# Pennant Dress Code

All players by taking part in pennant competition agree to the bylaws including the dress code below:

The following articles of clothing are not acceptable:

- T-shirts, tracksuit tops, Tracksuit pants, Cargo pants, Shorts
- Sandals, thongs, Dirty, torn, or damaged clothing
- Clothing that could damage a table (such as trousers with large studs) or torn or ripped clothing/footwear.

Exemptions to the dress code will be considered on a case-by-case basis by the Score Registrar at scores@vbsa.org.au and, if necessary, by the VBSA Board.

### Penalties for Incorrect Dress

It is the responsibility of all players, captains, and officials to report dress code violations to scores@vbsa.org.au

| Snooker | Snooker | Billiards |
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| A Grade | 40pts per frame | 50 points to be subtracted from final adjusted score.<br><br>*e.g., player who scored 100 unadjusted points (raw score) but was receiving a multiple of 2 & therefore an adjusted score of 200 would have a final score of 200-50 =150 points.* |
| B Grade | 30pts per frame | |
| C Grade | 20pts per frame | |
| D Grade | 15pts per frame | |

# Often debated Pennant Rules – Ensure you know these

More details of all rules can be found at the rules and policies page. It is strongly recommended that all captains and officials are aware of the pennant rules before play commences to avoid delays due to debate during match play.

**Colours + 10 rule** – Applies to all grades

### When the timer sounds

(and all points scored on that visit, or penalty points awarded, have been added) the player with the highest score will be the winner.

#### When the colours remain (Applies to A & B grade)

- The frame ends once penalty points are required.

#### When the colours remain (Applies to C grades & below)

- The frame ends if a player is ahead on points. If only the black ball remains, the frame will be played to completion. if scores are level see rule below

#### When scores are level.

- All remaining balls will be removed from the table, the black ball will then be spotted, the striker decided by a coin toss, play started from in-hand and continued until the next pot or foul.

#### Frames that have not started.

- These will be determined by using a spotted black ball only with play started from in-hand and continued until the first pot or foul. The breaking sequence will continue from the previous frames played, i.e., the player who broke 1st will break in the 3rd.

# Finals format

**Finals timers - A grade Snooker**

A grade teams can play the finals without timers **only if all conditions below are met**

- The club operating times are not affected AND the after-match meal takes place (regardless of completion time)
- At least **5 days** before the Final both captains have agreed to play without timers & both captains have emailed the director of referees at refereesdirector@vbsa.org.au

If any of these conditions can't be met, the standard rules regarding timers set out below take effect

**Finals format for ladders of 10 or more teams**

Elimination Finals.

- EF1; 3 vs 6 at venue of 3. EF2; 4 vs 5 at venue of 4. *Providing venues available

Semi Finals.

- SF1; 1 vs lowest placed EF winner at venue of 1. *Providing venue available
- SF2; 2 vs highest placed EF winner at venue of 2. *Providing venue available

Grand Final.

- Winners of Semi Finals at neutral venue to be assigned by Scores Registrar
- Teams to be at venue 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of play for photography and administration purposes

**Finals format for ladders with less than 10 teams**

Semi Finals

- SF1, 1 v 4 at venue of 1. SF2, 2 v 3 at venue of 1. *Providing venue available

Grand Final.

- Winners of Semi Finals at neutral venue to be assigned by Scores Registrar
- Teams to be at venue 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of play for photography and administration purposes

**Applies to all finals**

(a) All finals start at 7pm

(b) One countdown timer to be set per table.

(c) Games will start at 7:00pm to allow for extended playing time. All second-round matches to start as soon as possible.

(i) Snooker: Each match (3 frames) is 105 minutes in length.

(ii) Billiards: 80 minutes per game.

(d) Snooker: The number one players are scheduled to play 4 frames instead of 3 to avoid the possibility of a draw. All frames are played continuously, without waiting for other frames/matches to finish.

(e) Snooker: The 4th frame time 45 minutes. When the 4th frame starts any time remaining for the number 1 players should be added to the time allowed for the 4th frame.

(f) Billiards: Game points shall decide a drawn game.

(g) Any changes to the scheduled start time must be pre-approved by the Score Registrar or The VBSA Board.

# 2026 VBSA - Pennant Season S2 BSW2 Fixture

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| Round 1<br>Wed<br>2026-07-29 | Darebin Blacks | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Bye | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Focus AA | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | RACV Hustlers |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Yarraville Reapers |

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| Round 2<br>Wed<br>2026-08-05 | Burwood Bandits | v | Yarraville Reapers |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Clayton Young Bucks |
| | Camberwell Tigers | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Focus AA |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Bye |

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| Round 3<br>Wed<br>2026-08-12 | Bye | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Focus AA | v | Darebin Blacks |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | RACV Hustlers |

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| Round 4<br>Wed<br>2026-08-19 | Burwood Bandits | v | RACV Hustlers |
| | Camberwell Tigers | v | Yarraville Reapers |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Clayton Young Bucks |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | Bye | v | Focus AA |

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| Round 5<br>Wed<br>2026-08-26 | Focus AA | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Bye |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Darebin Blacks |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Camberwell Tigers |

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| Round 6<br>Wed<br>2026-09-02 | Burwood Bandits | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | RACV Hustlers |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Yarraville Reapers |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Clayton Young Bucks |
| | Bye | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | Focus AA | v | Mulgrave Strikers |

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| Round 7<br>Wed<br>2026-09-09 | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Focus AA |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Bye |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | Darebin Blacks |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Camberwell Tigers | v | Dandenong Lions |

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| Round 8<br>Wed<br>2026-09-16 | Burwood Bandits | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | RACV Hustlers |
| | Bye | v | Yarraville Reapers |
| | Focus AA | v | Clayton Young Bucks |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Yarraville Inoffs |

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| Round 9<br>Wed<br>2026-09-23 | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | Focus AA |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Bye |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Brunswick Stars |

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| Round 10<br>Wed<br>2026-09-30 | Burwood Bandits | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | Bye | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Focus AA | v | RACV Hustlers |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Yarraville Reapers |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Clayton Young Bucks |

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| Round 11<br>Wed<br>2026-10-07 | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | Focus AA | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Bye |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Darebin Blacks |

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| Round 12<br>Wed<br>2026-10-14 | Burwood Bandits | v | Darebin Blacks |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Bye |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Focus AA |
| | Camberwell Tigers | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | Clayton Young Bucks |

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| Round 13<br>Wed<br>2026-10-21 | Yarraville Reapers | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Clayton Young Bucks |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | Focus AA | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Bye | v | Darebin Blacks |

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| Round 14<br>Wed<br>2026-10-28 | Burwood Bandits | v | Bye |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Focus AA |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | RACV Hustlers | v | Yarraville Reapers |

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| Round 15<br>Wed<br>2026-11-04 | RACV Hustlers | v | Burwood Bandits |
| | Yarraville Reapers | v | Camberwell Tigers |
| | Clayton Young Bucks | v | Dandenong Lions |
| | Yarraville Inoffs | v | Brunswick Stars |
| | Mulgrave Strikers | v | Darebin Blacks |
| | Focus AA | v | Bye |

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| Round 16<br>Wed<br>2026-11-11 | Burwood Bandits | v | Focus AA |
| | Bye | v | Mulgrave Strikers |
| | Darebin Blacks | v | Yarraville Inoffs |
| | Brunswick Stars | v | Clayton Young Bucks |
| | Dandenong Lions | v | Yarraville Reapers |
| | Camberwell Tigers | v | RACV Hustlers |

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| Elimination Finals | 2026-11-18 |
| Semi Finals | 2026-11-25 |
| Grand Finals | 2026-12-02 |

RACV. 7:00PM Supper; 7:30PM Start.

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