Cippenham 1 Star Young Players Summer Festival

Approved by Table Tennis England and Buckinghamshire County Association

Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th June 2023

to be held at:

Cippenham Table Tennis Centre, The Westgate School, Cippenham Lane, Cippenham, Slough, Berks, SL1 5AH



Referee: Ken Phillips TR

Tournament Organiser: Steve Piercey TO2

Entries Secretary: Steve Piercey

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Last Date for Receipt of Entries:

Saturday 10th June 2023 (or earlier if over subscribed)

The tournament is included in the Computer Ranking Scheme and organised by Cippenham Table Tennis Club (http://www.cippenhamttc.co.uk/)

Are you new to playing in tournaments? If so, you may find Table Tennis England's video for new players helpful, to find and view the video please click on the following link: -

Start competing - Table Tennis England

THIS SHEET IS TO BE RETAINED BY THE ENTRANT FOR INFORMATION

TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

- 1. Every entrant must be affiliated as a Complete Member or be a member of another National Association in membership of the ITTF.
- 2. TTE Regulations Part A (Regulated Competitions) and Part B (Tournament Regulations) apply to this tournament.
- 3. ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply to this tournament except where otherwise specified in TTE Regulations Part A or B or in this form.
- 4. Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition including any variations of the ITTF regulations.
- 5. All players may be required to umpire at least one knockout match (loser stays to umpire) in each event entered and also in group matches. Please check with the Referee that all umpiring duties have been fulfilled before leaving.
- 6. Groups of 3 or 4 players followed by championship and consolation knock-out competitions.
- 7. 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. Rackets will conform to ITTF Regulation 3.2.1.3.
- 10. Playing clothing shall consist of a shirt and shorts, trousers, leggings or skirt, or a one-part sports outfit, socks and playing shoes; a sports hijab may also be worn. Other garments shall not be worn during play except with the permission of the referee. ITTF 3.2.2.1 amended. The main colour of a shirt, shorts, trousers or skirt, other than sleeves and collar of a shirt, shall be clearly different from that of the ball in use. ITTF 3.2.2.2 amended.
- 11. At the discretion of the Referee competitors will be permitted to practice on match tables not in use. Dedicated practice tables will not be available.
- 12. No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
- 13. Decisions on points of fact by an Umpire appointed by the Referee shall be final. The Referee's 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.
- 14. Entrants who do not attend the tournament without a reason acceptable to the Referee may be reported to the Table Tennis England.
- 15. Doping shall not take place either before or during play. Doping control tests may take place
- 16. Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition, including any variations of ITTF regulations
- 17. Competitors will not be allowed to glue up within the confines of the Centre under any circumstances.
- 18. Scoring machines will be used for all matches.
- 19. Notification 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 an **email address**.
- 20. The organising committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.
- 21. Competitors in U19 Junior Events must have been born after 31st December 2003. Competitors in U17 Junior Events must have been born after 31st December 2005. Competitors in U15 Cadet Events must have been born after 31st December 2007. Competitors in U13 Cadet Events must have been born after 31st December 2009.
- 22. Trophies shall be awarded to the winner and runner-up of each event.
- 23. Photo/livestreaming: Cippenham TTC may be taking photos and live streaming matches during this event which may include (but not limited to), using them in our printed and online platforms, social media, press releases and funding applications. If you do not give permission to take photographs and/or video of you (or individuals for whom you are legally responsible), please contact stevepiercey@yahoo.com. Please be aware that we follow the Table Tennis England's Photo and live streaming Policy: https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/about-us/safeguarding/photography-guidelines/

Directions to the Venue

Exit M4 at J6 (Slough Central); Take A355 north towards Slough;

At first roundabout, turn left into Cippenham Lane; the entrance to Westgate School is about 3/4 mile down Cippenham Lane on right.

ENTRIES

Further copies of this entry form are available on the Cippenham Table Tennis Club website, https://www.cippenhamttc.co.uk/events or the Table Tennis England website, https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/competitions/development-and-1-4-competitions/

The entry form should be completed in **block capitals** using a ballpoint pen and should be emailed to Steve Piercey together with payment by PayPal (see links in entry form below) by Saturday 10th June 2023 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.**

No refunds of entry fees will be given after the draw has taken place on Monday 12th June 2023.

Competitors will be notified of the times of their opening matches; at least 3 days' notice will be given.

Entry Qualifications

If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, priority will be given in order of receipt.

VENUE

There is no charge for admission to the venue.

Food and drinks and changing rooms are available at Cippenham Table Tennis Centre.

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

Smoking is not allowed in any area of the venue.

PLAYING CONDITIONS

Play will be on 11 Butterfly tables and nets with TIBHAR 40+sl white plastic balls, Minimum court size will be 9m by 4.5m enclosed by surrounds. Minimum height of playing area is 4.0m. Minimum height of the general fluorescent lighting is 4.0m with intensity 600 lux over the playing surface: Tarkett Compact 2.0 plastic floor over sprung wood base.

TABLE TENNIS ENGLAND RANKING SYSTEM

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

All entries and event details are subject to COVID-related restrictions, or protocols that Table Tennis England may deem necessary. Venues used for events may impose COVID restrictions that go beyond government guidance.

All participants and attendees at Table Tennis England events are subject to Table Tennis England Codes of Conduct. Please see

https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/about-us/safeguarding/safeguarding-codes-of-conduct-and-terms-of-reference/

TTE, the Organisers and the Referee will not tolerate bad language or verbal abuse of volunteers, officials, staff or venue staff, nor a failure to follow the operational directions of stewards and event staff. We will treat all such instances extremely seriously and will take disciplinary action if necessary. For further details, please see the Table Tennis Workforce Protection Policy

https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/about-us/policies-and-procedures/

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
09:00	U13 events	09:00	U17 events
13:30	U15 events	13:30	U19 events

KAREN MITCHELL MEMORIAL FUND

This is a fund created by Cippenham Table Tennis Club and the Mitchell family to provide financial support to any of the Club's younger players in need. The fund will benefit from 5% of the total fees from this tournament.

Cippenham 1 Star Young Players Summer Festival - ENTRY FORM (2 pages)

This form to be completed in block capitals using a ball point pen

Each player must complete a separate entry form and send to Steve Piercey at email address stevepiercey@yahoo.com to arrive not later than 10 June 2023. Payment must be made by Paypal using attached link https://www.cippenhamttc.co.uk/pay-ypsf. Entrants should retain a copy for information. All entrants must read the tournament regulations.

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Player's Name: (block capitals)
I undertake to observe the regulations of the tournament, to abide by the decisions of the Referee, and 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." Table Tennis England require consent to the use of personal data in the administration of this competition, in accordance with the TTE Privacy Policy; the information will be shared where necessary with the organisers and event committee. For a player under 16 this consent must be given by a parent or guardian, who must also confirm agreement to the player's participation in the competition. The TTE Privacy Policy is at https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/privacy-policy/
Signed (player):
Date:
If player is 16 or over: Data Protection: I am the player named above and I consent to the use by TTE of my personal data in the administration of this competition.
Signed:
Date:
If player is under 16: Data Protection & Activity Consent: I have legal responsibility for the player named above and I consent to his/her participation in the competition, and to the use by TTE of his/her personal data in its administration.
Name: (block capitals)
Relationship to player:
Signed:
Date:
The UK Anti-Doping Rules apply to all persons entering an event or competition, for whichever is the longer of a) the length of their membership or licence period; or b) 12 months from the date of their participation, whether or not the entrant or licence holder is a citizen of, or resident in, the UK
A player under 18 may not participate in a Table Tennis England event or competition unless a parent or guardian of that player has consented to testing of that player in the following form:
If player is under 18 Anti-Doping Acknowledgment I have legal responsibility for the player named above and I confirm that I have read the TTE Anti-Doping Regulations (Appendix P) and that I hereby acknowledge that the player is bound by these Regulations.
Name: (block capitals)
Relationship to player:
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