



EASTERN DISTRICTS POOL LEAGUE

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EDPL SUMMER SEASON 2024-25

- **Summer Team Applications Close – Monday 30th September**
- **Summer Season 2024-25 Commences – Tuesday 22nd October**

INFORMATION NOTES FOR SUMMER TEAM CAPTAINS AND CLUBS

- 1) **The current EDPL Constitution and By-laws** are applicable. These are on the EDPL Website.
- 2) **The “INTERNATIONAL RULES”** apply.
- 3) **Monthly invoices will be issued to each club** Invoices will be on a per club basis, not per team, but each team will be itemized on the invoice. Payment of all invoices is required within 14 days of issue date.
- 4) **Team Application Forms and Player Registrations**
 - a) **Team Application Form** Clubs must submit Teams on Official Form **by Monday 30th September**
 - b) **Player Restrictions** Once a team has been submitted, any additional player/s for that team can NOT be higher point value than the existing highest pointed player who was listed on original team lodged.
 - c) **Summer Season** will run similar to Winter Season... after week 1 has been played...
Eg: clubs with multiple Summer teams start as per team submitted but then can move players between teams/divisions as per Winter. Clearances between clubs during the Summer Season ARE permitted.
 - d) **Player Registration Form** – not required if last played summer in 2023-2024 for same club.
Otherwise Rego form IS required if new player, or not played previous Summer for same club.
 - e) **Clearances** are required for any player who wishes to join a summer team that is not from the same club that they previously played summer for. (Summer & Winter season clearances are totally separate, Clearances are Summer to Summer club, & Winter to Winter club).
 - f) All teams are encouraged to submit a Team Name. (**Do not use offensive language**).
 - g) **No team submitted can be more than 100 points in total** (total value of the top 6 players when ordered from highest to lowest point value, **USING THE NEW 2024 PLAYER POINT VALUES**).
- 5) **DIVISION INFO & POINTS FOR THIS SUMMER SEASON**

NOTE: WE WILL BE USING THE NEW 2024 WINTER PLAYER POINT VALUES, WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE EDPL WEBSITE AFTER 2024 WINTER STATS ARE COMPLETED.

DIVISION	PLAYERS	POINTS CAP	NEW or UNPOINTED	FORFEIT
1 ST	6	100	TBC	TBC
2 ND	6	TBC	TBC	TBC
3 RD	5	TBC	TBC	TBC
4 TH	5	TBC	TBC	TBC

6) **TEAM HANDICAPS – will be used again this Summer Season, but are different from last summer...**

- a) Each teams' players points will be added **PER ROUND**, & must not exceed the division points cap. **The round with the highest points total** will be used to determine the **maximum team points total**. The difference between the two teams' maximum round points totals to be calculated....
(eg 98.4 pts – 94.1 pts = 4.3 pts lower)

b) **HANDICAPS:**

DIV 1 & 2 = 1 bonus-frame per 3pts difference

DIV 3 & 4 = 1 bonus-frame per 2pts difference

Bonus-frame/s to be added to lower points team frames total for match score, & must reach the whole number of points difference this season (so difference NOT rounded up/down)

(eg.. **Div 1 & 2** = if teams are 3.3pts difference, then lower team gets 1 “bonus-frame” added. If 5.9pts difference, it's still only 1 “bonus-frame”. Must reach 6pts difference for 2 “bonus-frames” to be added to the lower points team score total, for results/ladders.

(eg.. **Div 3 & 4** = if teams are 2.3pts difference, then lower team gets 1 “bonus-frame” added. If 3.9pts difference, it's still only 1 “bonus-frame”. Must reach 4pts difference for 2 “bonus-frames” to be added to the lower points team score total, for results/ladders.

7) **Scoresheets**

- a) Scoresheets will be available on the EDPL website for each division.
- b) **Home Team is responsible to notify EDPL of matchscores after the match, prior to 10:00am Wednesday.** (note – fines apply if you do not notify match scores). Please don't enter match scores into the EDPL website, as only admin can enter match scores that include bonus-frames.
- c) **Scoresheet to be lodged to EDPL office** by 4:00pm on Friday after the match (original/copy/email). Most captains take a photo of the scoresheet with their phone, and email to the office after the match.

8) **Dress Code**

The current EDPL dress-code as stated in the By-Laws is applicable in full and without any modification (unless an authorized letter from EDPL Executive allows a dress-code exemption).

9) **Tables** Three (3) tables should be utilized wherever possible (2 tables allowed, if absolutely necessary).

10) **Captains being “Called-in”**

Captains may be “called-in” once per frame in all Divs other than 1st Div where NO call-ins are permitted. For this Summer Season there will also be unlimited “Rule Clarification” calls whilst learning I.R.

11) **Umpiring**

Umpires must be utilized during the match, with each team umpiring equal number of frames/rounds.

12) **Captains Responsibility**

- a) Captains of summer teams must be knowledgeable of International Rules.
- b) All team captains are responsible for their players conduct and dress.
- c) Remember that venues have the right to refuse entry to any player or to eject any player from their premise. Do not put yourself, or any of your team members, in the position of being excluded from any venue for whatever reason.
- d) EDPL Executive Committee will discipline severely any member who brings the League's reputation into disrepute or in any way affects its standing with any venue that sponsors a club of the league.
- e) Any problem or query that you may have should be referred to the EDPL office as soon as it is possible. Complaints must be submitted within 24 hours of match night.
- f) Make sure all money collected is recorded (from who & how much) and passed to the appropriate person within your club. You don't want any problems arising later in the season.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL SUMMER TEAMS!!