



AUCKLAND BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

INTERCLUB 2013

Memo to all ABA clubs regarding Interclub for 2013.

After consultation with the clubs and after a round table meeting of club representatives, the decision was made to bring the management of Interclub in 2013 to the office staff. The Events Manager (Jack Ngametua) who has been the co-ordinator of the Interclub competition for some years will ensure that there is a seamless transfer from a Committee structure to an office managed competition.

Interclub fees for 2012 will remain as per 2012 at **\$12 per person**, per night. This is to be paid by each Club before the start of interclub. It is not payable to the ABA office on the night

This year the ABA would like to make all clubs aware of some important information regarding Interclub for 2013.

2013 Interclub Rules-

An updated copy of the interclub rules is enclosed with this memo.

Interclub competition and format-

1. Interclub in 2013. First half of the season is the Doubles Competition starting 06th of **May 2013** and run every week
2. Second half of the season starting 05th Aug the Singles Competition
3. Membership lists are due Friday 15th March 2013
4. The graded club ranking list is to be submitted by the **12th of April 2013** with all affiliated players listed ranked and GRADED.
5. Interclub team entries are to be submitted on the **12th of April 2013**
6. All interclub players must be fully paid up affiliated players before the start of interclub being **06 May 2013**
7. **Players turning up late to play will not be tolerated.** If your team is not present within half an hour of the 7.00pm start time, you will be defaulting a game. If the team is not there by 7:45 another game will be defaulted
8. If a player in a team does not turn up by 8:00pm, the opposition has the right to default that player for all their games for that night
9. Singles Ladder entry forms are attached. These are not club events and clubs are encouraged to promote to your members
10. There are 2 grading lists attached. Clubs are to submit their grading list on strength of the players in the Doubles competition at the beginning of the year and another grading list before the start of the Singles Competition
11. Players can be graded one grade for the Singles and another for the doubles, prior to approval from ABA.
12. Reserves for both a full team and mens team. When playing up 3 times these are counted separately

Nights of play for each grade

FIRST HALF OF THE SEASON	
Mon	SINGLES LADDER MENS AND WOMENS
Tues	DIVISION 1&2 MENS DOUBLES
Wed	DIVISION 1 DOUBLES
Thurs	DIVISION 2 DOUBLES
SECOND HALF OF THE SEASON	
Mon	DIVISION 1 MENS
Tues	DOUBLES LADDER MENS AND WOMENS
Wed	DIVISION 1 FULL
Thurs	DIVISION 2 FULL