

SOUTH ISLAND SECONDARY SCHOOL CUP 2023

VENUE	Otago Badminton Centre 101 Victoria Road, St. Kilda, Dunedin
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EVENT DATES	17 th – 18 th June All Divisions <i>The Team Manager's Meeting will be held on Saturday, 17th June at 7.45am. All matches and presentations will be finished by 7pm, Sunday, 18th June.</i>
KEY DATES	19 th May – Entries Close 19 th May – Players details and ranking lists due
KEY LINKS	Online Entry Form - Badminton New Zealand School Sport New Zealand Event Page Draws & Schedule

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Eligibility

- All players must meet the [School Sport New Zealand eligibility criteria](#).
- All Secondary Schools in the South Island shall be eligible to compete. Any Secondary School which incorporates Years 7-13 may include students from Years 7 & 8 in their teams.
- All players must be enrolled and currently attending the secondary school which they represent.
- All players must be under 19 years of age at the first of January in the year of the competition.
- Schools may enter more than one team in each division, i.e. Boys or Girls.
- Composite teams (i.e. more than 1 school per a team) may be considered by Badminton New Zealand and School Sport New Zealand on a case by case basis.

Entry

- The entry fee is \$275 inc. GST per team with payment due 2nd June, 2023. No refund will be provided if teams withdraw after 19th May, 2023.
- Entry forms must be submitted online no later than 19th May, 2023.
 - [Online Entry Form - Badminton New Zealand](#)

Competition Format

- The competition will be played under the rules of the [South Island Secondary School Cup](#).
- Separate competitions will be held for boys' and girls' teams.
- One division will be held for boys and one division for girls. This will be revised in coming years as entry numbers increase.
- Each team must consist of between 4-6 players.
- Each tie will consist of 4 singles matches and 2 doubles matches.
- Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded in all divisions.

Draw Format

- Badminton New Zealand will create the draws as per Cup Regulations 6. For clarity, Badminton New Zealand will endeavour to provide all teams with 4-5 ties across the event.
- In total there will be a maximum of 16 teams in the competition in 2023.

Player Details & Ranking Lists

- All teams must complete a player details form providing key details for all players.
- The team ranking list details the player order of all players in a team. When completing please list all players and all potential doubles pairings in ability order from first to last.
- Both forms are to be sent to jonathon@badminton.org.nz by Friday, 19th May 2023.

BNZ Player Number

- To find a players Badminton New Zealand player number please go to the following link (<https://bnz.tournamentsoftware.com/>) and search your players in the top search bar. If their name does not come up, they most likely do not have a player number.
- If any of your players would like to receive a player numbers and be included in the Badminton New Zealand National Rankings, please invite them to sign up on the website.

If you have any questions regarding the event, please contact Jonathon Stone at jonathon@badminton.org.nz