



Eastern Gauteng Pool Association

13 December 2023

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Pool South Africa

PRE REGISTRATION FOR TRIALS 2024

To qualify for trials, players need to compete in the EGPA 2024 registered league. Please note that when completing this registration form, you have read the below selection criteria. Please send the trial registration form to Egpa8ball@gmail.com Attention: Tanya van Meyeren (Secretary). The deadline for trial entries will be 1 week prior to the 1st day of the respective trials. **No late registrations will be accepted! Trial fees R 300-00 per player.**

Category: (Mark with X) ☐ Juniors ☐ Ladies ☐ Opens ☐ Seniors ☐ Masters ☐ Grand Masters
☐ U/14 ☐ U/18 ☐ U/23

NAME: _____ SURNAME: _____

CLUB: _____ ID NUMBER: _____

CELL: _____ EMAIL: _____

As a registered member of Eastern Gauteng Pool Association (EGPA), I undertake to compete to the best of my ability and to abide by the rules that govern the sport. I am committed to a competitive spirit, free of doping and to uphold the true spirit of sportsmanship out of respect of all the competitors and for the betterment of the sport.

Players chosen for the Provincial Teams have to be in good standing with EGPA. All provincial player's league fees must be paid in full on 29 February 2024. A non-refundable deposit will be required (full clothing & accommodation fees) Ladies, Masters & Grand Master – 29 February 2024 and Juniors, Opens & Seniors – 30 April 2024. If not, then the reserves will get placed in the team.

"Any player starting a session of trials and not completing that session, shall not be allowed to play in any *Trials event for the next 3 (three) years*". A disciplinary hearing will be held for any players found guilty of this. There will be a "Floating" Referee at all trials and they will be allowed to make calls on games spectated by themselves.

Player signature

Date

As of AGM 2023 EGPA will go CASHLESS. The only payment method is via EFT. Proof of payment to be sent to Egpa8ball@gmail.com attention Lianda Smith (Treasurer).

Account Name: EGPA
Bank: Standard Bank
Account Number: 020 766 890
Branch code: 050 001
Player Reference: TRI + Player name & Surname

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Selection Criteria 2023

League:

1. Players need to have completed at least 50% of total league games of the current year, up to trial date, in order to qualify to play trials.
2. Trail fees must be paid in full before trials commence. Any players in bad standing with the province will not be eligible to play trials, this includes fees being up to date, unless otherwise specified.
3. Players entering trials are expected to complete the trials in its entirety.
4. If a player withdraws from trials, they could be suspended from future trials for up to 3 years.

New Players:

1. If a player has represented any other province other than Eastern Gauteng at national level, they should inform the committee before trials commence as to which province as well as the year they played.

Trials:

1. Trials will be played over a period of 3 days, smaller groups will be completed in 1 or 2 days.
2. The position you end on does not mean automatic places for teams. Selectors will choose the best possible teams to send to represent the province.
3. Selection will be done on trial stats. In borderline cases league stats and previous experience will be considered.
4. Players, opponents and tables will be allocated by control.
5. Players are required to keep record of their scores on scorecards that will be provided by control in case of any discrepancies arising.
6. Both players are to report scores to control immediately after play.
7. Players will play 1 frame and the break will be decided by lag.
8. Standings will be determined as a percentage of games won versus games played.
9. Players that are currently part of the world SA teams will still be expected to compete in the trials.
10. Players selected for the Provincial teams, will have to complete and pass the referees exam, as set out by PSA.

Selection Criteria:

1. To send a team of 9 players, a minimum of 18 players must compete in the trials.
2. To send 2 teams of 9 players, a minimum of 36 players must compete in the trials.
3. To send a team of 5 players, a minimum of 10 players must compete in the trials.
4. To send 2 teams of 5 players, a minimum of 20 players must compete in the trials.
5. To be selected, you need to achieve a minimum of 50% wins at trials, this can be revised at the selection committee's discretion.
6. For each side selected, 2 reserves will be selected as well.
7. Selection and team announcement will take place immediately after completion of the last day of trials when possible.
8. It is expected of all players to be present at selection and team announcement.
9. Players not selected for the provincial teams have the option to forward applications to be either referees or managers for the selected teams, but will have to adhere to the applicable criteria for these positions.
10. The executive committee has the final say as to how many teams will be selected for the Nationals.

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