**Women and Girls’ Ambassador Application Form**

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| **Name:** |  | **City or region:**  |
| **Age:** |  |
| **Club:** |  |
| **Mobile number:** |  |
| **Email:** |  |
| **Why do you want to join the Women and Girls’ Ambassador programme (Max 300 words)?** |
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| **What skills & experience will you bring to the Women and Girls Ambassador programme? Please relate this to the specific requirements of the role. (Max 400 words).** |
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**Next steps**

**Applications close at the Beginning of September**

Once applications have closed, all will be reviewed. For those who are short listed, we will want to organise a call to get to know a bit more about you and answer any questions. Please note this is a voluntary role.

**FAQs**

**What will I do as an ambassador?**

* Attend meetings that can help to inform decisions around women and girls in table tennis.
* Regularly feedback to Table Tennis England and have the opportunity to discuss and share your work with other ambassadors.
* Promote women and girls table tennis in your local club/ community and look to provide more opportunities. Examples of this could include; setting up a women’s only bat and chat session, supporting the process of women achieving their coaching qualifications.
* Support with social media content for example completing case studies, taking photos or videos of your sessions.

**What is the length of the programme?**

The programme will run for 12 months and at the end of the programme if you want to continue you can reapply for the next year.

**How much time will I need to dedicate to this role?**

How much time you dedicate to this role is completely flexible however you will be required to attend four quarterly meetings in one year. Any communications will be planned in advance.

**What do we expect from you?**

We understand that everyone has lots of commitments and therefore this volunteering programme will be flexible to meet your needs.

* However, we do expect you to be committed and to try and make the most of the opportunities available.
* Be open with us, let us know if you have a particularly busy period or if you are finding something difficult.
* Be open to try new things and embrace any development opportunities. Be open to learn from other ambassadors.
* Share the work you are doing in your clubs with us.

**Why are Table Tennis England relaunching the female ambassador programme?**

We have created this programme based on the insight we have received from our members. For example, the research conducted by TASS ‘reasons for female player engagement and drop out in the 18-30 age group in English table tennis’ showed that when players start other activities (such as coaching) whilst they are still playing, this increases their longevity and connection to the sport.