



**TOUCH ASSOCIATION**

## **28<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TOUCH TOURNAMENT**

**RUGBY PARK, WHAKATANE**

**SATURDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2014**

### **Tournament Officials:**

President	Sharon Walker
Tournament Director	George Rogers
Assistant	Roger Cossey
Referees Director	Ian Milne
Administration Manager	Vicky Richards
Treasurer	Debbie Hyland
Grounds Manager	Jimmy McLean
Protest Committee	Sharon Walker, Rob Walker
Appeals	Pam Hyde

## President's Message

This is our 28<sup>th</sup> annual Tournament. Many volunteers and many hours has ensured that the event is ever improving and is now attracting some of the most skilled and committed Touch players to Whakatane. Many have attended for all the 28 years, giving their service as an administrator, official and player to the benefit of the tournament. We cannot thank them enough for their support.

In recognising those persons for their past service we also wish to recognise our major sponsor, Pub Charity for their support. We also recognise the support of the Whakatane District Council, East Bay Trust, The Iceman and Major brands for their contributions towards this day.

The first team entered this tournament in early September using our on line registration system. We also introduced a Referees registration. In the last few years we have had trouble with the lack of referees. Teams are asked to register a referee but many fail to do so or enter a false name to the detriment of the tournament. By 1<sup>st</sup> December we had the full 72 team entries and received a further 15 entries which were placed into reserve. A welcome to the teams who have come from a distance including two team from Australia.

To those persons who have made themselves available to referee, thank you very much. We were able to assist some referees with transport and accommodation costs. A special thanks to Zane and Ricky for their referee recruitment drive. Also a very big thanks to Ian Milne who returned to the Referees Directors position arguably the most important position on the day.

This is my fifth year as President of the Whakatane Touch Association and I am pleased to be supported by a strong and active committee. We are lucky here in Whakatane, we have the support of a large number of volunteers, who willingly give their time to set up, run and clear away.

To those who do the mundane work of putting up and taking down tents, marking fields, picking up and emptying the rubbish bins thank you This tournament is not all about playing Touch.

Prize money of \$14,400 will be distributed today. The one-off prize draw has been continued for every team entered to win \$1,000 cash. The increase in the entry fee has been directed to the referees to assist them in travel and accommodation.

Finally, good luck to all teams. There are lots in store so I trust all teams, supporters and the public will enjoy this weekend's activities.



**ANNUAL WHAKATANE TOUCH TOURNAMENT**  
**SATURDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2014**  
**RUGBY PARK, WHAKATANE**

**TOURNAMENT NOTES AND REGULATIONS**

**ENTRY AND REGISTRATION**

1. Each team must be entered on the approved entry form and paid the entry fee in full before the closing time and date.
2. All players must be registered on the teams official team registration form.
3. The team registration form must be submitted to the Tournament Administrator before the first game.
4. **Players cannot be registered or play for more than one team.**
5. Each team can register up to fourteen players.
6. **Teams playing unregistered players will lose the game** and default any prize monies.
7. If a team fails to submit a team registration form they will not be allocated points until such time as a registration form is submitted.

**8. Grade Criteria:**

<b>MENS OPEN</b>	Open to all male players
<b>MENS RESTRICTED</b>	See appendix
<b>WOMENS OPEN</b>	Open to all female players
<b>WOMENS RESTRICTED</b>	See appendix
<b>MIXED OPEN</b>	Open to all male and female players
<b>MIXED RESTRICTED</b>	See appendix

**Appendix**

Clarification on what players **CANNOT** play in the tournament restricted grades.

- A player who has played and represented **New Zealand** in the men's or women's open or mixed open teams after the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009.
- A player who has played and represented their **Provincial Association** in the men's or women's open or mixed open team after the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009
- A player who has played and represented **New Zealand** in the men's or women's or mixed Youth under 20 teams after the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009.
- A player who has played and represented their **Provincial Association** in the men's or women's or mixed Youth under 20 team after the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009.
- Any player who has represented **any other Country** affiliated to the World Touch Federation in **similar grades** after the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009.

## TOURNAMENT

1. Each game will start and end on the hooter.
2. Each game will be **one session of 25 minutes (no half time), except the finals which will be two sessions of 15 minutes with a two minute half time break.**
3. Each team must be at the allocated field in time for the referee's preliminary inspection and toss.
4. Players must wear approved touch footwear and uniform. Rugby type boots are not to be worn. If detected during a game a player must leave the field and not return until approved footwear or uniform is worn.
5. If a player is sent from the field of play for any reason under the rules of Touch, that player cannot play in any further games of the tournament, and maybe subject to further disciplinary action if it is deemed necessary.
6. In the preliminary rounds draws count.
7. **In the semi-finals and finals a drop off will be played** if required to obtain a result.

### To determine the final position in each section:

- Teams will be given 3 points for a win, 2 points for a draw, 1 point for a loss, 0 points for a default.
- If a default occurs in section play the team defaulted against will be credited with a win with a game score of +5.
- The team with the highest points will be placed ahead.

<b>1. If two teams have the same points</b>	The team who won when the two teams met will be placed ahead.
<b>2. If they still cannot be separated</b>	The team with the most wins will be placed ahead.
<b>3. If they still cannot be separated by wins</b>	The team with the highest differential will be placed ahead.
<b>4. If the teams cannot be separated by differential</b>	The team that scored the most touchdowns will be placed ahead
<b>5. If the teams cannot be separated by touchdowns</b>	The team who had the least touchdowns scored against them will be placed ahead
<b>6. If the teams still cannot be separated</b>	The Tournament Director will toss a coin to determine the position if after the five actions above cannot separate the teams

### To determine each team's position in a knock out round after sectional play has been completed:

The teams will be compared as follows:

<b>1. The points of the teams that finished FIRST in each section will be compared</b>	The team with the highest points will be placed ahead.
<b>2. If there are two or more teams with the same points</b>	The team with the most wins will be placed ahead.
<b>3. If the teams cannot be separated by wins</b>	The team with the highest differential will be placed ahead.
<b>4. If the teams cannot be separated by differential</b>	The team that scored the most touchdowns will be placed ahead
<b>5. If the teams cannot be separated by touchdowns</b>	The team who had the least touchdowns scored against them will be placed ahead
<b>6. If the teams still cannot be separated</b>	The Tournament Director will toss a coin to determine the position if after the five actions above cannot separate the teams

### **PROTESTS/APPEALS (Forms available from the Tournament Director)**

1. **PROTESTS** must be made in writing to the Tournament Director within ten minutes of the game finishing and must be accompanied with a \$100 bond.
2. **APPEALS** against the decision of the Protest Committee must be in writing within 15 minutes of the protest decision being made and must be accompanied with a \$200 bond.
3. If the protest or appeal is upheld, the bond will be returned.
4. The decision of the appeal hearing is final.
5. **Warning. If a team plays an unregistered or unqualified player during the preliminary rounds the team will lose the game and the game will be awarded to the non-offending team. If a team plays an unregistered or unqualified player during the playoff rounds the game will be awarded to the non-offending team and the offending team will lose the game and forfeit any prize money that they may have won.**

### **SCORECARDS**

1. Referees must agree on the game score and present the score card to the team captains for signing.
2. Once the signed score card has been handed to the Tournament Director's assistant, the result is final. If a team wishes to challenge a score card they must make a protest.

### **GENERAL**

1. Each team must supply a touch match ball at each game.
2. Prize money will be allocated depending on the number of teams in each grade.
3. An attempt will be made to have a balanced draw, i.e. in blocks of four teams so as each team gets at least 4 games during the tournament, and no more than six. Teams may be placed on a waiting list to enable the Tournament Director to achieve this. If any grade has 24 teams entered the grade will be split into two separate competitions and the prize money will be awarded accordingly.
4. The Tournament Director may seek further entries after the closing date to balance the draw.
5. A maximum of 72 teams will be accepted.
6. The Tournament Director may accept or decline entries.

**THE DRAW IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE  
PLEASE CONSULT THE BOARD AT ALL TIMES**





## **TOURNAMENT SERVICES**

### **Medical Services**

A Medical Station and an Ambulance manned by St Johns is available during the tournament. They are located near the Tournament Headquarters on Rugby Park.

### **Ice**

Ice will be on sale from the St Johns Ambulance staff.

### **Water**

A water horse is located near the toilets on Rugby Park, south of number 4 field and on the west wall of the War Memorial building, as well as the east end of the main grandstand.

### **Toilets**

We have provided signage to locate all toilet facilities. If at any time the toilets or other facilities are unserviceable, please inform one of the ground crew or officials.

### **Safety**

Spectators must be **behind** the ropes and barriers on fields that are roped off or where a barrier is in place. Please ensure that your child is monitored and kept off the playing fields for their own safety.

### **Player safety**

For the safety of players no spectators are allowed in the area between fields one and two, three and four. Teams only are allowed to occupy this area.

### **Food Vendors**

We have offered a number of food vendors to supply a variety of products for your convenience. These will be mainly located in Rugby Park with a couple of vendors at the football fields.

### **Rubbish**

Your team will be issued with a rubbish bag on registration. Rubbish is a never-ending problem so we kindly ask that all teams and players to place any rubbish in the bags and bins that we have provided around the fields.

### **After Match Function**

The Whakatane Touch is not responsible for the after match functions promoted within the town. They come under the control of the organisers and are subject to Police surveillance and action.

### **Liquor ban**

There is a liquor ban in the central area and all parks in Whakatane. The Whakatane Police have nil tolerance to a breach of this ban. If you get caught drinking in the public area or parks it will mean that you will be arrested and locked up for the night, have a court appearance, and will be fined.

### **Theft**

The Whakatane Touch Association and its organising committee cannot be responsible for any loss or theft of personal or team items. Please ensure your vehicles and personal/team gear is secure.

# \$1,000 Lucky Team Draw

The Whakatane Touch Association are offering a prize draw for all teams who enter the 2011 tournament to be in to win:

## Up to \$1,000 cash

This prize will be drawn at the completion of the prize giving.

The draw will be officiated as follows:

1. Each team will have a number allocated as displayed on the main scoreboard
2. Each team will have **one** chance to win the prize.
3. If your team number is drawn out, your team **MUST** present a minimum of **10 registered players** as per your team registration form, within two (2) minutes.
4. The team names will be checked against the team registration form.
5. If not claimed within the two (2) minutes or the team does not meet the conditions above there will be another number drawn under the same conditions.
6. After the second and each subsequent draw the value of the prize reduces by \$200.00 until the prize is claimed. There will be a maximum of six draws to find a winner.



TEAM NUMBERS FOR \$1000 DRAW

Men's Open	1	Playing Up	Mixed Restricted	36	Ykte Flames	
	2	Revelation		37	Opo Wolfz	
	3	Acez		38	Ymana	
	4	Add Up		39	En Gee Aye Ninjas	
	5	Sumthins Burnin		40	BN's	
	6	Watch the Feet		41	Mix and Match	
	7	Wairere		Men's Restricted	42	BaaBaaz Whakatane Old
	8	FH Ice Breakers			43	Boys
	9	Galaxy			44	Te Aute Old Boys
	10	Deucez			45	Saints Old Boys
	11	BBz			46	Tatou Tatou
	12	Lock-n			47	Pahou
	13	Loaded			48	Mazean
	14	G Up			49	FH Gunners
	15	Viscious			50	Flock and Flow
	16	Freezin Hot			51	Add Up
	17	Bullets		52	Link it Up	
	18	2 Styles		53	Unit	
Women's open	19	Bears	Men's Restricted 2	54	Karaha Sports	
	20	Envy		55	Stomp	
	21	John's Angels		56	Air Force Sportsfuel	
	22	No Worrys		57	Redbacks	
	23	All In		Men's Restricted 2	58	Ebony Kings TA
24	Bullets	59	2 Steps			
25	Smash	60	Shoot Em Up			
Mixed Restricted	26	Bears	61		Naki Touch	
	27	12 Shades of Brown	62		Twisted	
	28	My Maori	63	Flow		
	29	Selwyn Raiders	64	Taneatua Cruisers		
	30	Galaxy Whangarei	65	Menace		
	31	Revelation	Women's Rest	66	Korsing Havoc	
	32	Forest View		67	Air force	
	33	Phoenix		68	Stress Makers	
	34	Tanagat Whenua TV		69	THS	
	35	Enhance		70	Hidden Agenda	





## TIMETABLE

### Friday 10th January

5pm - 6pm            Entries will be taken for the "Drop Off" tournament at Rugby Park, Whakatane.  
Entry forms available from the administration table.  
Entry fee \$40.00 per team. All entry fees distributed out as 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prizes only.  
Two grades - Men's and Women's.  
Uniforms must be worn

#### Touch New Zealand Drop Off rules apply

6pm                    Drop Off tournament starts.

### Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> January

7.00am                Rugby Park gates open

9.15am                Referees meet at the HQ  
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10.00am              Team Managers meeting at the Tournament Headquarters. All team managers to attend

**10.30am              First Round commences**

5.20pm                Men's final

6.00pm                At the conclusion of the Men's finals, prize giving will take place at the Tournament Headquarters.

6.15pm approx.      **\$1,000 Lucky Team Draw (note conditions)**

#### NOTE:

**All team managers must consult the draws board for any changes.**



## **THE DRAW**

**Each team entered should play at least four games** of touch over the tournament, but some teams will play more if they reach the finals.

**ENTRY FEES ALLOCATION.** \$200.00 from each entry fee is paid out in prize money, \$100 is used for tournament administration and expenses and \$50 goes towards Referees expenses. The prizes for each grade is determined by the number of teams entered in that grade.

**MENS OPEN -18 teams entered in 3 sections of 6 teams.** Each team plays five games. The top teams of each section and the best performed second team will play off for the championship and plate

**MEN'S RESTRICTED - 24 teams entered which will be divided into two competitions, one of 16 teams, the other 8 teams.** Each section plays a round robin (three games). In the 16 team competition the top teams of the sections will play off for the championship. The second teams in each section will play for the plate. The remaining teams will be blocked into groups of four and play off for consolation prizes. In the 8 teams competition. The top two teams in each section will play off for the championship, the remaining teams will play for the plate.

**MIXED RESTRICTED - 16 teams entered divided into sections of 4 teams.** Each section plays a round robin (three games). The top teams of the sections will play off for the championship. The second teams in each section will play for the plate. The remaining teams will be blocked into groups of four and play off for consolation prizes.

**WOMEN'S OPEN - 7 teams entered divided into two sections.** Each section plays a round robin (three games). The top two teams in each section will play off for the championship and the remainder for the plate.

**WOMENS RESTRICTED - 5 teams entered. This grade will play a round robin with no finals (4 Games plus a bye)**

**The managers of the teams please consult the score board at HQ after your third game to see where you will be playing the quarter finals.**

# Whakatane Touch Association

## MEN'S OPEN

### ROUND ONE

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Playin Up	Watch the Feet	1	10.30
Revelation	Sumthins Burnin	2	10.30
Acez	Add Up	3	10.30

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Wairere	Lock-N	4	10.30
FH Ice Brakaz	BBz	5	10.30
Galaxy	Deucez	6	10.30

#### Section Three

Team	Team	Field	Time
Loaded	2 Stylez	7	10.30
G Up	Bulletz	8	10.30
Viscious	Freezin Hot	9	10.30

### ROUND TWO

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Playin Up	Sumthins Burnin	1	11.50
Watch the Feet	Add Up	2	11.50
Revelation	Acez	3	11.50

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Wairere	BBz	4	11.50
Lock-N	Deucez	5	11.50
FH Ice Brakaz	Galaxy	6	11.50

#### Section Three

Team	Team	Field	Time
Loaded	Bulletz	7	11.50
2 Stylez	Freezin Hot	8	11.50
G Up	Viscious	9	11.50

## ROUND THREE

### Section One

Team		Team	Field	Time
Playin Up		Add Up	1	1.10
Sumthins Burnin		Acez	2	1.10
Watch the Feet		Revelation	3	1.10

### Section Two

Team		Team	Field	Time
Wairere		Deucez	4	1.10
BBz		Galaxy	5	1.10
Lock-N		FH Ice Brakaz	6	1.10

### Section Three

Team		Team	Field	Time
Loaded		Freezin Hot	7	1.10
Bulletz		Viscious	8	1.10
2 Stylez		G Up	9	1.10

## ROUND FOUR

### Section One

Team		Team	Field	Time
Playin Up		Acez	1	2.30
Add Up		Revelation	2	2.30
Sumthins Burnin		Watch the Feet	3	2.30

### Section Two

Team		Team	Field	Time
Wairere		Galaxy	4	2.30
Deucez		FH Ice Brakaz	5	2.30
BBz		Lock-N	6	2.30

### Section Three

Team		Team	Field	Time
Loaded		Viscious	7	2.30
Freezin Hot		G Up	8	2.30
Bulletz		2 Stylez	9	2.30

## ROUND FIVE

### Section One

Team		Team	Field	Time
Playin Up		Revelation	1	3.50
Acez		Watch the Feet	2	3.50
Add Up		Sumthins Burnin	3	3.50

### Section Two

Team		Team	Field	Time
Wairere		FH Ice Brakaz	4	3.50
Galaxy		Lock-N	5	3.50
Deucez		BBz	6	3.50

### Section Three

Team		Team	Field	Time
Loaded		G Up	7	3.50
Viscious		2 Stylez	8	3.50
Freezin Hot		Bulletz	9	3.50



# Whakatane Touch Association

## WOMEN'S OPEN

### ROUND ONE

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bears	All In	10	10.30
Envy	Bullets	11	10.30

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bye	No Worrays		
Smash	John's Angels	12	10.30

### ROUND TWO

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bears	Bullets	10	11.50
All In	Envy	11	11.50

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bye	John's Angels		
No Worrays	Smash	12	11.50

### ROUND THREE

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bears	Envy	10	1.10
Bullets	All In	11	1.10

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bye	Smash		
John's Angels	No Worrays	12	1.10



# Whakatane Touch Association

## WOMEN'S RESTRICTED

### ROUND ONE

Team		Team	Field	Time
Bye		Hidden Agenda		
Korsing Havoc		THS	13	10.30
Air Force		Stress Makers	14	10.30

### ROUND TWO

Team		Team	Field	Time
Bye		THS		
Hidden Agenda		Stress Makers	13	11.50
Korsing Havoc		Air Force	14	11.50

### ROUND THREE

Team		Team	Field	Time
Bye		Stress Makers		
THS		Air Force	13	1.10
Hidden Agenda		Korsing Havoc	14	1.10

### ROUND FOUR

Team		Team	Field	Time
Bye		Air Force		
Stress Makers		Korsing Havoc	13	2.30
THS		Hidden Agenda	14	2.30

### ROUND FIVE

Team		Team	Field	Time
Bye		Korsing Havoc		
Air Force		Hidden Agenda	10	3.50
Stress Makers		THS	11	3.50



## Whakatane Touch Association

### MIXED RESTRICTED

#### ROUND ONE

##### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bears	Selwyn Raiders	1	11.10
12 Shades of Brown	My Maori	2	11.10

##### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Galaxy Whangarei	Phoenix	3	11.10
Revelation	Forest View	4	11.10

##### Section Three

Team	Team	Field	Time
Tanagata Whenua TV	Ykte Flamez	5	11.10
Enhance	Opo Wolfz	6	11.10

##### Section Four

Team	Team	Field	Time
Ymana	B N's	7	11.10
En Gee Aye Ninjas	Mix n Match	8	11.10

#### ROUND TWO

##### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Bears	My Maori	1	12.30
Selwyn Raiders	12 Shades of Brown	2	12.30

##### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Galaxy Whangarei	Forest View	3	12.30
Phoenix	Revelation	4	12.30

##### Section Three

Team	Team	Field	Time
Tanagata Whenua TV	Opo Wolfz	5	12.30
Ykte Flamez	Enhance	6	12.30

##### Section Four

Team	Team	Field	Time
Ymana	Mix n Match	7	12.30
B N's	En Gee Aye Ninjas	8	12.30



## ROUND THREE

### Section One

Team		Team	Field	Time
Bears		12 Shades of Brown	1	1.50
My Maori		Selwyn Raiders	2	1.50

### Section Two

Team		Team	Field	Time
Galaxy Whangarei		Revelation	3	1.50
Forest View		Phoenix	4	1.50

### Section Three

Team		Team	Field	Time
Tanagata Whenua TV		Enhance	5	1.50
Opo Wolfz		Ykte Flamez	6	1.50

### Section Four

Team		Team	Field	Time
Ymana		En Gee Aye Ninjas	7	1.50
Mix n Match		B N's	8	1.50



## Whakatane Touch Association

### MEN'S RESTRICTED

#### ROUND ONE

##### Section One

Team		Team	Field	Time
BaaBaaz		Saintz Old Boys	9	11.10
Whakatane Old Boys		Te Aute Old Boys	10	11.10

##### Section Two

Team		Team	Field	Time
Tatou Tatou		FH Gunners	11	11.10
Pahou		Mazean	12	11.10

##### Section Three

Team		Team	Field	Time
Flock and Flow		Unit	13	11.10
Add Up		Link it Up	14	11.10

##### Section Four

Team		Team	Field	Time
Koraha Sports		Air force	15	11.10
Stomp		Sportsfuel Redbacks	16	11.10

#### ROUND TWO

##### Section One

Team		Team	Field	Time
BaaBaaz		Te Aute Old Boys	9	12.30
Saintz Old Boys		Whakatane Old Boys	10	12.30

##### Section Two

Team		Team	Field	Time
Tatou Tatou		Mazean	11	12.30
FH Gunners		Pahou	12	12.30

##### Section Three

Team		Team	Field	Time
Flock and Flow		Link it Up	13	12.30
Unit		Add Up	14	12.30

##### Section Four

Team		Team	Field	Time
Koraha Sports		Sportsfuel Redbacks	15	12.30
Air force		Stomp	16	12.30

## ROUND THREE

### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
BaaBaaz	Whakatane Old Boys	9	1.50
Te Aute Old Boys	Saintz Old Boys	10	1.50

### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Tatou Tatou	Pahou	11	1.50
Mazean	FH Gunners	12	1.50

### Section Three

Team	Team	Field	Time
Flock and Flow	Add Up	13	1.50
Link it Up	Unit	14	1.50

### Section Four

Team	Team	Field	Time
Koraha Sports	Stomp	15	1.50
Sportsfuel Redbacks	Air force	16	1.50



# Whakatane Touch Association

## MENS RESTRICTED TWO

### ROUND ONE

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Ebony Kings TA	Naki Touch	15	10.30
2 Steps	Shoot Em Up	16	10.30

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Twisted	Menace	17	10.30
Flow	Taneatua Cruisers	18	10.30

### ROUND TWO

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Ebony Kings TA	Shoot Em Up	15	11.50
Naki Touch	2 Steps	16	11.50

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Twisted	Taneatua Cruisers	17	11.50
Menace	Flow	18	11.50

### ROUND THREE

#### Section One

Team	Team	Field	Time
Ebony Kings TA	2 Steps	15	1.10
Shoot Em Up	Naki Touch	16	1.10

#### Section Two

Team	Team	Field	Time
Twisted	Flow	17	1.10
Taneatua Cruisers	Menace	18	1.10

## TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Note: This registration form is to be submitted on the tournament day but **must** be submitted to the Tournament Administration no later than 10.30am

The following players are registered members of the team: (Christian and Surname required)

TEAM NAME \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE \_\_\_\_\_

<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>

I certify that the above team will abide by the Rules of Touch as set out in the New Zealand Touch Rule book, and that I have read and understand the rules and regulations as set down by the Whakatane Touch Association for the running of this tournament. A player can only be registered on one Registration form

I also certify that in the event of being asked to supply samples as required for a drug test as set out in the procedures by the Sports Drug Agency, that these samples will be supplied as directed.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone number \_\_\_\_\_



Number

## DROP OFF ENTRY FORM

WOMENS

MENS

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM MANAGER: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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### RULES:

1. All players must be registered on the entry form. Players can only register for one team. Only 7 players can be registered. 6 players on the field to start the game.
2. The game is played under Touch New Zealand Drop Off rule.
3. A \$40.00 entry fee per team must be paid.
4. Team Managers must pay close attention to the draw board and the Public Address system for field and times to play. Once called a team has two minutes to take the field or be defaulted.
5. The number of lives will be determined by the number of teams entered.
6. 1<sup>st</sup> placed will take 60% of the pool and the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed team 40%.

## ECONOMIC IMPACT SURVEY

*To assist in measuring the economic impact of our Whakatane Touch Tournament we would be grateful if you could take a few minutes to complete the questions below about numbers in your group attending the event and estimated expenditure while in the region. Please fill the form and submit it when you register your team on the day.*

- Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Where is your team from? \_\_\_\_\_
- Approx. how many team members and supporters will you have travelling to our Tournament? \_\_\_\_\_
- Where will you be staying? (Please circle or highlight)

Motel/Hotel

Camping

Marae

With Whanau

Other \_\_\_\_\_

- How many nights will you be looking to stay? \_\_\_\_\_
- Please tick or highlight the approx. cost of what your group (team) will be likely to spend on:
  - Travel / Transport \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - Accommodation \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - Food / Drink \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Will you be planning to visit any local attractions/places while you are staying here?
- If yes what/where will you be visiting \_\_\_\_\_

*Whakatane Touch Association Committee thanks you for taking the time to complete this survey.*