



State Team Try-Outs Nomination Form

Sunday 6th February 2022

at

Zone Bowling Rooty Hill

Check in closes: 1pm

Try-outs will commence at 2.30pm

NSW Michael Cooke Memorial Shield (MCMS) State Team (scratch event)

and

NSW Cole Cup Team (handicapped event)

For State Teams who will compete at the
2022 National Disability Championships Challenge
at Oz Tenpin Epping Victoria

The nomination form and payment must be forwarded to:

TBANSW State Advisory Committee

C/- Zone Bowling Rooty Hill

55 Sherbrooke St,

Rooty Hill, NSW, 2766

Email: nsw@tenpin.org.au

Phone enquiries: Adam Gillett – 0438408601, Cameron Phillips – 0449917596

or Rob Baker - 0402018219

Closing date for nominations is 31st December 2021

No Entries will be accepted after this date

Accreditation No: A22/014



Please note that in signing and submitting this nomination form it is accepted by the TBANSW State Advisory Committee that you have read and understood all that is listed in the general information sheet provided.

I, _____ wish to nominate for the 2022 NSW state team try-outs.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Bowlers are to nominate for one (1) team only, that is either MCMS or Cole Cup Team. You cannot nominate for both.

I am nominating for the following team:

Michael Cooke Memorial Shield (MCMS) - Average of 140 and above (scratch team): Yes / No (please circle).

Cole Cup Team any average and 100% of 200 (handicapped): Yes / No (please circle)

Bowler Information

Bowler's First Name:		Bowler's Surname:	
Parent/Guardian/Carer First Name:		Parent/Guardian/Carer Surname:	
Address:			
Suburb:		Post Code:	2022 TBA No:
Contact No.		Bowler's Date of Birth:	
Email:			
Disability:			
Please circle if relevant	Carer Y / N	Ramp Y / N	Wheelchair Y / N
	Vision Impaired Y / N	Bowling Hand – L / R	
Shirt Size			

Bowling League History

Please provide copy of your league History with this form from all centres you bowl at in a league.

Centre Name	League Name	Average

Bowling Tournament History

The State Advisory Committee understand there has not been many tournaments over the last 2 years due to COVID and this will be taken into consideration and will not affect selection however any information regarding tournament history will be helpful.

2019, 2020 and 2021 Tournament History			
Date/Year	Tournament Name	Entering Average	Average for Tournament

Bowler's Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian/Carer Signature: _____

Tenpin Bowling Australia's Rules and Regulations and Tenpin Bowling Australia's Code of Ethics will apply to this State Team Try-outs and selection

COVID-19 – Statement and Impact - Given the current and ever-changing circumstances with COVID-19, it is crucial that all participants, volunteers, administrators, parents/carers, and/or anyone associated with the NSW Disability State Teams Try-Outs adhere to the current COVID-19 requirements, procedures and guidelines implemented by the NSW State Government, NSW Health and well as the guidelines set out by the venue.

Based on current advice spectators will be allowed during the tournament, unless government guidelines are changed before the commencement of the tournament whereby it may be restricted to just one support person for the disabled athlete.

The event venue/will be adequately equipped with COVID-19 practice protocols including hygiene, COVID Safety Marshalls and stations for hygienic purposes, electronic QR code check in points, hand sanitiser stations, temperature checkpoints, and allocated spacing to ensure we comply with NSW state and federal government 1.5m square metre rule policies.

Bowlers must comply with STRICTLY NO CONTACT - no High Fives, Handshakes or Huddles during the event.

TBA NSW requests that all athletes and their support person always carry a face mask for preparedness if the state government rules on COVID-19 restrictions change. TBA NSW will always adhere with the state government and NSW Health directives. When face masks are imposed to be worn this will be enforced and those who do not wear face masks will not be permitted to bowl or enter the centre. Bowler's entry for their specific event will be deemed forfeited. Exceptions will be on submission of a medical certificate explaining the reason for inability to wear a face mask.

TBA NSW expects bowlers to follow all relevant TBA and TBA NSW rules, regulations and Code of Ethics including policies and procedures with emphasis on the rules below.

Bowlers who nominate for Michael Cooke Memorial Shield (MCMS) State Team or Cole Cup Team and are successful in making the team and travel to Victoria for the National event must ensure they comply with the current COVID-19 requirements, procedures and guidelines implemented by the State of Victoria at the time of the Tournament.

Eligibility Criteria

1. All bowlers must be current TBA Registered Members and meet the requirements of a bowler with a Disability under TBA Rule 214.
2. A Bowler must reside in NSW
3. A bowler with a disability is defined as a person who suffers from a condition that has limitation, restriction or impairment that restricts everyday activity. The condition is permanent. It should be noted that degree or degrees of pain are not considered a disability.

To prove a disability, a participant needs to provide one of the following types of evidence:

Please note that evidence of Disability as defined below will need to be shown at time of check in. If unable to provide you will not be allowed to try-out.

- Valid Disability Support Pension Card (DSP)
- Recipient of the Child Disability Allowance
- Classification Card issued by Tenpin Bowling Australia, Deaf Sports Australia, Blind Sports Australia, Wheelchair Sports Australia or Sport Inclusion Australia (or State affiliated organisation)
- Letter from a medical or educational professional:
 - Physiotherapist or Occupational Therapist

- Principal of Primary, Secondary or Tertiary Education Organisation
 - Psychologist
 - General Medical Practitioner
 - Audiologist
 - Ophthalmologist
 - Visual evidence in the case of short statured or participants that are amputees. An amputation is required at the site of major joint. For example, the loss of a foot or both feet, an arm or both arms
4. A bowler **must** be bowling in a Disability or Open three (3) game Registered League in a TBA accredited Centre regularly i.e. weekly or fortnightly.
 5. Each bowler must use their highest current league average as at 31st October 2021 which has been established over a minimum of 18 games in a registered league.

A print out of the bowler's full individual league history from the bowling centre must be attached with the entry form. No exceptions.

Averages will be checked. Providing a false average will lead to an automatic disqualification.

6. Must **attend and complete** an All-Event at the 2022 TBA NSW State Disability Championships on Saturday 5th or Sunday 6th February.
7. Must submit along with the completed Nomination form a non-refundable \$40.00 try-out nomination fee (which includes your try-out bowling).

General Rules

1. All TBA rules and regulations will apply including TBA Code of Ethics.
2. Any bowler failing to complete any stage of the Try-Outs (Roll-offs) will not be entitled to a refund of any monies paid and will be considered as withdrawing from the event.
3. **Dress Code** - Bowler's must wear **black** dress pants, **black** shorts, **black** skirts or **black** skorts and a collared shirt. **No** jeans or coloured pants/shorts, T-shirts, tank tops or hats allowed during bowling (hats for vision impaired bowlers exempted). **If proper clothes are not worn, you will not be allowed to bowl.**
8. **Smoking and Consumption of Alcohol** is banned during the Try-outs. Disobeying this rule will incur penalties defined in the TBA Code of Ethics.
4. **Bad behaviour, bad sportsmanship and swearing** will not be tolerated. Anyone in breach of this rule will face immediate disqualification.
5. **Mobile Phones** are banned from the lanes during the try-outs and must be turned off while participating in this event. Anyone found disobeying this rule will be immediately disqualified.
6. If selected to either the MCMS Team or Cole Cup Team as a bowler or reserve, you will be required to attend the team training sessions in the centres and times advised by the Coach/Managers/State Advisory Committee during the months of March, April and May 2022.
7. Transport and costs for selected bowlers to attend the training sessions are the responsibility of the individual bowler.

8. Selected bowlers will be required to return any paperwork by the dates specified. Failure to comply will mean forfeiture of your place on the team.
9. State Team Shirts will be handed to the State Team representatives at the May training session. This shirt must be worn at the State Team Challenge only and not before.
10. Fundraising – All selected State Team Bowlers are required to pay a Team contribution of \$100. This is to fund the cost of a State Team Shirt, State Team Photo, snacks and lunch on the day of the State Team Challenge at the Nationals. This payment is required on the selection day, 6th February 2022

NOTE 1: To help reduce this cost to selected bowlers, **optional** suggestions for fundraising will be discussed. These include “Pin-a-thon” and “Bite-size Biscuit” selling.

NOTE 2: If a selected State Team Bowler would also like a State Team Sports Jacket, a design will be available to order at the 2022 State Championships. Please note that the cost for the Jacket will be at your expense and **not included** in the \$100 Team Contribution.

11. Successful bowlers will be required to attend a team meeting **immediately** after the announcement of the State Teams on 6th February 2022.

Selection

Michael Cooke Memorial Shield Team – The top 3 bowlers based on the highest pins over 6 games will be eligible for automatic selection following confirmation by the nominated selection committee and having met the selection criteria.

The following 4 bowlers which will include 1 reserve bowler will be selected by the nominated selection committee and based on the selection criteria.

Cole Cup Team - The top 3 bowlers based on the highest pins with handicap added over 6 games (100% or 200) will be eligible for automatic selection following confirmation by the nominated selection committee and having met the selection criteria.

The following 5 bowlers which will include 1 reserve will be selected by the nominated selection committee and based on the selection criteria.

Completed Nomination Form and payment

If you are interested in trying out for the selection to one of the State Teams, please complete the nomination form above and email to nsw@tenpin.org.au or post to:

TBANSW State Advisory Committee
C/- Zone Bowling Rooty Hill
55 Sherbrooke St,
Rooty Hill, NSW, 2766

by 31st December 2021.

Cheques should be made payable to **New South Wales Tenpin Bowling Association** or paid direct to our account:

Bank Transfer Details:

Account Name: New South Wales Tenpin Bowling Association

Westpac Bank BSB No. 032-627

Account No. 415-003

Reference: Your Surname - Tryouts

Please email payment notification to: nsw@tenpin.org.au

Summary of Cost		
	Amount	Payment Due by
Nomination Fee	\$40.00	31 st December 2021 with Nomination Form
Fundraising Team Contribution	\$100.00	6 th February 2022
State Team Sports Jacket (optional)	TBA	6 th February 2022
Training Session Costs x 3 – Each training session will comprise of 4 games	\$30.00 per session	Prior to commencement of each training session: March, April and May