

## **Slazenger Interdistrict Competition 2010**

With Grand Council agreeing to changes to the format of the Interdistrict competition for 2010 considerable changes need to be made to the playing format of the competition. In its initial year the Competition Committee will have to be given a large degree of independence in administering the competition

Our aim is to play the competition as directed by Grand Council. ie 4 team divisions. We will be, however, be governed by the number of teams entered for each Cup. If it were necessary to run 6 team divisions we would be looking at implementing the system used for the Crakanthorp in 2009. ie Play 1 round only with what would have been the 6<sup>th</sup> match used as ¼ Final to determine the semi finalists

Where we are able to have multiple entries of 4 teams our aim is to grade the top 8 teams & then split into 2 divisions (maybe Gold & Silver) We would then take the leading 2 teams in each of those divisions through to Semi Finals. eg Gold Div would comprise teams 1,3,5 & 7 whilst the Silver Division would contain teams 2,4,6 & 8

### **Changes to Interdistrict**

Starting Time Round Matches	Unchanged	12.15pm
Starting Time Semi Finals/Div Play Offs	Unchanged	12.00 noon
Starting Time Finals (All matches)		9.00am

### **P9 Format of Play-Round Matches, Divisional Play Offs & Semi Finals:-**

All divisions of Blackwell Cup & Angus & Coote Cup together with Divisions 1 & 2 of Ryan, Tremlett, Irene Matthews, Presidents, Wade & Neal & Esca Stephens to be played on 2 courts:-

#### **Matches to Consist of:-**

All rubbers to consist of the Best of 3 sets with the 3<sup>rd</sup> set being a Rubber Deciding Tie Break (ie First to 10 with a 2 point advantage)  
The "Rubber Deciding" Tie Break shall be counted as a Set for the purpose

of

deciding match results & points allocation

First 2 matches shall be the No 1 Singles and the doubles between 2&3 V 2&3

At the conclusion of the first doubles the remaining singles matches are to be played with the No 2 player being first followed by the No 3 player

The remaining 2 doubles shall then be played with the No 1 player being paired with whichever player from the above singles finishes first followed by the No 1 player paired with the remaining player

The above matches are to be played on 2 courts

With the exception of Blackwell & Angus & Coote Cups **Divisions 3** & below of the above Cups together with all divisions of the **McAndrew & Crakanthorp** Cups shall be played as follows:-

First 2 sets to be doubles, 1&2 V 1&2 followed by 2&3 V 2&3 followed by No 1 singles followed by No 3 Singles followed by the No 2 Singles followed by the last doubles 1&3 V 1&3

### **Seniors**

Matches to consist of six tie break sets (1<sup>st</sup> to 7) played in the following order:-

1&2 V 1&2 1&3 V 1&3 2&3 V 2&3  
1&2 V 1&2 1&3 V 1&3 2&3 V 2&3

### **P10** **Format of Play-Finals**

a. add the “Rubber Deciding” tie break shall be counted as a **set** for the purpose of deciding match results\

All matches to be played on 1 court using the following format:-

Blackwell, Angus & Coote, Tremlett, Ryan, Presidents, Irene Matthews, Esca Stephens & Wade & Neal:-

2 doubles followed by 3 singles followed by remaining doubles in the following order:-

1&2 V 1&2 followed by 2&3 V 2&3 followed by No 1 Singles followed by No 3 Singles followed by No 2 Singles followed by remaining doubles 1&3 V 1&3

All “Seniors” Cups:-

1&2 V 1&2 1&3 V 1&3 2&3 V 2&3  
1&2 V 1&2 1&3 V 1&3 2&3 V 2&3  
1&2 V 1&2 1&3 V 1&3 2&3 V 2&3

In “Seniors” matches the Home team shall serve in the 1<sup>st</sup> set & thereafter serving shall alternate

In all other matches the Home team shall serve first in the first doubles & the first & third singles. The visiting team shall serve first in the second doubles, second singles & last doubles

### **P15** **Point Scores-Within Rounds Only**

To be adjusted in accordance with format agreed upon  
(Same principal as previous years)