

Tournament Rules and Regulations

1. The tournament is sanctioned by the BTBA and the general playing rules and regulations will govern this event together with the following special items.
2. The tournament is open to all members of the BTBA in good standing. All BTBA Memberships will be checked on the BTBA website database prior to the trials. Junior bowlers wanting to trial for the YACs and Adults must have an Adult BTBA card. These details will also be checked on the BTBA website database prior to the trials.
3. All bowlers must be eligible to hold a British passport or have lived in the UK for the last 5 years. All bowlers must have been born or lived within the boundaries of Warwickshire (boundaries as set in 1961) at time of registration. (HM forces & dependants 6 months.) Bowlers of eligible orphaned counties are also permitted to bowl.
4. A provisional ball must be rolled if any dispute relating to pin fall cannot be resolved immediately.
5. Should there be a tie for any place then the person with the highest last game will take the advantage.
6. Protests should be made to the tournament manager within 30 minutes and confirmed in writing in 72 hours of the game in which the infraction occurred.
7. The tournament manager will be Steve Allen, the tournament director, Phil Long and Alex Hamilton. They reserve the right to reject any entry and their decision on all matters will be final subject to an appeal to the BTBA.
8. The closing date for pre-registered entries will be Friday 4th of January 2019. The entry fee should be paid in cash on the day, and no payment is required to reserve a space in a squad, however we do accept pre-payment by cheque, cash. Bank Transfer (on request).
9. All bowlers are to be registered at least 30 minutes before the scheduled squad time.
10. The tournament will be scratch.
11. All Bowlers are to be dressed in an acceptable manner. Ladies can wear skorts, skirts, leggings or trousers. Men should wear trousers. The tournament committee's decision on acceptable bowling attire is final.
12. No competitor will be allowed to consume alcoholic beverages during play.
13. Any competitor found using foul language or exhibiting offensive behaviour or abusing bowling equipment will be disqualified.

PHOTOGRAPHY POLICY APPLIES TO U12 AND U16 BOWLERS ONLY.

"Before, during, and after the event there could be photography, filming or video taken of participants and medal winners by anyone attending the event, either as an official, spectator, parent or guardian. If you (as a participant, parent or guardian) object to this, you must make your objections known to the tournament manager prior to the event starting and reasonable adjustments will be made."

Warwickshire County Tenpin Bowling Association
Presents

Warwickshire County Trials 2019



At

Acocks Green Bowl

Westley Road, Acocks Green, Birmingham.B27 7UH

SUNDAY 13TH JANUARY 2019. 09:00 REGISTRATION FOR 09:30
WEDNESDAY 16TH JANUARY 2019. 18:00 REGISTRATION FOR 18:30
SUNDAY 20TH JANUARY 2019. 09:00 REGISTRATION FOR 09:30

Please note. Wednesday 16th January will be the overflow date and will require a minimum of 4 bowlers. We can accommodate upto a maximum of 12 bowlers only on this date due to lane availability.

Qualification for
Male and Female Senior, Adult, Under 22, Under 16 and Under 12 County Squads 2019

BTBA Sanctioned – 18/0117

WEBSITE – wctba.co.uk

Warwickshire County Tenpin Bowling website – wctba.co.uk

Playing Format and Qualification

All Bowlers will bowl 8 games, moving lanes after every game. This will be split into two blocks of four games each, with a break for a lane redress. The two blocks will be played on two different lane patterns and will be made available prior to the trials.

Age Eligibility

Seniors: Must be aged 50 on or before 1st June 2019.

Adults: No specific age criteria.

Under 22's: Under 22. Bowlers born in 1997 or later.

Juniors: Under 16's. Bowlers born in 2003 or later.
Under 12's. Bowlers born in 2007 or later.

Availability

By playing in the trials, entrants confirm their availability for selection in any county teams for which they are eligible. If, having been selected to play in a county round, a bowler opts to rescind their availability, future selections (both to the county team and to Team England where applicable) may be jeopardised.

Senior Team Qualifications

The top 5 Men and 4 Women will automatically make the team from the top 15 County trials qualifiers. There will also be 1 selection made by the County Committee for both Men and Women. The top 2 qualifiers will be invited to play at least 2 games.

Adult Team Qualifications

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Under 22 Team Qualifications

The strongest squad of 5 Men and 4 Women will be selected from the top 15 qualifiers. The top 2 qualifiers will be invited to play at least 2 games.

Under 16 Team Qualifications

The top 5 Boys and top 5 Girls in the County qualifying trials will automatically make the County team, There will also be 1 selection from the trials by the County Committee who will also make the team although the squad will be chosen so as to give the maximum number of opportunities to juniors to represent their county.

Under 12 Team Qualifications

The top 4 Boys and top 4 Girls in the County qualifying trials will automatically make the County team, There will also be 1 selection from the trials by the County Committee who will also make the team although the squad will be chosen so as to give the maximum number of opportunities to juniors to represent their county.

Notes:-

The strongest team will be selected by the Warwickshire County Committee and will be based on factors such as current form, ability to adapt to different lane conditions, teamwork and tournament experience.

It is the responsibility of the bowler to inform the County of any change of contact details. If we cannot contact you your place in the team may be given to someone else.

Bowlers can qualify to play in more than one squad i.e. an under 12 bowler can qualify to bowl in the under 16 squad. Juniors can qualify to play in the U22 or Adult squad if they hold a Adult BTBA card.

It will be the County Association's decision as to whether a particular team is entered or not.

County qualifying bowlers must purchase their own personalised shirt for £35:00 if they do not already have one.

Costs

The entry fee (which includes £2.00 TSF contribution) will be £45, 00, reduced to £40, 00 for bowlers who pre-register. Bowlers must pre register on or before Friday 4th January 2019 to be eligible for the discounted entry fee. Full entry fee of £45, 00 will apply after this date.

Payments can be made by the following methods:

Cash /Cheque/Bank transfer (on request).

Please send the completed entry form to:

Steve Allen. 18,Brancaster Close, Amington, Tamworth. B77 3QD.

OR email to:

bowlingsallen@yahoo.com

Inter County Championship Calendar

Senior	Qualifying Round	TBC	
	Final	TBC	
Adult	Qualifying Round	TBC	Fi
	Final	TBC	
Under 22	Championships TBC	6 TH AND 7 TH JULY 2019	
Under 16	Championships TBC	4 th or 5 th MAY 2019	
Under 12	Championships TBC	27 APRIL 2019	

Warwickshire County Committee

President: Phil Long **Vice President:** Steve Bose

Secretary: Alex Hamilton **Treasurer:** Carol Rose

Local Officers: Steve Allen, Sharon Faulconbridge, Sarah Goodwin and Russell Semple

Website: wctba.co.uk

**Warwickshire County Tenpin Bowling Association Trials 2019
BTBA Sanction Number 18 / 0117
Pre-registration Form.**

Bowler Name :.....

Date of Birth:

BTBA No: Qualify by: Birth / Residence (Please circle)

Card Type: Junior / Adult / Gold Card (Please circle)

Current League Average:

Address:

.....Post code.....

Telephone No: Home:

Mobile:Work.....

E-mail Address:

Preferred Squad : Please highlight or circle,.

Sunday 13th January 2019. Registration 09:00.

Wednesday 16th January 2019. Registration 18:00 (min 4 bowlers max 12)

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Please enclose a cheque for £40,00 (as applicable, see trials booklet) payable to
“WCTBA” Bank transfer details on request.

Return to: **Steve Allen.18,Brancaster Close,Amington,Tamworth. B77 3QD**

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Signed: _____ Date: _____

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