the attendance sheet signed, to be eligible for finals.
- 6.5.2. The listed players on the team's nomination form (8 maximum for the Mens and Ladies competition and 10 maximum for the Mixed competition) can play in finals as long as they have played 2 rounds of the tournament.