

The Tenpin Bowling Association of Wales Presents



TENPIN BOWLING ASSOCIATION OF WALES

WELSH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
(TEAM WALES RANKING EVENT)

To be held on

27th & 28th January 2024

at

**PHOENIX BOWL
MILFORD HAVEN**

Sanction No. 02/2024

The closing date for entries is SUNDAY the 21st of January 2024

TOURNAMENT RULES

- The tournament is only open to **TBAW members** in good standing of the TBAW. Any member unable to produce a current membership card at the time of registration, may participate on payment of a £5 registration fee, but will not be eligible for any TBAW services.
- This will be a handicap event with handicaps based on the Welsh ranking averages over a minimum of 15 games.
 - If a bowler does not have a minimum of 15 games bowled on the current Welsh rankings, the handicap will be based on 80% of the difference between a bowler's highest league average and 220.
 - If a bowler does not have a league handicap, the bowler will be bowling off a scratch average, which is a 0 handicap.
- **Bowlers will play 4 games singles, 4 games doubles and 3 games in four person teams.**
- There will be 2 bowling categories in each event:
 - a. SINGLES:
 - i. Category A- 181 and above entry average
 - ii. Category B -180 and below entry average
 - b. DOUBLES:
 - i. Category A- 361 and above combined entry average
 - ii. Category B- 360 and below combined entry average
 - c. FOURS:
 - i. Category A- 721 and above combined entry average
 - ii. Category B -720 and below combined entry average
- Bowlers may enter all, or some of the events
- **All-Event (scratch pot) prizes will be awarded to the top three scratch scores over all 11 games on payment of a separate prize fund at £10 per entry.**
- All entering averages will be verified before prize money is distributed. Any falsified average **will** result in immediate disqualification.
- **Qualification for the European Champions Cup**
 - Qualification for the European Champions Cup for individuals will be the male and female entrants with the highest scratch pinfall over the 11 games.
 - For individual bowlers who wish to participate in ECC qualification, arrangements will be made to enable them to play all 11 games
 - If the winner in either category (Men/Ladies) is unavailable, the next highest placed finisher will be offered the place.
- The Tournament Director reserves the right to reject or re-rate any entry or entrant at any time.
- Any protest must be made verbally (within 10 minutes) to the Tournament Director or his deputy at the time of the occurrence and confirm in writing within 72 hours. A provisional ball will be bowled where a dispute relating to pinfall cannot be immediately resolved.
- The Tournament Director's decision shall be considered final, subject to a right of appeal to the TBAW. The Tournament director will be the chairperson of the TBAW or an appointed deputy.
- The consumption of alcohol during tournament play will not be permitted. There will be no smoking (including E cigarettes) or eating in the bowlers' playing area. Outside of the playing area, these activities will be determined by the policy of the centre.
- **Dress Code: No T Shirts, jeans or sleeveless tops will be allowed**
- Conduct: Players will be expected to conduct themselves in a sporting manner.
- **Mobile phones** are not to be used (except emergencies) by participants during play.
- The TBAW does not accept any responsibility for any injury caused by participation in this event.
- The TBAW reserves the right to add, delete and amend these rules, to take into account any unforeseen circumstances at the time of publication, and which are in the best interests of the sport.

- Entry to this tournament will be deemed acceptance that streaming or other electronic recording, may be employed at this event.
- Full payment must accompany entry applications. **No refunds will be given once an entry has been accepted. All entries to be received by Sunday 21st January 2024**

Entry forms are to be emailed to:

Email	surenjohanssen@gmail.com
Post	Not Available
Phone	07966 006661

***All entries will be confirmed via email.**

Bank	TBAW
Sort Code	40-34-27
Account Number	71618830

***Please add your name in the payment reference, to assist with the entry verification.**

All bank transfers must be received by the tournament closing date.

Team Wales ranking points will be awarded based on scratch pinfall over all 11 games.

ENTRY FORM

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES IS SUNDAY THE 21st OF JANUARY 2024

ENTRY FEES

Singles: £27 per person

Doubles: £27 per person

Team (Fours): £25 per person

All Events: £10 per person (OPTIONAL)

A 6.30 PM overflow squad MAY be available on Saturday 27th & Sunday 28th January if necessary. Squad sizes are limited in this centre so early entry is advised.

Select preferred squad times by ticking boxes

Saturday 27th January

Singles 9.20am

Doubles 12.20pm

Team & Over-flow
3.20 pm

Sunday 28th January

Singles 8.50am

Doubles 12.20pm

Team & Over-flow
3.20 pm

Squad times will be allocated based on availability

**The over-flow squads will only be used in the event of all other squads being full.*

Singles line-up

Average

League

Doubles line-up 1

Doubles line-up 2

Team line-up

1. -----
2. -----
3. -----
4. -----

