

SUSSEX SERIES (HASTINGS) TOURNAMENT

A One Star Tournament

The Tournament is included in the Computer Ranking System

Promoted by Sussex County Table Tennis Association

The Tournament is approved by Table Tennis England

Venue: **BATTLE AREA SPORTS CENTRE**

CLAVERHAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE

NORTH TRADE ROAD

BATTLE TN33 0HT

Telephone 01424 774772

Referee: Keith Lindsay

Tournament Organiser: Kevin Long TO2

Organising Committee: Andy Holmes, Robin Gibbs

ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE FROM:

Kevin Long, email: gensec.hdtta@gmail.com;

telephone: 07541 577722

TOURNAMENT DATES: SATURDAY, 11TH OCTOBER 2025

(SENIORS & VETERANS)

SUNDAY, 12TH OCTOBER (JUNIORS)

START TIMES: 0930; Seniors (Sat), Under-11's & 15's (Sun)

1330; Veterans (Sat), Under-13's & 19's (Sun)

Closing date for entries MONDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER 2025

Competitions to be drawn Saturday, 4th October 2025

FREE ADMISSION FOR SPECTATORS

1. 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.
2. All participants and attendees at Table Tennis England events are subject to Table Tennis England Codes of Conduct. See [here](#)
3. 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 England [Workforce Protection Policy](#)
4. Entry forms are to be returned to: Kevin Long, Flat 6, Valley Court, Ore Valley Road, Hastings, TN34 3FE (hard copy) or gensec.hdtta@gmail.com (electronic). Payment to HDTTA, account number: 11564319, sort code: 09-01-29, reference: SUSSEX1(+player's name).
5. Closing date for entries: **Monday, 29th September 2025.**
6. If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, priority will be given in order of receipt.
7. No entry will be accepted after the draw has been made.
8. Every entrant must be affiliated as a Compete Member or provide proof of being a member of another National Association in membership of the ITTF in order to gain a reciprocal membership. An entrant who is not a TTE member or is affiliated as a Supporter or Club Play Member may alternately purchase a One-Off Tournament Pass at the time of entry via <https://tabletennisengland.sport80.com/> once this product is launched. It is not possible to obtain the OTTP at the tournament.
9. TTE Regulations Part A (Regulated Competitions) and Part B (Tournament Regulations) apply to the tournament.
10. ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply to the tournament except where otherwise specified in TTE Regulations Parts A or B, or in this form.
11. All competitors may be required to umpire at least one match in each event entered.
12. Competitions with less than 8 players will be competed on a round-robin basis. Those with 8 or more players will be contested on a group and knockout basis. Where possible, competitions will be single gender. Minimum of five entrants required otherwise age group will be played as Mixed.
13. Matches will be played up to five games.
14. Player qualification for each age group will be based on the following criteria: player's date of birth during or after the following years; under-11 (2015), under-13 (2013), under-15 (2011), under-19 (2007). Veterans qualifying date of birth; 1985 or earlier

15. Main colour of clothing must be different from colour of ball. Due to the walls being of a light colour players will be offered the choice of white or orange match balls.
16. No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
17. Doping shall not take place either before or during play and doping control tests may take place.
18. Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition, including any variations of ITTF regulations.
19. The tables for the competition will be Joola Duomat x 8.
20. Nets and posts will be Joola WM.
21. Balls: Nittaku Nexcel 40+ 3* (Orange), Nittaku Premium 40+ 3* (White).
22. Courts: 10m x 5m, minimum height to ceiling and lights 6m.
23. Lighting: general LED, 300 lux.
24. Floor: Granwood, a cement/wood composite.
25. Score indicators will be used for all matches.
26. If possible, arrangements will be made for a separate practice hall. This is not attached to the Competition Hall so players will need to be aware of match timings. The practice area will not be similar to the Competition Hall.
27. Changing facilities combined with toilets but no showers.
28. Car parking available at venue.
29. Catering: vending machines for hot drinks and snacks.
30. Medals/Trophies will be presented to Winners and Runners-up.
31. Photography/livestreaming: Sussex County Table Tennis Association may be taking photographs and live streaming matches during the 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 gensec.hdtta@gmail.com. Please be aware that we follow the Table Tennis England's <https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/about-us/safeguarding/photography-guidelines/>

Sussex (Hastings) One Star Tournament – **ENTRY FORM**

Player's name (**BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE**):

Date of Birth:

Name of National Association (if not affiliated to TTE):

TTE Membership/Licence Number:

County of Affiliation:

Please detail any relevant disability, accessibility or health issues.

Player's Undertaking: I undertake to observe the regulations of the tournament, to abide by the decisions of the Referee, and 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:

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.

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 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 in the following form:

Anti-Doping Acknowledgement

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:

Tournament remittance

Senior Men (£20.00).....£

Senior Women (£20.00).....£

Veterans Men (£20.00).....£

Veterans Women (£20.00).....£

Reduction for entering two events (- £10.00).....£

TOTAL.....£

Under-11 Boys (£15.00).....£

Under-11 Girls (£15.00).....£

Under-13 Boys (£15.00).....£

Under-13 Girls (£15.00).....£

Under-15 Boys (£15.00).....£

Under-15 Girls (£15.00).....£

Under-19 Boys (£15.00).....£

Under-19 Girls (£15.00).....£

Reduction for two events (- £5.00).....£

TOTAL.....£

