

STIGA BLACKPOOL JUNIOR 4 STAR OPEN TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

(Approved by LCTTA & Table Tennis England)

The tournament is TT England Cadet & Junior Nationals 2023-24 qualification event – [further details](#)
and included in the Computer Ranking Scheme.

23rd & 24th SEPTEMBER 2023 BLACKPOOL SPORTS CENTRE WEST PARK DRIVE, BLACKPOOL, LANCS FY3 9HQ	Referee: Brian Jackson (NR) Deputy Referee: Lyndsey Simpson (TR)	Tournament Organiser: Martin Ireland TO4 Organising Committee: Brian Jackson, Martin Ireland, Lyndsey Simpson
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Closing Date: Sat 19th August 2023

Please return to: Brian Jackson,
5 Alisan Road, Carleton,
Poulton-le-Fylde, Lancashire.
FY6 7QF

For further copies of this entry
form please download on the
[Tennis England website](#),
[Blackpool TTC website](#)

The draw will take place on
Tuesday 22nd August 2023 at
5 Alisan Road, Carleton,
Poulton-le-Fylde,
Lancashire. FY6 7QF

**For all events trophies or
medals will be presented,
plus a prize fund subject
to entry**

Hotels & Guest Houses

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[Premier Inn \(5 in Blackpool\)](#)
[Travel Lodge \(3 in Blackpool\)](#)
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Booking early is recommended
for the cheapest deals

**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: -**

<https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/compete/>

TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS (to be retained)

1. Every entrant must be affiliated as a Compete Plus Member or provide proof of being a member of another National Association affiliated to the ITTF and is not affiliated to TTE. An entrant only affiliated as a Compete Member may enter the tournament upon payment of the appropriate Single Competition Licence fee with their entry form.
2. Table Tennis England Tournament Regulations Part A (Regulated Competitions) and Part B (Tournament Regulations) apply to this tournament. ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply to the tournament except where otherwise specified in TTE Regulations Parts A or B, or in this form.
3. Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition, including any variations of ITTF regulations.
4. Players may be expected to umpire group matches.
5. 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.
6. All matches shall be the best of five games to eleven points. Play throughout will be on a knockout basis with the exception of preliminary rounds, which may, at the discretion of the Referee, be on a group basis. The final order in a group shall be determined as per ITTF Regulation 3.7.5. for Group competitions.
7. Competitors in Junior events must be born in 2005 or later
8. Competitors in Under 17 events must be born in 2007 or later,
9. Competitors in Cadet events must be born in 2009 or later,
10. Competitors in Under 13 events must be born in 2011 or later.
11. No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
12. Doping shall not take place either before or during play.
13. All competitors must report to the control on arrival and must not leave the hall without first obtaining permission from the Referee. Players absent when called upon to play are liable to be scratched.
14. Should there be insufficient entries in any event the Referee reserves the right to cancel that event/merge such event and/or place the entrant in a similar event.
15. No refunds will be given after the draw has taken place.
16. The referee's decision shall be final on points of law, and 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
17. Racket testing may take place.
18. Match results will be submitted for inclusion in the Table Tennis England - Computer Ranking Scheme.

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

1. Entry Form - Further entry forms are available from, and should be returned to Mr. Brian Jackson, 5 Alisan Road, Carleton, Poulton-le-Fylde, Lancashire. FY6 7QF no later than Saturday 19th August 2022. Cheques and postal orders should be made payable to Blackpool Table Tennis Club. Entries without fees will not be accepted. Electronic entries are accepted, Email completed entry form to BrianLJackson5@gmail.com use players name for BACS payment reference to: RBS / 16-28-22 / 10269849
2. Draw - The draw will take place at 7:00pm on Tuesday 22nd August 2023 at 5 Alisan Road, Carleton, Poulton-le-Fylde, Lancashire. FY6 7QF.
3. Admission - There will be no charge for admission.
4. Playing Conditions - Play throughout will be on, up to 23 Butterfly tables & nets, Stiga 3* white 40+ balls, Gransprung & pvc floor and 750 lux LED lighting at a minimum of 6m. Show court size will be 12m x 6m all others will be 10m x 5m enclosed by surrounds. Scoring machines will be used for all matches.
5. Doping - Doping control tests may take place.
6. Practice - There will be no separate practice facilities. Competitors will be permitted to practice on tables not in use at the discretion of the Referee.
7. Car Parking – Free Car parking (at owner's risk) is available at the venue.
8. Changing facilities and showers are available.
9. Refreshments - Light refreshments will be on sale.
10. Prizes – Trophies will be awarded to all Winners & Runners Up.
11. Notification - Competitors will be notified of the time of their first match.

If you find you are unable to attend the event or need to contact the organisers over the weekend please ring:

Martin Ireland 07971 186405

Junior 4* Tournaments – Entry Qualifications

If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, priority will be given in order of receipt, except that all valid entries for Junior Boys rated 1-50 in the Rating List current at the closing date and for Junior Girls, Cadet Boys and Cadet Girls rated 1-32 will be accepted, with priority thereafter being given to Junior Boys rated 51-500 and Junior Girls rated 33-250

PROVISIONAL PLAYING SCHEDULE

	Saturday		Sunday
09:00	Cadet Boys and Cadet Girls Team Rounds	09:00	JUNIOR TEAM FINALS
			Junior Boys Singles Groups
09:00	Junior Boys Team Rounds	10:00	Junior Girls Singles Groups
10:20	Junior Girls Team Rounds	11:00	Junior Boys and Junior Girls Singles Rounds
12:00	Under 13 Girls Singles Groups	13:00	Under 17 Boys Singles Groups
12:00	Under 13 Boys Singles Groups	14:00	Under 17 Girls Singles Groups
14:00	Cadet TEAM FINALS		
14:00	Under 13 Singles Rounds	15:00	Junior FINALS
15:00	Cadet Boys Singles Groups	15:30	Under 17 Boys Singles Rounds
15:00	Cadet Girls Singles Groups	16:30	Under 17 Girls Singles Rounds
17:00	Cadet Boys and Cadet Girls Singles Rounds	18:30	Under 17 FINALS SESSION
19:00	Cadet Boys and Cadet Girls Singles FINALS SESSION		

The above is a **guide only** as the playing schedule will vary according to size of entry.
Thornton's Sports & Leisure will be in attendance throughout the Tournament

The Organising Committee reserve the right to modify or alter the above drastically if necessary
This is a Computer Ranking Tournament

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CONSENT AND AGREEMENT

NO ENTRY WILL BE ACCEPTED UNLESS THE FOLLOWING UNDERTAKING IS SIGNED

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.

Signature.....

Date..... / /

Print Name

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://tabletennisengland.co.uk/privacy-policy/>

If player is 16 or over:

57a* Data Protection

I am the player named below and I consent to the use by TTE of my personal data in the administration of this competition.

Name: (block capitals)

Signed:

Date:

If player is under 16:

57b* 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:

If player is under 18:

58* 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:

Signed:

Date:

