

LINCOLNSHIRE

2018

AREA TEAM TRIALS

Saturday 21st April

9am for 9.30am Start

Additional sanctioned date on Tues 17th April

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BTBA SANCTION NUMBER:

18/0053

2018 Lincolnshire Area Team Trials

The Lincolnshire County Team Trials shall be BTBA sanctioned. The General Tournament and Rules of the BTBA shall apply, together with the BTBA Inter-County Rules and Regulations (most recent revision) and the following special rules:

1. Eligibility:

Bowlers must:

- be a current BTBA member in good standing.
- be eligible to hold a British passport or have lived continuously in the UK for at least 5 years.
- have been born within the County boundaries of Lincolnshire (as established in 1961) or have resided within these boundaries for not less than 12 months at the time of registration (6 months for HM Forces and their dependents).

2. Placings:

- Final placings will be decided on total scratch pinfall.
- The top **2 ladies and men** will be guaranteed the opportunity to represent Lincolnshire in a minimum of 2 qualifying games of the Inter-County Tournament.
- The remainder of each squad of 15 bowlers will be selected from the results of these trials, together with current league and tournament averages.

3. Format and costs:

- Each bowler shall bowl 6 games in Trios format (provided that numbers permit), changing lanes after 3 games.
- Entry fees will be **£20.00** per bowler. (This includes **£2 Tournament Sanction Fee.**)

4. Tournament Managers:

The Tournament Management Team will consist of:

***Andi Turner** (c/o Lincoln Bowl Tel: 01522 522059, bookings@lincolnbowl.co.uk)
Tony Lee (07792 703657 tonylee001@hotmail.com)*

Their decision on all matters will be final, subject to appeal to the BTBA.

- Protests must be lodged with the TM Team within one hour of the game in question and confirmed in writing within 72 hours.
- A provisional ball shall be bowled if a dispute relating to a foul or pinfall cannot be resolved immediately.

5. Entries:

- Entries can be lodged provisionally with any of the Tournament Management Team, but must be confirmed in writing prior to the start of the Tournament.
- Early notification of intent to enter would be much appreciated.
- Entry fees (**£20**) – cash on the day, please.

6. Times and Dates:

- Bowling will start at 9.30am **at Lincoln Bowl on Sunday 21st April.**
- Alternative sanctioned date: Tuesday 17th April, 7.30pm
- Bowlers should register at least 30 minutes prior to bowling.
- Details of the date and venue of the qualifying round will be published as soon as they are available. The Final generally takes place on the first full weekend in November.

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21st April:

ENTRY FORM
Please tick required date

17th April:

Name:

Address:

Post Code:

Tel no:

E-mail:

Date of birth:

BTBA Number:

Gold Card expiry date:

League averages:

Tournament average:

I qualify to bowl for Lincolnshire by (please tick one):

Birth:

Residence:

If selected, I accept my place in the squad on the understanding that:

I have read all sections of Rule 1 relating to eligibility for these Trials and confirm that I am eligible to enter.

I further confirm that I am available and willing to bowl (if selected) on the dates of the Qualifying Round (Sat or Sun TBC) and the Final.

I have provided clear details of how to contact me on County Team matters and will avoid unnecessary delay in replying.

It is my own responsibility to present a current BTBA or in-date Gold BTBA card at any tournament at which I represent Lincolnshire.

Failure to represent the County of Lincolnshire in a responsible manner, either on or off the lanes, may result in refusal of entry to future County Trials and/or County Events.

Signed: