



**ELIGIBILITY FOR WEMBLEY TEE-BALL ASSOCIATION
UNDER 11 BLUE AND GOLD DIVISIONS FINALS**

Refer to the Wembley Tee-Ball Association Handbook

35. Eligibility for Finals – In the WTBA Nominated Under 11 Divisions

To be read in conjunction with clause 8 OF THE Wembley Tee-Ball Association Handbook.

To be eligible to play in finals matches, a player must play in at least Five (5) games with the team during the current season.

If a team has to cancel their semi final game due to insufficient players (inclusive of Covid situations) the team will forfeit and the opposition will be awarded the win and move to the grand final.

If a team has to cancel their grand final game due to insufficient players (inclusive of Covid situations), the team will forfeit and the opposition will be awarded the win.

36. Date of Finals

The Wembley Teeball Association Finals will be scheduled immediately after the long weekend in March.

Semi Final – Saturday 9 March 2024 at Birralelee Reserve

Grand Final – Saturday 16 March 2024 at Woodlands Reserve

37. Duration of Finals

All finals games will start at 09.30am and continue until both teams have completed 7 innings (there is no time limit).

If there is a tie after both teams have completed the 7th innings, the play will continue until there is a winner after both teams have completed equal innings.

38. Inclement Weather for Finals

In the event of inclement weather, the WTBA Executive and all umpires of the games would meet to decide on continuing, abandonment or rescheduling the finals.

39. Umpiring Duties for Semi Finals

The semi finals will be played utilising a three umpire system as developed by TBAWA. The Plate Umpire will be from a neutral club as appointed by WTBA.

All Plate Umpires should be dressed accordingly as described in the handbook clause "Notes on Umpiring".

1st and 2nd base umpires, if not accredited, should be dressed in club uniform with a green Hi Vis vest.

Home team shall supply an umpire to officiate 1st base.

Away team shall supply an umpire to officiate 2nd base

Plate umpire will officiate home plate and 3rd base.

40. Umpiring Duties for Grand Finals

The grand finals will be played utilising a three umpire system as developed by TBAWA. These selections are a choice of the WTBA and not subject for appeal or for discussion.

40.3. Scoring Duties for Semi Finals and Grand Finals

Teams qualifying for Semi Finals and Grand Finals are required to produce their scorebook and team list to the Wembley Official table prior to the commencement of the game.

The Wembley Official will check that all players have played a minimum of 5 games to be eligible to play finals.

Each team is to supply a scorer. The scorers are to sit behind the home plate but behind the foul ball line. Only the umpire, team coach and Wembley Officials are allowed to approach the scorers.