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# THE IPSWICH BRITANNIA SENIOR SUPER SERIES

## Sunday 27th January 2019 (event 4 of 6)

## CASH PRIZES FOR THE WINNER AND RUNNER UP IN BAND ONE AND VOUCHERS FOR BAND TWO

***Approved by Suffolk County Table Tennis Association, and by Table Tennis England as a 1 star computer ranking tournament.***

**at BRITANNIA TABLE TENNIS CLUB**
193 Defoe Road, Ipswich, Suffolk IP1 6SG

**FURTHER DETAILS INCLUDING DIRECTIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT:**
**www.britanniatabletennisclub.co.uk**/location-contact

**Series/Tournament Organiser:** Andrew Dosher,
Tel.: 07968.135602. E.mail : dosher1970@yahoo.co.uk

**Tournament Referee: John Jennings** **This event is supported by the Britannia TTC Committee**

**This event is geared for a maximum of 24 players**

**Tournament details:** Players will be seeded 1-24 based on current computer points and their known playing standard. Play will be in groups, followed by banded matches resulting in the final tournament placings [see further details in 'general information'].

**Completed entry forms including remittance should be sent to the tournament organiser**

## CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES:
## Wednesday the 23rd of January 2019

**Acceptance of entry confirmations will be notified by telephone, text or email ideally within a week of receipt**

The seeding draw can be done any time before the day, the actual draw will not be known until all competitors arrive

**The Britannia table tennis club will be open from 8 15 am, play to commence at 9 15 am**
**The playing schedule is designed so all matches are played for a 6pm finish**

**There is a shop near to the venue where food and drink can be bought**

**Light refreshment will be available at the venue**

## Tournament Regulations & Conditions:

*This event is open to all male and female players – NO age restriction.
*Every entrant **MUST** have a TTE player membership, or be a member of another National Association in membership of the ITTF.
*TTE 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.
*Completion and submission of this entry form signifies agreement by the entrant to the regulations and conditions of this competition.
* Entries - Entry forms shall be submitted with full payment of fees unless otherwise agreed
*Each match will consist of best of 5 games, each game up to 11 points with a 2 point difference to decide the winner.
*All players will be expected to umpire when indicated in their groups or when losing if not a group match, plus all players owe the control table one umpire during the day if asked.

*The main colour of clothing must be different from the colour of the ball.
*Players will be expected to play when called, so do not leave the venue at any time without the organiser's permission.
***ALL** players will be expected to honour fully their playing commitments, Should any player fail to do so, that player will be suspended from entering any further events in the series. **The only exemption to this is if a player is injured or unwell.**
* Failure to complete your obligations above without a good reason will mean a ban
* If you enter and subsequently are unable to play, you **MUST** notify the organiser as soon as you know that you cannot attend as a reserve player can then be arranged. Someone not turning up on the day without notification can disrupt and spoil it for everybody, failure to do this will mean suspension from future events but extreme circumstances will be considered.
* When informing you are unable to play you must do so by phone and text, email or social media.
*All fees are non refundable, but exceptional circumstances will be considered on merit
*No competitor or Official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
*Doping shall not take place either before or during play.
*'Knocking' on vacant tables between matches will be at the discretion of the organiser(s)/referee(s).
* If a player drops out after stage one who would have qualified for Band two (Not Band one) another player available can take their place and will need to pay the levy fee so their games can count. There is no allowing of replacement players during or after stage two.

Playing Conditions : *Play will be on 3 Donic tables with Donic posts and nets. *Each table will be in an individual court enclosed by surrounds. *Each court will be 5.67metres wide by 11 metres in length. *Minimum height of playing area is 3.5 metres. *Minimum height of lighting from floor is 3.75metres *Lighting is general and by fluorescent and halogen-quartz. *Flooring, solid with plastic surface. *There are no practice facilities..

**General Information**:
*No assistant umpires will be appointed for matches.
*Score machines will be used for all matches.
*Balls used will be white 3 *. Plastic balls of Xushaofa make
*Doping control tests may take place.
*The playing structure is aimed at a maximum of 24 players

Part one – six groups of four players, all players in a group play each other, the top two in each group go through to band one and players coming third and fourth go into band two, the positions players finish in this section will determine their places in part two

Part two - band one and two have four groups of three players, all players in a group play each other, the first, second and third placed players go into separate sections for part three.

Part three – band one has three sections of four players playing in a mini semi final grid for final play off matches for positions 1-4, 5-8 and 9-12, band two follows exactly the same pattern for positions 13-16, 17-20 and 21-24

In these semi final grids players play two further matches were a draw is involved and players are prevented from playing someone they played in stage one until their final match

Note that the structure above is possible for a full 24 player entry. If numbers do not reach these the Organisers will adjust the schedule to ensure a fair balanced structure, giving all players as many games as is possible.

**Prizes will be allocated and paid out on the day from the Prize fund**

**The whole of the prize fund is used, there is no cumulative fund as in previous years.**

**£25 Entry fee, of which**

**£3 is levied by TTE (Tournament and Ranking levy)**

**£3 is to Britannia club for the use of the premises**

**£2 is to cover balls and Organiser's expenses**

**£17 from each player goes directly into the Prize Fund**

**This creates a maximum Fund of £408 with a full entry, but the Fund will be proportionately less with lower entries.**

## Allocation of Prizes

**Band two Winner £25 Teesports voucher**

**RU £10 Teesports voucher**

**Band one Winner 70% of remaining Fund (e.g. £260 on full entry)**

**RU 30% of remaining Fund (e.g. £113 on full entry)**

**Actual Prizes will be confirmed at the end of the Group stages on the day, there may be a little rounding to make sensible amounts.**

**[If less than 24 players enter any of the series tournaments, then the prize total will be reduced accordingly and the playing system will be modified where required)**

**Venue Information:**

Directions for the venue are available on **www.britanniatabletennisclub.co.uk**/location-contact
Onsite parking is available; there is no venue admission or parking charges for players or spectators.

Changing facilities: Players can use a changing room

Neither the Organisers nor Britannia TTC are liable for the loss of any personal property left unattended.

**ENTRY FORM**

THE IPSWICH BRITANNIA SENIOR SUPER SERIES (4)
**Sunday 27th January 2019**

**Complete and send this entry form with your remittance:**
**C/O Andrew Dosher, 3 Shrubland Avenue, Ipswich, Suffolk IP1 5EA**
**(Please make cheques payable to Andrew Dosher**
**Or pay online with a direct payment to:-**
**Andrew Dosher Account number: 74097379 Sort code: 08-93-00**
**(please use your first initial and surname plus your post code as a reference when paying online).**

**OFFICIAL CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF ENTRIES : Wednesday 23rd January 2019**

**Only completed entry forms accompanied by fees received by the closing date will be accepted, unless otherwise agreed**

**Please complete in ink in BLOCK CAPITALS**

PLAYERS FULL NAME: .....

ADDRESS: .....

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..... POST CODE: .....

TTE Player membership number: ..... Date of Birth: .....

Tel. [landline]: ..... Mobile: .....

Email address:

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If affiliated to TTE, name of Affiliated Club: .....

If not affiliated to TTE name of National Association: .....

FEES

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| **Tournament entry fee** | **(see above for details of Prize Fund from this)** | **£25.00** |
| | **TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED** | **£** |

**Declaration: I undertake to:- a) observe the regulations of the tournament, b) to abide by the decisions of the referee, and c) to fulfil the playing schedule unless prevented from doing so by circumstances beyond my control and accepted as such by the referee.**

**IMPORTANT**

**Please read the Tournament regulations and conditions and unless otherwise agreed in advance do not enter unless you are prepared to play until the projected finish time of about 6 pm**

Table Tennis England uses the information on this entry form only for the purpose of administering the competition. To facilitate the running of the competition, the information will be shared with the appointed event committee/organisers in order that the event can be arranged and delivered. If you would like any further information please refer to the Table Tennis England's privacy policy which can be found at https://tabletennisengland.co.uk/home/website-privacy-policy/

I confirm I am the person named here, if not, have been authorised to give Table Tennis England the above details. I am age 16 or over and have read, understood and agree with the way the data will be used by Table Tennis England.

Signature ……..…

Date……/……../……

Print Name ……