



# 2024 St George & Sutherland Shire Open Championships

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### Venue

Johnny Warren Sports STADIUM at Hurstville Aquatic & Leisure Centre.  
Corner of King Georges Rd &, Forest Rd, Hurstville NSW 2220

### Important Dates

Fri 1 Mar **Entries Close at 11.59 pm.** Late entry will only be accepted at the discretion of the Tournament Referee.

Sun 10 Mar **Tournament Day from 9am – 6pm**

Your entry must be submitted online via [TryBooking](https://www.trybooking.com/COZEL) system or copy this link to enter <https://www.trybooking.com/COZEL>

We DO NOT accept phone entries, email entries or late entries.

Any changes must be communicated via e-mail to [info@sstt.org.au](mailto:info@sstt.org.au)

Events will be timed & the schedule of matches will be posted on the website [www.SSTT.org.au](http://www.SSTT.org.au)

Monday, February 7, 2024	Online Entries Open
Friday, March 1, 2024, or when the Event entry is full	Online Entries Close
Monday, March 4, 2024	Release event entries
Thursday, March 7, 2024	Release event draws
Sunday, March 10, 2024	Date of Championship

### Event List

No	Event	Experience Level	Max Rating Central	Fees + booking charges
1	Men's Open Singles	Open	∞	\$65.00
2	Women's Open Singles	Open	∞	\$65.00
3	Less than 1900 Singles	Premier	1900	\$45.00
4	Less than 1600 Singles	Advanced	1600	\$45.00
5	Less than 1200 Singles	High Intermediate	1200	\$45.00



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6	Less than 1000 Singles	Intermediate	1000	\$39.00
7	Less than 800 Singles	Beginner	800	\$39.00
8	Para (1-11) Singles	Open	∞	\$39.00

\*Note that entries are capped for each event, once the cap has been reached, entries will close for the respective event. If you would like to be placed on a waiting list for an event, please email [info@sstt.org.au](mailto:info@sstt.org.au).

## Prize Table

**Medals will be awarded for all winners, runners-up and semi-finalists.**

*Event	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> (Semi-Finalists)
1, 2	\$500	\$200	\$100
3,4,5	\$150	\$75	\$40
6,7,8	\$100	\$50	\$25

Payout conditions\*

- Minimum 8 entries for the event.
- No prize money will be given to any player who forfeits the match.

## Schedule of Events

- Players may only play in 1 event in each session.
- Para Players may play in 2 events in the 9.00AM & 10.00AM sessions.

Morning Session (9:00 AM)	Afternoon Session (1:00 PM)
Less than 1900 Singles Less than 1200 Singles Less than 800 Singles	Men's Open Singles Women's Open Singles Less than 1600 Singles Less than 1000 Singles
Morning Session (10:00 AM)	
Para (1-11) Singles	

## Lunch Orders

We have arranged lunch boxes from Beverly Hills Chinese Restaurant. The lunch is available after 12pm on the day (subject to restaurant delivery time)

The cost is \$15 each + booking fees. Click [HERE](#) or copy this link to order your lunch <https://www.trybooking.com/CPCWA>



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Lunch choices are;

- Mongolian Lamb (Boiled Rice or Fried Rice)
- Chicken Vegetables (Boiled Rice or Fried Rice)
- Satay Chicken (Boiled Rice or Fried Rice)
- Stir Fry Vegetables (Boiled Rice or Fried Rice)

Lunch order is non-refundable, all changes must be via e-mail to [info@sstt.org.au](mailto:info@sstt.org.au)

## ***General Tournament Conditions***

**Referee** – TTNSW URA Qualified Referee

**Umpires** – TTNSW URA Qualified Umpires & Players

1. **MAXIMUM EVENTS:** A player may only play in a maximum of one event in session except Para Players who may enter up to two events in the 9.00am session.
2. **EQUIPMENT:** White Plastic ITTF-Approved 40+ Balls shall be used. SAN-EI Paragon Sensor (Les Yeux Bleu) Tables will be used.
3. **ITTF Rules** will apply to all clothing, rackets, gluing, equipment and control of the tournament. Any query of the legality or acceptability of playing attire shall be decided by the Tournament Referee.
4. **CLOTHING:** The main colour of the clothing shall not be WHITE. Tracksuits are not to be worn without the permission of the referee.
5. **REGISTRATION:** All players must be 2024 registered members of TTNSW at “State” Level, an affiliated state association or an association affiliated with ITTF.
6. **EVENT FORMAT:** All matches are the best of 5 games. All singles matches will be played in Round Robin Groups of 3 or 4 with the top two players advancing to the knockout (for avoidance of doubt, this format may only be altered where there are insufficient or unequal numbers in an event)
7. **ENTRIES:** You shall ensure your entry has been accepted and recorded accurately on the entry list. Entry fees are non-refundable once the draw is made.
8. **DIVISION EVENTS:** Events are open to players who are NOT rated above the points stated for the event according to Ratings Central points as of the date of entry. Should you have no ratings, entering the events is based on your experience level.
9. **TIME OUT RULE:** The time out rule shall apply to all events. Each player or adviser on their behalf, is entitled to one time-out period of up to 1 minute during an individual match.
10. **CHECK IN:** You shall check in at least 20 minutes prior to the event start time.
11. **CANCELLATION OF EVENTS:** The tournament committee reserves the right to cancel any event. Players may be placed into another event at the discretion of the Association when there are insufficient entries or players’ rating points have changed significantly.
12. You, nor any agent, shall NOT make any claims against the Association of any physical/mental injuries acquired/endured/aggravated, nor any property damage/loss on championship days.
13. **RATINGS CENTRAL:** Results shall be submitted to Ratings Central.
14. You shall waive all rights to photographs and/or films taken on championship days. Association retains the right to use all photographs and/or films taken on championship days.



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15. The association reserves the right to disqualify, and/or take further action on, any players failing to observe tournament conditions.

## **SCORESHEETS & UMPIRING**

- Upon collecting the scoresheet, players should take their opposition and an umpire to the table.
- If unable to find an umpire, please report to tournament control immediately.
- ALL players MUST assist by umpiring when requested. Refusal to umpire upon request from the referee or tournament control may result in disqualification.
- Winning players must check and return the scoresheet to tournament control immediately upon completion of matches.
- A maximum 2-minute practice period is allowed prior to the commencement of a match.
- Any player not ready to play when called may be disqualified by the referee.