

Tournament Rules

1. The General Playing and Tournament Rules of the S.T.B.SCIO. will govern the tournament. Surface changes allowed after each game providing play is not held up.
2. The Tournament is open to all members of the S.T.B.SCIO. Those not holding a recognised membership card will be subject to a £10 fine.
3. No person may play in this tournament except those originally entered or such replacements as authorised and accepted by the tournament manager.
4. A provisional bowl must be rolled if disputes relating to pin fall cannot be resolved immediately.
5. Protests must be lodged verbally within 10 minutes of the infraction and must be confirmed in writing to the tournament manager within 72 hours of the game in which the infraction occurred.
6. Entry fee will be non-returnable after squad times have been notified and accepted. However an entry may be sold to an eligible replacement.
7. All bowlers are required to register at least 30 minutes prior to allocated roll-off times. If a bowler fails to register before the designated time that bowler may be disqualified and replaced by a reserve bowler.
8. No bowler will be allowed to consume alcoholic beverages anywhere in the centre during the tournament. Any breach of this rule will result in disqualification of the individual from the tournament. Bad language, gesticulation or abuse of bowling equipment or machinery will result in a verbal warning and then if it continues, disqualification from the tournament. The use of mobile phones by players, officials and coaches is prohibited during play and all mobile phones must be switched off when entering players bowling area. Any individual whose conduct is considered liable to bring the sport into disrepute will be disqualified from the tournament and a report will be sent to STB SCIO. Disqualification will mean loss of scores bowled and also any award pending.
9. Suitable bowling attire must be worn. Casual shorts, combat style trousers, denim or jean style clothing, T-Shirts and headwear, e.g. baseball caps will not be permitted. However skorts and tailored shorts will be permitted for ladies. The wearing of any short trousers by men is banned, except during the months of May to September, where tailored shorts will be permitted. Sponsorship/Advertisement on shirts must be approved by STB SCIO. Shirts to either have Scotland, players name on back or blank.
10. The tournament manager will allocate roll-off times (if applicable)
11. No substitutes will be allowed to play after the start of the tournament. If injury prevents a bowler from continuing in the tournament a pacer where possible will be used to allow other team members to continue for ranking points only.
12. The tournament committee reserve the right to reject or re-rate any entry and their decision in all matters will be final, subject to appeal to the STB SCIO.
13. Tied scores for an award in a tournament will be decided on last highest game, then second last highest game and so forth. Team sections will be decided on last highest team game, then second highest team game and so forth.
14. Changes to the bowling order of team events, e.g. doubles, must be notified 72 hours before the tournament begins. Bowlers must play in order as listed on the score sheet.
15. Changes to the official score sheet can only be made with the consent of the Tournament Committee.
16. All bowling equipment, when not in use, must be kept in the ballpark. Unattended bags and equipment will be removed to Ball Park. Neither the bowling centre nor the STB SCIO can accept responsibility for loss or damage to equipment or personal effects at any time.
17. **Only food and Drink bought in the bowl maybe consumed on the premises.**

Roll-off Time 15 September 2019 Sun 9:00am
Practise will begin at 8:50am
Registration 8:30am

Cost per Team £184

The tournament will comprise of 5 games changing lanes after every game.

Handicap will be 80% of 220

Handicap will be calculated on latest average from adult rankings, which will include all games bowled. If less than 12 games bowled then your highest league average from any sanctioned, unsanctioned, junior/adult/senior leagues/rankings. (if using league average, proof must be provided). Ranking points will be awarded on scratch scores from round 1.

Lanes will be redressed before stepladder final.

Top 4 teams will play one game Stepladder Baker system.
4th versus 3rd and winner versus 2nd and so on.

Prize pot will be awarded to Teams who finish in the positions 1st - 4th

Prize pot will include High Scratch Team Game in which Ladies will receive 8 pins per lady bowler for scratch game. In the event of a High Game score tie in games 1-4 the pot will roll over to the next game and so on. In the event of a High Game tie in game 5 the pot will be shared between the teams scoring the High Game.

There will be a maximum of 2 teams per pair of lanes.

Entries will be received on a first come basis, any entries received after the closing date will be returned. All entries must be on the official entry form accompanied by averages.

Team

Name.....

STBA No	Name	Avg	Avg used i.e. rankings/league

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All entry fees must be paid before start of tournament. Bank transfer details will be given on confirmation of entry. No cash will be accepted by post.

Cheques to be made payable to Scottish Tenpin Bowling SCIO

Please send entry form to: Jennifer McQueen
9 Mains Terrace
Dundee
DD4 7BX

Closing date for entries

Midnight 1 September 2019



Presents

Adult Fours

15 September 2019

At

L A Bowl
Ayr