



NZSS BOYS FOOTBALL ENTRY INFORMATION

Tournament Venues, Numbers & Fees

Lotto Premier – Nelson (32)

\$1000 + GST

Rex Dawkins – Hamilton (24)

\$750 + GST

Jim Wishart – Manawatu (16)

\$750 + GST

Malcolm Cowie – Hamilton (24)

\$750 + GST

Linwood Cup – Auckland (24)

\$750 + GST

Trident Trophy – Invercargill (16)

\$750 + GST

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2009 Tournament Information

This year's tournaments will be held the week of 31 August to 4 September 2009.

THE TOURNAMENTS

Qualification for the Premier Tournament will be as follows:

The format for 1st and 2nd division tournaments to be at the same venue in 2009 and with a crossover of the bottom 8 of the 1st division with the top eight of the 2nd division:

Key points:

- Those teams involved in the top eight have the same number of games as present (six)
- Three tournaments will take place within the National tournament and three trophies will be awarded
 - Nationals Cup 1st Place
 - Cup/ Plate –for 9th Place
 - Bowl –for 25th Place
- After day two there are still trophies for most teams to win
- The bottom eight of division 1 cross over with top eight of division 2 and will play seven games during the week for the Lotto Plate
- The bottom eight of division two will play for the Lotto Bowl, six games during the week
- The proposal means that teams in division two can compete with division one teams and finish up to 9th in NZ.

Three Trophies:

Cup = 1st Place at Nationals

Plate/Cup = 9th place at Nationals

Bowl = 25th Place at Nationals

The seedings will be as follows:

Nationals Cup (16 places)	
Region 1 – Auckland	4
Region 2 – Waikato/BOP	2
Region 3 - Central North	1
Region 4 – East Coast	1
Region 5 – Wellington	2
Region 6 – Nelson/Marl	1
Region 7 – Canterbury	2
Region 8 – Otago/South	0
Wild Cards	3
TOTAL	16



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Plate/Bowl (16 places)	
Region 1 – Auckland	3
Region 2 – Waikato/BOP	2
Region 3 - Central North	1
Region 4 – East Coast	1
Region 5 – Wellington	2
Region 6 – Nelson/Marl	1
Region 7 – Canterbury	2
Region 8 – Otago/South	2
Wild Cards	2
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- Schools should only enter qualifying and ranking tournaments if they intend to participate in the Premier, Cup, Plate, and Bowl Tournaments.
- If a school is successful at a qualifying/ranking tournament to gain entry to the Premier Tournaments then declines that place, they may not be placed in a satellite tournament.

TEAM ENTRY PROCEDURE

- All entries must be completed online at www.enternow.co.nz/ssf. Please see video by following link for further entry procedure www.sportsrunner.biz/enternow/enterteams.html Passwords will be emailed to Sports Coordinators, if you are unable to find your password or have difficulties logging in please email Kath at nzssfsecretary@xtra.co.nz.
- Full payment is due on entry and entries will not be accepted until full payment is received.
- **Payment must be made via Direct Credit to following account: ASB 12-3048-0237537-00 (please include your schools 4 letter MOE code as a reference to ensure no confusion).**
- **Please note:** Only indicate a second choice of tournament if you are prepared and able to travel. Otherwise leave this field blank.
- Entries for Lotto Premier, Cup, Plate and Bowl must be received by **Friday 4 April**.
- Entries for Satellite Tournaments must be received by **Friday 1 May**.
- Schools who enter tournaments and who are not placed will be refunded their tournament entry fee.
- Schools who withdraw from the tournament after June 1st will lose their tournament fee.
- Entries will not be accepted if competitors do not have Principal's approval.
- Entries will not be accepted from schools with outstanding NZSS Football debts, unless payment of these debts is made by the entry closing date.
- Schools wishing to receive newsletters only, should deposit via Direct Credit **\$30.00** to ASB 12-3048-0237537-00 (please include your schools 4 letter MOE code as a reference to ensure no confusion) and email nzssfsecretary@xtra.co.nz with details.



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- Schools not wishing to attend any tournament but who wish to be kept informed about NZSS Football are invited to affiliate via Direct Credit **\$75.00** to ASB 12-3048-0237537-00 (please include your schools 4 letter MOE code as a reference to ensure no confusion) and email nzssfsecretary@xtra.co.nz with details. Being an affiliated school provides voting rights and eligibility for students for selection in the NZSS Soccer Representative Team.
- Any action by a Coach, Manager or team member which brings the game into disrepute may forfeit their teams' eligibility for acceptance to present and/or future tournaments. This decision is at the discretion of the NZSSFA executive.

REGISTRATION

- Once teams are accepted into a tournament, they will be required to fill out a Team Registration which will be due by **Friday 31st July**. These team lists will be published in the official tournament programme.
- Changes to registrations can be made at the tournament manager's meeting.

ELIGIBILITY

- Under 19 as at the 1st January 2009.
- Please ensure you adhere to the NZSSSC Policies & Guidelines when registering players. http://www.nzsssc.org.nz/index.cfm/nzsssc_documents/constitution_of_nzsssc_inc. Of particular importance is the limits on new to school players and overseas players.

OFFICIALS

- Referees are provided at the Premier Tournament. This is included in your entry fee.
- For Satellite Tournaments, Tournament Organisers cannot guarantee they will be able to appoint referees. They will confer with schools attending. If you are required to provide a suitably qualified referee, this referee must be named prior to the tournament beginning and must be suitably qualified (e.g.: NZ Badge holder), and must be available to referee the entire week of Tournament. If you are required to provide a referee no compensation will be made.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- A copy of the Rules & Regulations will be sent out with the draw.

All events will be Smoke, Drug and Alcohol free.