



NORTH HARBOUR SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL BADMINTON LEAGUE 2024

NOTES TO THE DRAW

Thank you for your team entries into the North Harbour Secondary School Badminton League 2024. The entry this year, considering we are only accepting B grade teams, is outstanding, including the inclusion of a new school, Kaipara College.

We have to restrict the number of weeks of competition to five (5) in term two due to the sale of the Apollo Drive building that Active Badminton plays in. We apologise for this inconvenience; however, this is something out of our control.

Senior Boys B: Monday

Twelve (12) teams. Two pool boxes of six teams.

Pool box takes 5 weeks to play through with the winning team being decided by the highest number of points across both boxes.

Senior Boys B: Tuesday

Twenty (20) teams. Four pool boxes of five teams.

Each pool box takes 5 weeks to play through. The winning team will be decided by the highest number of points across all boxes. Each team will have a bye during the competition. Please refer to the draw for which week your team/s have their bye.

Senior Girls B: Wednesday

Sixteen (16) teams. Four pool boxes of four teams.

Each pool box will take three weeks to play through before moving onto a semi final and final week of play; in total five weeks of play. Each team will play in the semi-finals and finals week deciding where each team finishes in places 1-16.

Senior Girls B: Thursday

Eleven (11) teams. One pool box of six teams and one pool box of five teams.

Both pool boxes will take five weeks to play through with the box of five teams each having a bye during the competition. Please refer to the draw for which week your team/s have their bye.

The winning team will be decided by the highest number of points across all boxes.

General

Please show your teams how to access the draws and results via tournament software (link below). This will be on the Badminton North Harbour and College Sport websites. It is good that they understand how the competition works and if they have byes, they know not to show up.

I have also attached to the email the draw by day as it stands at the start of the event.

Play begins at 4pm so please make sure players are at the hall no later than 3.45pm to organise their teams and tie sheets. Play finishes at 5.00pm.

We have changed the format of play this year. Each tie will consist of:

4 x singles matches

2 x doubles matches

All matches are one game to 21 points, no extension.

There will be prizegiving for boys and girls on the final days of play.

Good luck to all teams for the competition and thank you to all teachers, sport managers, sport co-ordinators and parents for making this event possible.

See you all on the week beginning 6 May. If you have any questions or queries about the competition, please contact me.

Link to the School Draws:

<https://bit.ly/SecSchoolBadLeague24>

North Harbour website:

<https://www.bnh.org.nz/secondary/>