

Bristol & District Table Tennis Association



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The Bristol One Star Veteran's Ratings Tournament

(Approved by Table Tennis England and Avon County T.T.A)

To be held at

**SGS College (Wise Campus) Bristol Academy of Sport,
New Road, Stoke Gifford, Bristol BS34 8LP**

On

Sunday October 25th 2015

Organising Committee:

Referee: Tim Harris (N.R.)

Organiser: Andy Elliott

No Time-outs at this event.

Closing Date for entries: Saturday 10th October 2015

CHAMPIONSHIP REGULATIONS

1. I.T.T.F Laws of Table Tennis shall apply to this Tournament. I.T.T.F Regulations for International Competitions apply except those relating to the matters covered by items marked (*). I.T.T.F Regulations can be found on www.ittf.com
2. Every entrant must be affiliated to Table Tennis England with a current Player Membership or be a member of a National Association in membership of the I.T.T.F.
3. Completion and submission of this entry form, signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition.
4. Entrants must be born before the 1st of January 1976.
5. All players will be rated on the Table Tennis England Veterans Rating List current at the closing date for entries. Entrants in both the men's and women's events will be banded according to this list and the groups will be played in a banded system comprising of groups of 7 or 8 players depending on the numbers of entries. All players in the group will play each other and the result will be decided by this banded system. If there are insufficient entries within any band then the Referee will adjust the bands to accommodate the players. Final positions in each group will be decided in accordance with **I.T.T.F Regulation 3.7.5**. All matches will be best of five games.
6. All competitors must report to the control table on arrival each day, and must not leave the hall without permission from the Referee.
7. All competitors will be required to umpire and will be scheduled to do so.
8. **Clothing:** The main colour of a shirt, skirt or shorts, other than the sleeves and collar of a shirt shall be clearly different from that of the ball in use.
9. **Rackets:** ITTF Regulations: 3.2.1.3, 3.4.2.2 apply. A list of approved racket coverings can be found on www.ittf.com
10. **Time – Out:** ITTF Regulation 3.4.4.2 for time-out does not apply (*).
11. The Referee's decision shall be final on points of law on any question not provided for in these regulations or in any dispute as to the interpretation thereof. Decisions on points of fact by an umpire appointed by the referee shall be final.

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

1. Entry Form – Further copies of this entry form can be obtained from our website: <http://www.tabletennis365.com/bristol>
2. Draw – The draw will take place at 7p.m. on Monday 12th October 2015 at 8 Harford Close, Bristol BS9 2QD.
3. No refunds will be given after the draw.
4. Admission - There will be no charge for admission to the venue.
5. Playing Conditions – Play throughout will be on Joola and Butterfly Tables with scoring machines. Xushaofa white 3 star plastic balls, high frequency fluorescent overhead lighting, wood sprung sports floor. Court size 10m x 5m. Ceiling height 22m.
6. Practice – There will be no separate practice facilities. Competitors will be permitted to practice on tables not in use at the discretion of the referee.
7. Refreshments – Light Refreshments are available at the venue. Sainsbury's store is within 10 minutes walking distance, (Fox Den Road, BS34 8SS, Sun open 10am – 4pm)
8. Changing – The Centre offers full changing and shower facilities.
9. Car Parking – Car parking (at Owners risk) is available at the Venue.
10. Notification – Competitors will be notified of the starting times of their matches either via email or by post if a stamped addressed envelope is enclosed.
11. The organisers can accept no liability for injuries to competitors or for the loss of personal possessions during the Championships.
12. Racket testing may take place.
13. Time-outs – There are no Time-outs at this event.
14. Please advise the Referee (Tim Harris) if you need to withdraw from any event, either by email: tim.harris@blueyonder.co.uk or Mobile: 07989 515 198 or Home: 0117 914 5148

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Access to the Venue will be permitted from 08:30am on Sunday October 25th and play will commence at 09:15 for all group matches.

VENUE DIRECTIONS

Car and motorbike

SGS College WISE campus for Sat Nav: [BS34 8LP](#)

From the M32: Junction 1 M32, follow signs to Filton, through 2 sets of lights, at the first roundabout (MOD & retail) follow signs for Parkway. At the next roundabout turn left. At the following roundabout turn left and then immediately right. Straight across the mini roundabout and you will find the car parking after a set of lights.

From the A38: At the Filton roundabout follow signs for the ring road (A4174) through 3 sets of traffic lights. After the bridge turn left into New Road. Follow the signs for Filton WISE and turn left for Abbewood Community School. Straight across the mini roundabout and you will find the car parking after a set of lights.

Train

Both Bristol Parkway and Filton Abbewood train stations are just a ten minute walk from SGS College WISE campus.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

There is a Holiday Inn Express within walking distance of the SGS Campus.

Holiday Inn Express Bristol North,
New Road,
Bristol Parkway Business Park,
BS34 8TJ
Telephone: 0871 902 1604

BRISTOL 1 STAR VETERAN'S RATINGS TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

A separate entry form must be completed by each player and delivered to:
TIM HARRIS, 8 HARFORD CLOSE, COOMBE DINGLE, BRISTOL BS9 2QD

NO LATER THAN **Saturday 10th October 2015**

All entrants must read the conditions that apply to this tournament

CHEQUES/POSTAL ORDERS MUST BE MADE PAYABLE TO:

BRISTOL & DISTRICT TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

Reply required by (please tick): email enclosed stamped addressed envelope

Competitor's Full Name:.....

Address.....

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..... **Postcode:**

Telephone:

Date of Birth:

County of Affiliation:

Table Tennis England M'ship No:

**Email
Address**

Please enter me for MEN/WOMEN*

ENTRY FEE £15.00

*delete as applicable

(fees include all Table Tennis England Levies)

**NO ENTRY WILL BE ACCEPTED UNLESS THE
FOLLOWING UNDERTAKING IS SIGNED:**

- I undertake to:
1. Observe the regulations of the tournament
 2. Abide by the decisions of the Referee and of the Tournament Committee
 3. Fulfil the schedule of play arranged for me unless prevented by circumstances beyond my control and accepted as such by the Referee.
- I agree to the above information being stored on a computer.

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____