**Please Give Your Views on the Format of the Women’s Butler**

The format of the women’s Butler was changed for 2016 to match that of the seniors’. This was in response to issues with entry numbers and concerns about whether the format was equitable.

The ABF Tournament Committee is seeking player feedback on the current format and views on alternative formats, including what should be done if entry numbers decline. Please complete this questionnaire BEFORE 31 JULY and return it to Laurie Kelso or go to http://www.abf.com.au/member-services/feedback/ and follow the links.

**1. Should the Women’s ANC Butler pairs be . . . ? (please choose one)**

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|  | Two stages |  | Three stages |  | Other format |

Please describe

**2. Is the length of the event . . . ? (please choose one)**

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|  | About right |  | Too short |  | Too long |

**3. Would your decision about whether or not to play in the Butler be affected by a change to the format, length or a need to combine the women’s and seniors’ fields?**

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|  | A change to the FORMAT would affect my decision about whether or not to play |
|  | A change to the LENGTH would affect my decision about whether or not to play |
|  | A reduction in numbers that forced the women’s and seniors’ fields to be combined would affect my decision about whether or not to play |
|  | A change to the format or length would NOT affect my decision about whether or not to play |

**4. Any other comments**

**THANK YOU**