

**Dorset County  
Association  
of the  
B.T.B.A**



**Presents the 22nd Annual  
POOLE SENIOR OPEN  
SINGLES TOURNAMENT**

**This is a Senior BTBA Tour Event**

Bonus will be assessed based on age. ONE pin will be awarded for every year OVER 50 years.  
(up to a maximum of 15).

**Held at  
BOWLPLEX Poole Rd.  
Branksome, BH12 1DA**

**On  
Sunday 16th July 2017 @ 10:30am**

BTBA Sanction No: 17/0082

# GENERAL RULES

1. This tournament is sanctioned by the B.T.B.A. and the General playing and Tournament rules will govern this event, together with the following special rules.
2. The Tournament is open to B.T.B.A. members and associated members only. Members unable to provide evidence of current membership card will be required to pay a fine of £5.00. Display of membership details from BTBA website is acceptable.
3. A provisional ball must be rolled if a dispute relating to pin fall cannot be resolved immediately.
4. Protests must be made within 30 minutes of any infraction occurring and confirmed in writing within 72 hours to the Tournament Manager.
5. The Tournament Manager reserves the right to reject any entry and his decision on all matters shall be final. Subject to an appeal to the B.T.B.A.
6. **Closing date for entries 10pm 7th July 2017 and all entry fees must be enclosed with entry form.** Squads may be reserved by email to the tournament manager, but the entry form and fee **MUST** be received before the closing date.
7. Pin fall will be carried forward from round 1 to round 2 only
8. **ROUND 1.** All bowlers will play 6 games, changing lanes every 2 games. BTBA Tour points be awarded based on scratch scores after round 1.
9. **ROUND 2.** The top 50%, up to a maximum of 16 bowlers in each section, (Ladies & Men's), will then play a further 4 games.
10. **ROUND 3.** The top 4 in each section, will play in a stepladder final (bowler in 4th place plays bowler in 3rd place, the winner plays 2nd placed bowler etc).
11. In the event of a tie in the qualifying rounds, the bowler with the highest last game will be awarded the place. If this results in a further tie, the player with the highest penultimate game will go through. In the event of a tie in round 3, the match will be decided by a 9th 10th frame roll-off
12. Senior players must be aged 50 on or before 31st December 2017. An age bonus of 1 pin per year for every complete year over 50, maximum 15.
13. This is a non-smoking event and no alcohol is allowed during the competition.
14. **The wearing of denim jeans, combat clothing, tee shirts, vests and shorts (for men) is prohibited.**

# ENTRY FORM

Name: .....Male  Female.

Date of Birth:..... B.T.B.A No:.....

Address: .....

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..... Tel No: .....

**Email address:** .....

First round will be on Sunday 16th July @ 10:30am

Registration: 30 minutes prior to squad time

Entry Fee per player is £45.00

Which includes:-

Prize fund £15.00

BTBA Team England Fund £ 1.00

BTBA Tour Championship contribution £ 5.00

Entries to Tournament Manager -

Ron Griffin, 30 Portmore Close, Broadstone, Dorset, BH18 8BZ

Email rongriffin@sky.com

**Closing date for entries 10pm 7th July 2017 and all entries must be accompanied with your entry fee.**

Please make cheques made payable to D.C.T.B.A.

Please be advised entries **are not transferable**, however if you are unable to bowl you should contact the Tournament Manager on the number above

**We are limited to a maximum of 60 entries for this event so please enter early.**