







# **ORMESBY SENIOR OPEN 2 STAR**

# ORMESBY TABLE TENNIS CLUB

Cargo Fleet Lane Middlesbrough TS3 8PB

# SUNDAY 18th JANUARY 2026

Registration from 9:30 am with play commencing at 10:30 am

# Maximum 72 entries for 9 groups of 8

The tournament is promoted and organised by Ormesby Table Tennis Club. The tournament is approved by Table Tennis England and Cleveland County. Table Tennis Association and is included in the Computer Ranking Scheme.

The winners of the Men's and Women's top groups will receive £100 cash prize.

Runner Up of the Men's and Women's top groups will receive £50.

If the male and female events are combined then the top female will receive £100.

Players will be ranked based on the latest computer ranking list.

Groups of 8 (based on 72 entrants) with a round robin per group, groups will be male and female based and will be only mixed if insufficient numbers make a group non viable. The organising committee reserves the right to modify the group sizes in light of entries received; any amendments to times will be communicated via email.

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# Closing date for entries Sunday 11th January 2026

## **Organising Committee:**

Alan Ransome OBE (chair), Gary Whyman, Mrs Brenda Stephenson, Karl Shaw, Chris Rayner, Kevin Middleton.

## 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 visit: https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/compete/

#### **TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS**

- 1 For 2-Star and above: "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 pay the appropriate fee 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. An entrant only affiliated as a Compete member may enter the tournament upon payment of the appropriate One- Time Tournament Top-Up fee via https://tabletennisengland.sport80.com/ It is not possible to obtain the OTTP or the OTTT at the tournament.
- 2. TTE Regulations Part A (Regulated Competitions) and Part B (Tournament Regulations) apply to the tournament.
- 3. ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply to the tournament except where otherwise specified in TTE Regulations Parts 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 ITTF regulations.
- 5. Groups male and female groups will only be merged if insufficient entries make an event non viable.
- 6. All matches shall be the best of five games.
- 7. All matches will be on a round robin group basis and the final order in a group shall be determined as per ITTF regulation 3.7.5 for group competitions.
- 8. 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. 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.
- 9. No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
- 10. All competitors may be required to umpire as scheduled during the group matches.
- 11. Doping shall not take place either before or during play and doping control tests may take place.
- 12. For 2-Star and 1-Star tournaments: All competitors may be required to umpire at least one match in each event entered. All competitors must report to the referee on arrival and should not leave the premises without first obtaining the referee's permission. Players absent when called upon to play are liable to be scratched.
- 13. Should there be insufficient entries in any group the referee reserves the right to cancel that group or merge groups.
- 14. The referee's decision shall be final on a point of law and on any question arising not provided for in these regulations.
- 15. There will be no charge for admission.
- 16. Hot and cold drinks, refreshments and snacks will be on sale.
- 17. Photo/livestreaming (Ormesby Table Tennis Club) 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 enquiries@ormesbytabletennisclub.org.uk

  Please be aware that we follow the Table Tennis England's Photo and live streaming Policy
- 18. All participants and attendees at Table Tennis England events are subject to Table Tennis England Codes of Conduct. See here.
- 19. 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.

#### **TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

- Additional entry forms can be obtained via post or email from the organiser.
- 2. The draw will take place on Tuesday 13th January 2026.
- 3. Court sizes will be 9m x 5m, with barriers surrounding each court.
- 4. Playing conditions Butterfly 40+ \*\*\* white balls, 9 Butterfly Centrefold 25 tables, Butterfly nets and posts, general LED lighting and 1000 LUX. Floor to ceiling and lighting height approximately 10m. Sprung wood floor with sports mat.
- 5. Scoring machines will be used for all matches.
- 6. Practice will only be permitted prior to the event starting.
- 7. Changing facilities will be available, including showers.
- 8. Limited car parking is available free of charge within grounds of Ormesby TTC.
- 9. Full payment at point of entry will be required to secure entry. Fees will not be refunded 1 week prior to the closing date. Entries received without payment will not be accepted.
- 10. If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, priority will be given in order of receipt.
- 11. No entry will be accepted after the draw has been made, subject to the discretion of the referee.
- 12. Notification players will receive acknowledgement of entry via email if entry is via email.
- 13. The closing date for entry is Sunday 11th January 2026.

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## **ENTRY FORM**

Player's Name: (Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS)	
Address:	
Mobile:	
Email:	
Date of Birth:	
Male or Female:	M F
Table Tennis England	
Membership Number:	
County of Affiliation:	
National Association: (If not affiliated to Table Tennis England)	
Please detail any relevant disability, accessibility or health issues:	

Tournament entry fee (including all Table Tennis England levies)	£25
Single Competition License Fee (£5 Juniors, £10 Senior)	
TOTAL	£

The last day for receipt of entries is Sunday 11th January 2026

Payments to be made by cheque payable to ORMESBY TABLE TENNIS CLUB or by bank transfer to ORMESBY TABLE TENNIS CLUB, BARCLAYS BANK, sort code 20-56-74, account 20298956. Please use your name as the reference. Please confirm payment when sending your entry form. Entry form will only be accepted with cheque payment or confirmed bank transfer.

Please return the entry form and player undertaking to Mrs Brenda Stephenson, 10 Weaverthorpe, Nunthorpe, Middlesbrough TS7 0PU or alternatively by email to brenda\_stephenson@hotmail.com.



## 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 by the referee.

Table Tennis England require consent to the use of personal data in the administration of this competition, in accordance with the <u>TTE Privacy Policy</u>; 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:

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:	Print Name:	
If player is under 16:		
I have legal responsibility for the player named the competition, and to the use by TTE of his/h	d above and I consent to his/her participation in ner 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.		
	le Tennis England event or competition unless and to testing of that player in the following form:	
I have legal responsibility for the player named above and I confirm that I have read the Table Tennis England Anti-Doping Regulations (Appendix P) and that I hereby acknowledge that the player is bound by the Regulations.		
Name: (BLOCK CAPITALS)		
Relationship to Player:		
Signed:	Date:	

