

Ellesmere Port Cup Open

(This is not a ranking scheme tournament, but a Development Tournament)

This Tournament is Promoted by Ellesmere Port and Chester Table Tennis Centre, and approved by TTE

Sunday 25th July 2021

Ellesmere Port Sports Village, Stanney Lane, Ellesmere Port. CH65 9LB

Tournament Referee	Aaron Beech	07963030942	aaron-beech@hotmail.co.uk
Tournament Organiser	Pawel Orzechowski	07392031183	pawel.orzech@gmail.com

Entry Form (in BLOCK CAPITALS please)

Players Name:		Date of Birth:	
Address:			
Tel:		County of Affiliation:	
Email:		League:	
Membership / Player Licence Number:		If not affiliated to TTE, name of National Association:	

Tournament format: Round Robin or groups and knock out dependant on Entries.
Max entry is 48 players. Open to all ages and abilities for both Men and Women.
If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, priority will be given in order of receipt.

Registration: 09:15am	Start Time: 09:30 am	Finish Time: 4:30 pm
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Payment Date:	Total to Pay £20.00
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To Pay: Bank Transfer Only

Details: **AARON C BEECH, Halifax, SC: 110280, AN:11239765, Ref: E'Port Cup. £20**

This form MUST be sent with the required fees paid before the closing date – Wednesday 21st July 2021 to Pawel Orzechowski at pawel.orzech@gmail.com

Player's Undertaking: I undertake:

1. To observe the regulations of the tournament.
2. To abide by the decisions of the referee.
3. 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.

Data Protection Act: The Data Protection Act has been amended to include GDPR, the following is now a requirement on all entry forms.

“Table Tennis England uses the above information only for the purpose of administering the competition. To facilitate the running of the competition, the information will be shared with the appointed event committee/organisers in order that the event can be arranged and delivered. If you would like any further information, please refer to the Table Tennis England's privacy policy which can be found on the TTE website at ‘*Our Sport / Governance / Data Protection Guidance.*’

I confirm I am the person named above or, if not, have been authorised to give Table Tennis England the above details. I am age 16 or over and have read, understood and agree with the way the data will be used by Table Tennis England”.

Signature

Date...../...../.....

Print Name

TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

- 1: Every entrant must be affiliated to Table Tennis England as a Compete Member or be a member of another National Association in membership of the ITTF.
- 2: Table Tennis England Tournament 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 Part A or B, or in this form.
- 4: All competitors may be required to umpire at least one match in each event entered.
- 5: All matches shall be the best of five games.
- 6: Players clothing main colour must not be white.
- 7: No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
- 8: Doping shall not take place either before or during play and doping control tests may take place.
- 9: Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the Entrant to the Conditions of the Competition including any variations from the ITTF requirements.
10. All competitors must report to the Organiser on arrival and should not leave the premises without first obtaining the Organiser's permission. Players absent when called upon to play are liable to be scratched.
11. The Organiser's decision shall be final on a point of law and on any question arising not provided for in these regulations.
12. Refunds will not be given after entry closing date.

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

- 1: If the Tournament is oversubscribed (max 48 entrants), and it becomes necessary to restrict entries, priority will be given in order of receipt.
- 2: The last day for receipt of entries is Wednesday 21st July 2021. The draw will take place on Thursday 22nd July 2021 at Ellesmere Port and Chester Table Tennis Centre.
- 3: Results will not be sent, but a list of participants will be sent to TTE. In effect, the ranking point system will not be adopted for this tournament and will have no impact on Player's Rating.
- 4: Each entrant will receive an acknowledgement of entry by Email.
- 5: There will be no charge for admission to the venue.
- 6: Play throughout will be with ITTF 3* Kingnik Plastic balls. 10 - 12 Sponetta tables will be used in courts measuring approximately 9m x 4.7m; with Lion nets and posts; with Stiga barriers surrounding most of the Court. Overhead general strip lighting averaging above 1500 Lumes, and minimum height of the playing area is above 10m. Flooring is wooden and sprung.
- 7: Score indicators will be used on some (but not all tables).
- 8: The size of each group will be of the organisers discretion, and players will be placed into groups based on Table Tennis England rating system and previous results and at the Organisers discretion. All players will play each other, and the outcome of each group will be decided by the results of all those matches. The maximum group size will be 8. In the event of a 2-player tie, the head-to-head rule applies. In the event of a tie between more than 2 players, the places will be determined by game ratio and then point ratio.
- 9: Each match will be controlled by an umpire, whose decision will be final on all matters of fact.
- 10: No practise tables will be available. Competitors will be permitted to practise on tables not currently in use at the discretion of the Organiser.
- 11: Free car parking is available at the Centre.
- 12: Changing facilities including hot showers are available at the Centre.
- 13: Hot & cold meals will be available 9am-5pm from the onsite Café.
- 14: This entry form will be available from the Tournament Organiser and to download on the TTE website.
- 15: A trophy and a medal will be awarded to the winner and runner up respectively in each band.