

Championship Leagues Rules 2022

This event is to encourage players to enter more tournaments at all levels.

It is a Waikato-Bays initiative and therefore only applies to events within the Region and for registered Waikato-Bays players only.

You collect points just for entering tournaments, and more if averaging 50%, for outright wins of a session and overall placings.

This is an individual event, so you may swap partners between tournaments if you wish to, although we encourage you to form a regular partnership for achieving optimum results.

Points Table for B Point events													
Tables	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	13th
5.5 - 10	5	3	1	1									
10.5 - 15	5	3	1	1	1	1							
15.5 - 20	5	4	2	1	1	1	1	1					
20.5 - 22	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	1				
22.5 - 24	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1			
24.5 - 26	5	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
26.5 - 28	5	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Bonus points

For playing a tournament	1
For achieving 50% or better overall	1
For winning a session outright	1

Example: 4th place getters in an 18 table tournament, who also win a session

	Place	Session win	over 50%	Playing	TOTAL
Points awarded	1	1	1	1	4

A point events are awarded double points

Notes

- Session bonus: Is only for outright winners of a session (*includes split room Session wins*)
- Over 50% bonus: Overall average for the tournament is 50% or better
- One session tournaments are not eligible, so if any events change to one session, it will be null and void for this competition

RULES

- 1 To participate in a Championship League, players must be a registered member of a Waikato-Bays club
- 2 A Waikato-Bays player who plays in a tournament with a non Waikato-Bays player, does not qualify for points for that event, but is still eligible to compete in remaining League sessions
- 3 There are no restrictions on the number of events that must be entered
- 4 If there is a draw in a tournament, both pairs get the points available for that placing
- 5 The Region will post results on the web.
- 6 The winning Champions League individual will be the player or players with the most points.
- 7 If players are tied on points, the prize for that placing and the one/s below are shared equally between the players eg 2 way tie for 1st: The players share 1st & 2nd; a 3 way tie for 4th: the players share 4th-6th
- 8 Any disputes will be resolved by appointed members of the Regional Committee
- 9 The WBRC reserves the right to remove or change events in the league if covid-19 or other restrictions make it necessary

***Progress Results will be published on the Waikato-Bays website on a regular basis:
www.waikatobays.bridge-club.org***