



**Tees Sport Sussex Cadet/Junior
4 STAR JUNIOR OPEN
TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT**

Promoted by Steve Pound

**Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th September 2015
held at**

**“K2 Leisure Centre, Pease Pottage Hill, Crawley, West Sussex. RH11 9BQ
Tel 01293 585300**

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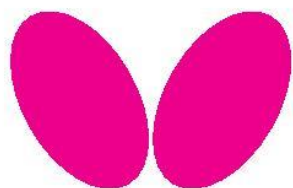
DEPUTY REFEREE

Diane Webb TR

Last Date for Receipt of Entries
Tuesday 1st September 2015

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Ltd and Sussex County TTA

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**THIS SHEET IS TO BE RETAINED BY THE ENTRANT FOR INFORMATION
TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS**

1. Every entrant must be Affiliated to Table Tennis England Ltd as a Player Member or be a Member of another National Association in membership of the ITTF.
2. Every player must hold a valid TABLE TENNIS ENGLAND Player Licence or have paid the appropriate Single Competition Licence Fee with their entry form unless he/she provides proof of being a member of another National Association affiliated to the ITTF and is not Affiliated to Table Tennis England Ltd.
3. Table Tennis England Ltd Tournament Regulations apply to this tournament.
4. ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply except those relating to matters covered by items marked (x) in this entry form.
5. 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.
6. Competitors may be asked to umpire all group matches. All knockout matches will be umpired by a qualified umpire.
7. Play throughout for all events will be on a knockout basis except for the first round of each singles event, which will be on a group basis. In a group or "round robin" competition each member of the group shall compete against every other member. Two match points will be awarded for a win, one for a loss in a played match, and zero for an un-played or uncompleted match. The ranking order shall be decided primarily by the number of match points gained. If at the completion of the group two or more members of the group have gained the same number of match points the equality shall be resolved as per ITTF Regulation 3.7.5.
8. All matches will be the best of five games; each game will be up to eleven points.
9. Competitors in Junior Events must have been born after 31st December 1997.
Competitors in Cadet Events must have been born after 31st December 2000.
10. At the discretion of the Referee competitors will be permitted to practice on match tables not in use. **NO CROSS KNOCKING**. Dedicated practice tables will not be available.
11. No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
12. There will be 5 boys Bands, 3 girls bands and 1 mixed band in the u-15's. .
u-15 boys
band 1 = Top 10 entries (2 groups of 5)
band 2 = top 11-30 entries (4 groups of 5)
band 3 = top 31-50 entries (4 groups of 5)
band 4 = top 51-70 entries (4 groups of 5)
band 5 = top 71-90 entries (4 groups of 5)
u-15 girls
band 1 = top 6 entries (1 group of 6)
band 2 = top 7-12 entries (1 group of 6)
band 3 = top 13-18 entries (1 group of 6)
Mixed band = All players with zero ranking points (groups of 5 or 6)
The u-15 Open event will be groups of 4 for both boys and girls. Top 8 seeds in the boys and top 4 in girls go straight through to the knockout stages.
13. There will be 5 boys Bands, 3 girls bands and 1 mixed band in the u-18's. .
u-18 boys
band 1 = Top 10 entries (2 groups of 5)
band 2 = top 11-30 entries (4 groups of 5)
band 3 = top 31-50 entries (4 groups of 5)
band 4 = top 51-70 entries (4 groups of 5)
band 5 = top 71-90 entries (4 groups of 5)

u-18 girls
band 1 = top 6 entries (1 group of 6)
band 2 = top 7-12 entries (1 group of 6)
band 3 = top 13-18 entries (1 group of 6)
Mixed band = All players with zero ranking points (Groups of 5 or 6)
The u-18 Open event will be groups of 4 for both boys and girls. Top 8 seeds in the boys and top 4 in girls go straight through to the knockout stages.
14. Decisions on points of fact by an Umpire or assistant umpire appointed by the Referee shall be final. The Referees decision shall be final on points of law, in any dispute as to the interpretation of these Regulations and in any matter not covered by them.
15. Entrants who do not attend the tournament without a reason acceptable to the Referee may be reported to the Table Tennis England Ltd.
16. Doping shall not take place either before or during play.
17. Doping control tests may take place.
18. Competitors will not be allowed to glue up within the confines of the sports centre under any circumstances.
19. All players will be identified by numbers which must be worn at all times when a competitor is participating in any event.
20. An Assistant Umpire will be appointed for finals only (x) at the Referee's discretion.
21. Scoring machines will be used for all matches.
22. Each entrant will receive an acknowledgement of entry if an Email address is provided. A further letter will be sent after the draw has been made notifying competitors of the first match time for each event they have entered provided they have provided either an email address or a **stamped addressed envelope**.
23. The organising committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.

ENTRIES

Further copies of this entry form are available from the organiser:

Mr Steve Pound, 60 Guildford Road, Horsham, West Sussex. RH12 1LX. Email stevepound9177@yahoo.co.uk or the or the TABLE TENNIS ENGLAND website, www.englishtabletennis.org.uk/entryforms.

The entry form should be completed in **block capitals** using a ballpoint pen and should be sent to Steve Pound, 60 Guildford Road, Horsham, West Sussex. RH12 1LX (Tel. 01403 274553) together with remittance and stamped addressed envelope, or Email address, to arrive not later than Tuesday 1st September 2015. Entrants must sign the undertaking to "observe regulations, abide by the decisions of the Referee, and fulfil the schedule of play".

Unsigned entries will not be accepted.

Cheques and postal orders should be made payable to "**Steve Pound**" and crossed "A/C Payee Only".

The draw will take place on Monday 7th September 2015.

No refunds of entry fees will be given after the draw has taken place

The draw with playing times will be made available on the Table Tennis England website 7 days prior to the event.

Junior 4-star tournaments - Entry Qualifications

1. Subject to the provision stated in 2 below, valid entries for Junior Boys rated 1-50 in the Table Tennis England rating list current at the closing date, Junior Girls rated 1-32, Cadet Boys rated 1-32 and Cadet Girls rated 1-32 are guaranteed to be accepted. Thereafter, entries will be accepted in order of receipt, with priority given to Junior Boys rated 51-500 and Junior Girls rated 33-250.
2. The organising committee may, at its discretion, accept entries from foreign players.

It is planned to have 10 or 20 entries per boys band, 6 entries per girls band, 18 in girls cadet open, 88 in cadet boys open, 18 in girls junior open and 88 in boys junior open. If oversubscribed we may have to restrict entries.

VENUE

There is no charge for admission to the venue. Snacks, hot meals, changing rooms and hot showers are available at K2 centre.

There is also a Swimming Pool located within The K2 centre

Free car Parking is available at the Sports Centre at owners' risk.

Smoking is not allowed in any area of the venue.

PLAYING CONDITIONS

Play will be on 24 Butterfly tables and nets. Butterfly 3*star white Plastic balls, Minimum court size will be 10m by 5 m and will have full surrounds. Minimum height of playing area is 7.5m. Minimum height of the general fluorescent lighting is 7.5m with intensity 500 lux over the playing surface. Semi sprung wooden floor.

EVENTS

Junior Open Singles events will commence with groups of 4 players. Both the winner and runner-up of each group will qualify for the knockout stages.

Cadet Open Singles events will commence with groups of 4 players. (This may be changed to groups of 3 players in light of entries received) Both the winner and runner-up of each group will qualify for the knockout stages.

Banded boys events will have groups of 5 with 2 qualifiers to the knock out stages Banded junior and cadet girls will have groups of 6 in round robin format.

In the event of several non-arrivals resulting in incomplete groups the referee reserves the right to disband the highest numbered incomplete group and to redistribute the players present in that group among other incomplete groups to fill any vacancies There will be no plate competitions.

MATCHES:

Each match will best of five games. Each game will be up to eleven points

Table Tennis England Ltd RANKING SYSTEM

All match results will be submitted for inclusion in the Table Tennis England Ltd ranking system. The entry fee includes a charge for the administration of this system.

PRIZES

Trophies will be presented to the winners of the Open Competitions. All finalists will receive trophies.

PROVISIONAL PLAYING SCHEDULE

The times given below are provisional and for guidance only. The Referee reserves the right to modify the programme in the light of entries received.

Time	Saturday	Time	Sunday
08.45	All Cadet band competitions	08:45	All Junior band competitions
14:00	Cadet Band finals	14:00	Junior band finals
14:30	Cadet Open competitions	14:30	Junior Open competitions
19.00	FINALS	19.00	FINALS

Tees Sports trade stand will be open throughout the tournament.

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ENTRY FORM**

This form to be completed in block capitals using a ballpoint pen

Each player must complete a separate entry form and send with the remittance and stamped addressed envelope, or E-mail Address to **Mr Steve Pound, 60 Guildford Road, Horsham, West Sussex . RH12 1LX** to arrive not later than **Tuesday 1st September 2015**. Entrants should retain a copy for information. All entrants must read the tournament regulations.

Title MR/MISS
Surname.....Forename(s).....
Address.....
.....Post Code.....
Date of Birth.....Telephone No. (incl. STD code).....
Email Address (1 character per box, please)

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If not affiliated to Table Tennis England Ltd, name of National Association.....
If affiliated to Table Tennis England Ltd, state local league through which affiliated.....
(If none, name of directly affiliated club or, if applicable, "Directly affiliated individual")
County of Affiliation.....Membership / Licence Number.....

EVENT		Fee £	Fee incl. £
1.	Junior Boys Open Singles	17.00	
2.	Junior Girls Open Singles	17.00	
3.	Junior Boys Banded Singles – Band I am eligible for	15.00	
4.	Junior Girls banded Singles – Band I am eligible for	15.00	
5.	Cadet Boys Open Singles	15.00	
6.	Cadet Girls Open Singles	15.00	
7..	Cadet Boys banded Singles – Band I am eligible for	13.00	
8.	Cadet Girls banded singles – Band I am eligible for	13.00	
Single Competition Licence Fee (SEE BELOW)			
Table Tennis England Ltd Tournament and Computer Levy	Must be included	1.00	£3.00
Tournament Administration Fee	Must be included	2.00	
TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED			

TOP players please note that even the top players qualify for band 1.

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: Steve Pound

SINGLE TOURNAMENT LICENCE FEE

Any English player who does not hold a player licence for the 2015/2016 season must pay the Single Competition licence fee to play in this tournament.

The fee’s Cadets/Juniors £5.00

Entries without either a valid Player Licence Number or appropriate Single Competition Licence Fee will not be accepted.

No entry will be accepted unless the following undertaking is signed

I undertake (a) to observe the regulations of the tournament, (b) to abide by the decisions of the Referee, and (c) to fulfil the schedule of play arranged for me unless prevented from doing so by circumstances beyond my control and accepted as such by the Referee.

I agree to the above information being stored on computer system

Signed
