

## 2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Date/Month	Event	Location
<b>January</b>		
26/1 Tuesday	Smash Hit - Eastside	Newton
<b>February</b>		
2/2 Tuesday	Smash Hit – Eastside	Newton
6/2 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Brighton / Adelaide
9/2 Tuesday	Smash Hit – Eastside	Newton
13/2 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Southern
14/2 Sunday	Southern Juniors**	Southern
16/2 Tuesday	Smash Hit – Eastside	Newton
20/2 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Southern
21/2 Sunday	Woodville Open/Youth/Para Tournament**	Woodville
23/2 Tuesday	Smash Hit- Eastside	Newton
27/2 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Southern
28/2 Sunday	City of Mitcham Junior **	Adelaide
<b>March</b>		
2/3 Tuesday	Smash Hit- Eastside	Newton
6/3 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Brighton / Adelaide
8/3 Monday	Adelaide Cup Day	
9/3 Tuesday	Smash Hit- Eastside	Newton
13/3 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Southern
14/3 Sunday	TTSA – Annual General Meeting	Sport SA West Beach
16/3 Tuesday	Smash Hit- Eastside	Newton
21/3 Sunday	Brighton Junior**	Brighton
23/3 Tuesday	Smash Hit- Eastside	Newton
27/3 Saturday	Smash Hit – Southside	Southern
28/3 Sunday	City of Mitcham Senior / Youth**	Adelaide
<b>April</b>		
2/4 to 5/4	Easter weekend	
11/4 Sunday	City of Mitcham Veterans Tournament**	Adelaide
12/4 – 16/4	2021 National Hopes Week & Challenge	Melbourne
15/4 – 18/4	2021 SA Masters Games (Kadina)	Copper Coast, SA
18/4 Sunday	Woodville Junior Tournament **	
<b>May</b>		
1/5 – 2/5	Jamestown (Veterans/Open/Youth/Juniors)**	Jamestown
<b>8/5 Saturday</b>	<b>SA State Open (Senior &amp; Youth Champs) **</b> (state teams selected after this event)	<b>TBA</b>
<b>9/5 Sunday</b>	<b>SA State Junior Championships**</b> (state teams selected after this event)	<b>TBA</b>
23 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	Brighton Senior/Youth**	Brighton
30/5 Sunday	Southern Veterans**	Southern

<b>June</b>		
12/6 to 14/6	Country Carnival – Long weekend	Murray Bridge
19/6 – 20/6	Whyalla Tournament (All Ages)	Whyalla
27/6 Sunday	Woodville Veterans Tournament **	Woodville
<b>July</b>		
<b>2/7 – 11/7</b>	<b>2021 National Senior, Youth, Junior &amp; Para Championships</b>	<b>Caloundra, Sunshine Coast, QLD</b>
25/7 Sunday	Brighton Veterans**	Brighton
<b>August</b>		
31/7 – 1/8	Port Lincoln Tournament	Port Lincoln
<b>15/8 Sunday</b>	<b>SA Veterans Open**</b> (state teams selected after this event)	<b>TBA</b>
28/8 – 29/8	Meistershaft -Barossa & Light	Nuriootpa
<b>September</b>		
4/9 Saturday	TTSA Super Saturday	Newton
11/9 – 12/9	Murray Bridge Tournament	Murray Bridge
26/9 Sunday	City of Adelaide Rating Central Tournament (All Ages)	
<b>October</b>		
<b>9/10 – 16/10</b>	<b>2021 National Veterans Championships</b>	<b>Northern Territory Netball Stadium, Darwin</b>

**1 - TTSA Winter Competition to commence with date to be confirmed**

**2 - Tournaments marked \*\* are Sanctioned Tournaments with results used for SA State Rankings and State Team Qualification. Please refer to State Team Regulations at <https://www.tabletennissa.org.au/about/publications-and-forms/>**

#### **STATE TEAM SELECTION**

Below are the salient points from the state team selection policy (copy available via [State Team Selection Policy](#) for your reference):

- An exemption is required to be approved by the State Selectors in instances where players are injured and/or absent from a sanctioned tournament(s) if said players wish to be selected in a State Team
- Presidents nominations are only available for those players that have fulfilled the eligibility and selection policy
- TTSA seeks to ensure any State Team includes the best performed players in the relevant performance period to maximise chances of winning team and individual events at the Australian Championships
- Subject to the exercise of powers by the State Selection Panel, TTSA shall use all reasonable endeavours to ensure that State “A” teams are selected for all relevant age categories to participate in the Australian Championships
- The State Selection Panel may only nominate a State “B” or State “C” team (where relevant) where the Panel is satisfied that such team shall be “reasonably competitive” or is in the best interests of the “future development” of those teams in that particular age category at the Australian Championships
- Where a Table Tennis player is eligible for 2 (two) or more age categories at an Australian Championships, the State Selection Panel may select the player in any category but shall give preference to selecting the player in their actual age category
- TTSA utilises a points accumulation process to assist in the State Team selection with an overview of the points allocation contained in the policy for reference. The points systems encourage players to play in sanctioned tournaments to accumulate points which form one part of the Panel’s consideration when selecting State Teams.

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD**