

Junior National Cup 2021

Note: this is a reference document only, for event details available to invitees within the TT Memberships online event entry



General Info

Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th June 2021

Kingsway Leisure Centre, Kingsway, Widnes WA8 7QH

Entry Deadline: 23:59, Sunday 23rd May 2021

Entry fee: £43 per

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1. Authority

The English Table Tennis Association shall organize the National Cup

President: Mrs. Jill Parker

2. TTE Board

Mrs. Sandra DEATON, Chairman

Mrs. Susie HUGHES, Elected Deputy Chairman

Mr. Don Parker, Elected Deputy Chairman

Mrs. Sara SUTCLIFFE, Chief Executive

Mr. Simon GRIEW, Board Member

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Mr. Doug LIVINGSTONE, Board Member

Mrs. Dee PATERSON, Board Member

Mr. Tom PURCELL, Board Member

Mr. Mark QUATERMAINE, Board Member

Ms. Priya SAMUEL, Board Member

3. Officials

Referee: Dave Goulden (TR)

4. Venue

Kingsway Leisure Centre, Kingsway, Widnes WA8 7QH Tel: 0151 495 2200. There is free of charge parking at the venue. Should the car park be full, an over flow parking area across the road will be opened.

5. Invitations

Under normal conditions, Table Tennis England will invite the top 10 athletes to compete in U12, Cadet and Junior age groups in both genders. However, for this season's Junior National Cup and due to a change of the Junior age group eligibility, it has been agreed to invite 10 Athletes and two wild cards. Ranking invitations will be based on the July Ranking list 2020, and wildcards will be at the sole discretion of Table Tennis England. Seeding will be based on the July Ranking list 2020 and at



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the discretion of the Referee. Should an athlete decline their invitation, the next eligible player listed on the appropriate ranking list will be invited, up to position 16.

6. Formats

Due to the current Covid restrictions and directives currently in place, the format for this event has been modified. This will now take place as two groups/ bubbles of 6 for each gender, where all play all in this group on Saturday. The top three players in each group will go through to the next round on Sunday, forming a new group/ bubble of 6 players. The bottom three players from the group on Saturday will form the second group/ bubble of 6, with all play all. This will create positions 1-6 in group one and 7-12 in group two. Matches will be played to the best of 5 games.

Any variation of this policy will be published on the Table Tennis England website.

7. Weighting

There will be no Ranking points awarded for this event

8. Draw Date

Sunday 13th June 2021

9. Eligibility

Table Tennis England will only invite athletes for the above event who:

- Are affiliated to Table Tennis England, holding a valid Table Tennis England Player 'Compete' membership (formerly 'Player Member') and in good standing
- Are eligible to represent England in ITTF and ETTU approved competitions and have valid proof of British Citizenship
- Are not currently under disqualification or suspension under the rules of Table Tennis England or ITTF & ETTU
- Are not currently serving any sanction for an anti-doping rule violation under any relevant anti-doping rules

10. Withdrawal of invitation

Table Tennis England retains the right to withdraw an invitation from an athlete under any of the following circumstances:

- The athlete is no longer eligible for this event.
- Any exceptional circumstances, which in the reasonable opinion of TableTennis England, justifies the withdrawal of the athlete concerned.

Any athlete who is withdrawn will immediately be notified of the decision and the reason and will have a right of review in accordance with the Right of review process.



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11.

Competitors are required to display their name on the back of their playing shirt at all times when playing. Therefore, please ensure that you are prepared for the event by having your name displayed on the back of any shirts you intend playing in.

12. Equipment

Tables: Butterfly Europa 25

Nets & posts: Butterfly

Balls: Butterfly R40 Ball - 3* plastic ball (white)

Flooring: Wooden Sprung Floor

The tournament will be played on 8 tables with minimum court size 10m x 5m

13. Mobile Phones

Mobile phones are not permitted to be used within the match court area and should remain somewhere safe within your bag or with a parent or coach attending the event. Any player caught using their phone during time out, change of ends or during matches will forfeit the match.

14. Covid Restrictions and directives

The health and wellbeing of all our players, volunteers, suppliers and staff remain the key priority of Table Tennis England during this period of uncertainty. We will continue to update and implement any protocols in response to Government/ DCMS guidelines and directives as they unfold.

- You must not attend this competition if you have any symptoms of COVID19 (a new, continuous cough, high temperature, loss or change to your smell or taste etc)
- Players will be invited to arrive at the venue at a designated time
- There will be a staggered start to each day, subject to gender
- On arrival at reception, all attendees will be required to have their temperature taken
- Any non-players will be required to register their contact details for track and trace purposes
- All attendees will be provided a wristband for entry to the venue
- Players will be allocated a timetable along with any additional instructions for the event
- All attendees will be required to wear face masks at all times when not playing
- A one-way system will be in place to enter and exit the hall, and all attendees will be required to sanitise their hands on entry/exit to the hall
- You must follow instructions to comply with Covid guidance from volunteers who are providing support and guidance at this event
- No spectators will be permitted
- Social distancing and venue capacity means that competitors will be restricted to one accompanying adult in the venue (eg coach, parent or friend); no other individuals will be permitted entry to the venue



- Players must remain socially-distanced within their allocated bubble of 6 each day. No mixing or sitting with other individuals will be permitted (players, coaches or family)
- Players and their accompanying other must bring their own refreshments if required
- Toilets are available on site, but no changing facilities will be open or available for use

Practice will be permitted prior to the start of the event, followed by the first matches starting at 10.30 or 11.00am. Match start times will be set and will allow 45 minutes per match. The event schedule will be available for players in due course, as a guide. Start time Saturday 10.30/11.00-18.30; Sunday 9.00 /9.30 – 16.30.

Further updates will be sent to players and made available on the Table Tennis England website, to keep you posted on any changes ahead of the event

Permissions:

ANTI-DOPING ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM FOR U18s

This form is to be completed in respect of any player who is aged 17 and under, by a person having legal responsibility for the player.

I, having legal responsibility for the player, confirm that I have read the Table Tennis England Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations (Appendix P) and that I hereby acknowledge the player being bound by these Rules and Regulations.

Name:

Relationship to player:

GDPR & ACTIVITY CONSENT FORM

This form is to be completed for all players

Individuals aged 16 or older may give consent for the processing of their personal data themselves. Table Tennis England require parental consent to process personal data for children under 16, including entries. Table Tennis England also require parental consent for children under 16 to take part in activity.

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



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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 at <https://tabletennisengland.co.uk/home/website-privacy-policy/>

I confirm I am the person named above and am 16 or older, or if not, have legal responsibility for the person named above in order to provide these details and agree for them to take part in this activity. I have read, understood and agree with the way the data will be used by Table Tennis England.

Name:

Relationship to player (if not player themselves):



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