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Welcome

Tenpin Bowling New Zealand (TBNZ) has great pleasure to present the VI Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship 2013 Bulletin No. 1 to all Commonwealth federations.

On behalf of the Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Federation, the VI Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship 2013 will be hosted in collaboration with Pins Lincoln and Crowne Plaza Auckland.

TBNZ look forward to welcoming your athletes, officials and supporters to the VI Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship. If you have any further questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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Website and Email

The official website of the VI Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship 2013 is www.ctbc2013.org. This is now live and will be continuously updated with information concerning the Championships.

The official email of the VI Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship 2013 is $\underline{\mathsf{info@ctbc2013.org}}$.







Proposed Schedule 24 February—3 March 2013 (as at August 2012)

Sunday 24th February	All Day	Latest day of arrival for competitors	
Monday 25th February	09:00 - 10:00 10:00 - 11:00 11:00 - 12:30 12:30 - 14:00 14:00 - 15:30 16:00 - 18:00	Team Manager Meeting Lane Maintenance Official Practice / Ball Registration Lane Maintenance Official Practice / Ball Registration Opening & Welcoming Ceremony	Crowne Plaza Long Oil Short Oil
Tuesday 26th February	09:15 - 10:00 10:00 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 - 17:00	Lane Maintenance Men's Singles (6 games) Lane Maintenance Ladies Singles (6 games)	Long Oil Long Oil
Wednesday 27th February	09:15 - 10:00 10:00 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 14:30 - 17:30	Lane Maintenance Ladies Doubles (6 games) Lane Maintenance Singles Medal Presentation Men's Doubles (6 games)	Short Oil
Thursday 28th February	09:15 - 10:00 10:00 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 14:30 - 17:30	Lane Maintenance Mixed Doubles - Squad A (6 games) Lane Maintenance Doubles Medal Presentation Mixed Doubles - Squad B (6 games)	Long Oil
Friday 1st March	09:15 - 10:00 10:00 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 14:30 - 17:30 18:00 19:30 - 21:00	Lane Maintenance Team Event (3 games) Lane Maintenance Mixed Doubles Medal Presentation Team Event (3 games) Team Event Medal Presentation CTBF Congress	Short Oil Long Oil Hotel
Saturday 2nd March	08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 11:30 13:00 - 17:00	Lane Maintenance Masters – Ladies and Men (6 games) Auckland Tour	Short Oil Auckland
Sunday 3rd March	08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 11:30 11:30 - 12:30 12:30 - 15:00 15:00 - 15:30 19.00 - 23:30	Lane Maintenance Masters – Ladies & Men (6 games) Lane Maintenance Step Ladder Finals (Ladies & Men) Masters Medal Presentation Victory Banquet	Long Oil Long/Short Crowne Plaza
Monday 4th March	All Day	Departure	







Accommodation details

The official hotel for the 2013 Commonwealth Championship is to be the Crowne Plaza Auckland, 128 Albert Street, Auckland 1010, New Zealand

Telephone: +64 9 302 1111

Website: http://www.crowneplazaauckland.co.nz/



Room rates per night are:

Single US\$152 Double US\$169 Triple US\$241

All rooms include daily breakfast and 2 x 15MB of free internet per room, per night.

All bookings must be made by completing Form B and submitting it to info@ctbc2013.org by 31 October 2012.

Please understand that the special room rates will not be available for reservations made directly to the official hotel and that we can not provide a shuttle service from/to the airport or from/to Pins Lincoln Bowl if Federations stay in any other hotel.

Reservations are subject to availability. Bank transfer details will be included in the next Bulletin.

Centre Information

The venue for the 2013 Commonwealth Championship is to be Pins Lincoln Road, 199 Lincoln Road, Henderson, Auckland, New Zealand.

- Website www.pins.co.nz
- 24 Lane centre
- The surface is wood which was last resurfaced in December 2010/January 2011
- AMF pin setting machinery
- Computer Score automatic scoring system
- Kegel Sanction 500 lane machine
- Centre run café & bar facilities
- A privately owned, fully equipped Proshop is available









VI CTBF Championship Rules

CTBF Championships (CTBC)

1. Frequency

Every second (2) year to coincide with the Commonwealth Games and the Commonwealth Youth Games.

2. Participants

- a. Teams from affiliated CTBF federations.
- b. Teams consist of maximum 4 players, 1 coach and 2 officials/delegates.

3. Events

- a. Six games singles
- b. Six games doubles
- c. Six games mixed doubles
- d. Six games 4-person team (until reintroduced into Commonwealth Games programme)
- e. All events, consisting of the above 24 games.
- f. Masters final.
 - Top 12 players after the preceding 24 games will play a one game round robin (12 games including position round) starting from scratch with a bonus of ten pins for each match won and in case of a tie five pins to each player.
 - A finalist, who withdraws for any reason after the round robin has begun or fails to register in person for the first game shall be replaced immediately by a pacer where available. All players, who have played against the player withdrawn, shall be given a 10 pin bonus.

4. Tie breaking

- a. The player or team with the highest score shall be the winner.
- When equal scores (ties) are registered for any of the first three
 positions in the 4-team, mixed doubles, doubles or singles events, cochampions shall be declared. There shall be no play off of the tie.
 Teams or players with equal scores will get the same medals.
- c. In case of a tie for the first position, the next position will get bronze medal. In case of a triple tie for the first position, all will get gold medals and there will be no other medals. In case of a tie for the second position, no medals will be given for the third position.
- d. In case of a tie in the masters final before the position round (after 11 games) between places 2-3, 4-5, 6-7 and so on, the player with the higher position is the one who in the round robin has







- The higher scratch pinfall
- Won their match
- Won more matches.
- The least difference between the highest and lowest game.
- The higher game.
- e. When a tie occurs for the 12th place in all events total or at the end of the round robin event (for stepladder finals) for 1st or 3rd place a one game roll off shall be held.
- f. If a tie occurs for any position in the stepladder final a 10th frame shall be bowled to break the tie. If a tie still exists the 10th frame shall be repeated until the tie is broken.

5. Entry fee

- a. A minimum fee of US\$150 per participant has to be paid to the host federation, with a minimum of US\$10 of each entry fee rebatable to the CTBF by the host federation within 30 days of completion of the Championship.
- b. In case a delegation consists of more than seven persons, the host federation is allowed to ask for a separate fee for the extra persons.

6. Medals

- a. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be presented to the first, second and third place respectively of each of five events. The winners of the All-Events of each gender will be recognised with a plaque or trophy and not a medal, nor be included in the medals table. This is in line with Commonwealth Games Federation and Olympic guidelines.
- b. In addition to the medals for the individual players, a medal shall be presented to the national federation they represent.
- c. A Perpetual Shield (sponsored by the Australian Diamond Company) will also be presented to the country whose athletes accumulate the highest aggregate pinfall of all team members in the Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles and Mixed-Team Events (that is, 24 games for each athlete).







Entry Fees

Entry Fee for Delegation

In line with recent Commonwealth Championships, the entry fee for members of the official delegation will be US\$150 per person.

These fees cover Accreditation Card, Lane Fees, Transportation, Participation in Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet.

Entry Fee for Guests/Supporters

The entry fee for guests and supporters is US\$100 per guest.

These fees cover accreditation card, transportation, participation in Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet.

Guests and supporters may reserve rooms in the official hotels subject to availability of rooms in each hotel.

Media Officials

Unless they have other duties (another capacity) related to a team or federation at the VI Commonwealth Tenpin Bowling Championship 2013, there will be **no entry fee** for accredited media officials except for participation in the Victory Banquet. Banquet fee for press is US\$50 per person.

Basic Deadlines for Information Submission

Form A – 12 October 2012 Form B – 31 October 2012 Accommodation payment due by 30 November 2012 Entry Fees due by 31 January 2013

More deadlines for information submission will be provided in Bulletin 2

Payment details will be provided in Bulletin 2.

Tours

- An optional Tour of Auckland and surrounding areas is scheduled for Saturday 2 March.
 Further information will be available in Bulletin 2
- We can provide information of tours available for anyone interested in seeing New Zealand before or after the tournament. More information will be available in Bulletin 2 and on the website.







Brief Summary on New Zealand and Auckland

NEW ZEALAND

New Zealand is situated in the South Pacific Ocean, between latitude 34'S and 47'S. The country runs roughly north-south with mountain ranges down much of its length. There are two main islands, the North Island and the South Island, with a third smaller island in the south, Stewart Island.

New Zealand's position atop the grinding plates of the Pacific Rim of Fire has resulted in a unique landscape and an unrivalled variety of landforms. In a couple of days' drive, you can see everything from snow-topped mountain ranges to sandy beaches, lush rainforests, glaciers and fiords, and active volcanoes. These environments lend themselves to many outdoor pursuits such as skiing, diving, hiking, kayaking, horse riding and sailing.

New Zealand is an uncrowded country. It has a diverse multi-cultural population of just 4 million people and a rich history. Maori were New Zealand's first settlers, arriving here about 1,000 years ago. It was first discovered by Europeans in 1642 but it wasn't until 1769 that it was colonised and claimed by Britain. In 1840, the Treaty of Waitangi was signed, establishing the country as a nation.

AUCKLAND

Auckland is the largest and most populous urban area in the country with 1.4m residents and 32% of the country's population.

The city lies across an 11km (8 mile) wide volcanic isthmus separating two harbours. The Waitemata Harbour to the east opens to the Hauraki Gulf, and to the Pacific Ocean. The Manukau Harbour to the west opens to the Tasman Sea and its entrance is flanked by black sand surf beaches.

When you visit Auckland, you'll really appreciate how easy it is to jump from one kind of adventure to something totally different. One minute, you'll be standing in the central city surrounded by skyscrapers and designer store. Not 30 minutes later you'll be afloat in the beautiful Waitemata Harbour heading for an island escape or a dolphin encounter. Within 45 minutes of downtown Auckland, you'll be in the rolling hills of wine country or hiking through native bush surrounded by bird life. There's really no place like it.

A bit more about Auckland:

- It's New Zealand's largest city with 1.4 million people.
- Shopping and fashion hot deals to haute couture. Outlet stores to global fashion houses.
- Food and wine national and international award-winning vineyards and restaurants all around the region.
- Action and adventure bungy jumping, quad biking, mountain biking, sailing, horse trekking, canyoning, fishing and much more to suit every adrenaline-junkie's itinerary.
- Sailing Auckland has the highest number of boats per capita than anywhere else in the world. Book yourself on a sailing adventure and find out why it's so popular here.

February is a beautiful time to visit Auckland. February is normally the warmest and most settled month of the year for the weather with an average day time high of 23.7C and an average night time temperature of 15.8C. February also has the lowest average rainfall of any month as well.

Information about New Zealand and Auckland can be found on the following websites www.newzealand.com and www.aucklandnz.com.



Form A: CTBC 2013 Entry Form



Please send completed Form to info@ctbc2013.org.

Please return this form even if you do not want to participate in the CTBC 2013

Federation				
Confirmation				
We want to participate		YES		NO
The Delegation				
Number of players in the team				
Number of officials connected to the team				
Contact Information				
Contact Person				
Address				
Phone Number				
Mobile Number				
Fax Number				
Email address				

The ultimate deadline for submitting this form is 12th October 2012

Your contact person of the CTBC 2013 is Julieanne Mollet at info@ctbc2013.org or Craig Nevatt at craig@tbnz.co.nz

Form B: Hotel Form



Please send completed Form to info@ctbc2013.org

Please return this form even if you do not want to participate in the CTBC 2013

Federation			
Official Hotel—Crowne Plaza Auckland		YES	NO
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Number of Rooms	Room Type	Arrival Date	Departure Date

The ultimate deadline for submitting this form is 31^{st} October 2012

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