Cippenham Young Players' Summer Festival

Playing format

Groups of **five** players (maximum 11 groups) on 11 tables immediately followed by championship and consolation knock-out competitions (no waiting for other groups to play!).

Maximum number of competitors for each event: 55

If there are less than 5 entries of either gender, then their event will not run and those who have entered it will be offered the opportunity to combine with the other event in an "Open Singles" event. Each competitor should indicate on their entry, in the space provided, whether or not they wish to take up this opportunity or receive a refund of fees paid.

This tournament is a Computer Ranking Scheme Tournament

Cippenham Table Tennis Club

presents the

Cippenham Young Players' Summer Festival 2016

A 1-star open tournament

Approved by the Table Tennis England and Buckinghamshire CTTA



on

Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th June 2016

at

Cippenham Table Tennis Centre

The Westgate School, Cippenham Lane Slough, Berkshire, SL1 5AH

Referee: Mr. Steve Smith NR

Organiser: Miss. Catherine Hayes TO2

Entries Secretary:

Miss. Catherine Hayes 19 Belmont, Slough, Berks, SL2 1SU Tel: 01753 573669

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Last date for receipt of entries: 4th June 2016

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TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

- Every entrant must be affiliated as a Player Member to the Table Tennis England or another National Association in membership of the ITTF.
- 2. Table Tennis England Tournament Regulations apply to this Tournament. ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply except those relating to the matters covered by items marked (x) in this entry form. Rackets: ITTF Regulation 3.2.1.3 does not apply (x).
- 3. Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition including the variations from the ITTF requirements.
- 4. All competitors may be required to umpire at least one match in the knock-out stage (loser stays to umpire) in each event entered and also in the groups.
- 5. All matches shall be the best of five games. Play throughout shall be on a knockout basis, with the exception of the preliminary rounds, which shall be, in principle, groups of five, with the first and second placed in each group going forward to the knock-out championship and the third, fourth and fifth placed going forward to the consolation knock-out competition. The final order in a group shall be determined as per the ITTF regulation 3.7.5 for group competitions.
- Competitors in Under-18 events must have been born in 1998 or later; Competitors in Under-16 events must have been born in 2000 or later; Competitors in Under-14 events must have been born in 2002 or later; Competitors in Under-12 events must have been born in 2004 or later.
- 7. No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
- 8. Doping shall not take place either before or during play.
- All competitors must report to the control table on arrival and be ready to play at the scheduled time for all
 matches
- 10. The Referee's decision shall be final on points of law or any question arising not provided for in these Regulations, or in any dispute as to the interpretation thereof. Decisions on points of fact by an umpire or assistant umpire appointed by the Referee shall be final. Assistant umpires will not be appointed except at the discretion of the Referee.
- 11. Competitors will not be allowed to glue up at the playing venue under any circumstances. Playing venue means the whole establishment in the playing building and the ground where the playing building stands, which contains the doorway, the car park and related facilities.
- 12. All players shall sign the following undertaking: I undertake:
 - a. to observe the regulations of the tournament:
 - b. to abide by the decisions of the Referee:
 - c. to fulfil the schedule of play arranged for me unless prevented by circumstances beyond my control, and accepted as such by the Referee.
- 13. The use of rackets prepared with glue containing VOC's will not be permitted.
- 14. Refunds of entry fees will not be made after the date of the draw.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Entry forms: entry forms should be sent to and further copies of this entry form are available from Miss. Catherine Hayes, 19 Belmont, Slough, Berks, SL2 1SU.
- 2. The draw will take place on 11th June 2016.
- There are a maximum of 55 places available in the draw for each event. If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, this shall be on the basis of last received first out.
- 4. Playing conditions: play throughout will be on up to 11 Butterfly Centefold Rollaway 25 tables, Butterfly Europa nets and posts; Butterfly 3 star white plastic balls; individual courts size 8.5m x 4.5m (x) enclosed by surrounds; minimum height of playing area 4m; 600 lux high frequency general fluorescent lighting at a height of 4m above the floor; Tarkett Compact 2.0 plastic floor over sprung wood base. Scoring machines will be used for all matches.
- 5. Refreshments: food (including hot snacks) and hot and cold drinks will be available.
- 6. Changing: the venue offers full changing and hot shower facilities.
- 7. Car parking: an extensive free car park is available at the venue.
- Practice: there will be no separate practice facilities. Competitors may be permitted to practise on tables not in use at the discretion of the Referee.
- 9. Admission: there will be no charge for admission.
- 10. Doping control tests may take place
- Public address: all matches will be announced on the public address system. Scheduled times for all matches will be displayed.
- 12. Trophies: will be presented to all winners and runners-up in the main events and consolation events.

DIRECTIONS TO VENUE

Exit M4 at J6 (Slough Central); Take A355 North towards Slough; At first roundabout, turn left into Cippenham Lane; the Westgate School is about 3/4 mile down Cippenham Lane on right. Karen Mitchell Memorial Fund, a fund created by Cippenham Table Tennis Club and the Mitchell family to provide financial assistance to any of the Club's younger players in need, will benefit from 5% of the total fees from this tournament

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE Saturday

09.00 – Under-12 Events 14.00 – Under-14 Events

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09.00 - Under-16 Events

12.30 - Under-18 Events

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Please complete this form in BLOCK CAPITALS using a ball point pen. A separate entry form must be completed by each player and sent to the entries secretary Miss.Catherine Hayes, 19 Belmont, Slough, Berks, SL2 1SU to reach her not later than 4th June 2016. All entrants should ensure that they have read the regulations that apply to this tournament.

If not affiliated to Table Tenni	s England, name of National Association:	
TABLE TENNIS ENGLAND number*:	Player Licence	
Address:		
Postcode:	Telephone no:	
Email address:		
County of affiliation:	Date of birth:	

Event	Tick	Boys/Girls		
Under 12's				
Under 14's				
Under 16's				
Under 18's				
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If my event doesn't run I will	N/ / NI
play in an "Open" event	Y/N

Cheques etc. should be made payable to **Cippenham TTC**.

If you have not provided an email address please enclose an SAE for notifying you of your start time.

Number of Events		Amount
1	£8	
2	£14	
3	£18	
4	£21	
Table Tennis England Tournament and Basic Computer Levy	£1	£1
Total		

^{*} I don't have an objection to playing in a mixed group should the necessity arise.

I undertake:

Full name:

- a. to observe the regulations of the tournament;
- b. to abide by the decisions of the Referee;
- to 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 computer system

Signed			