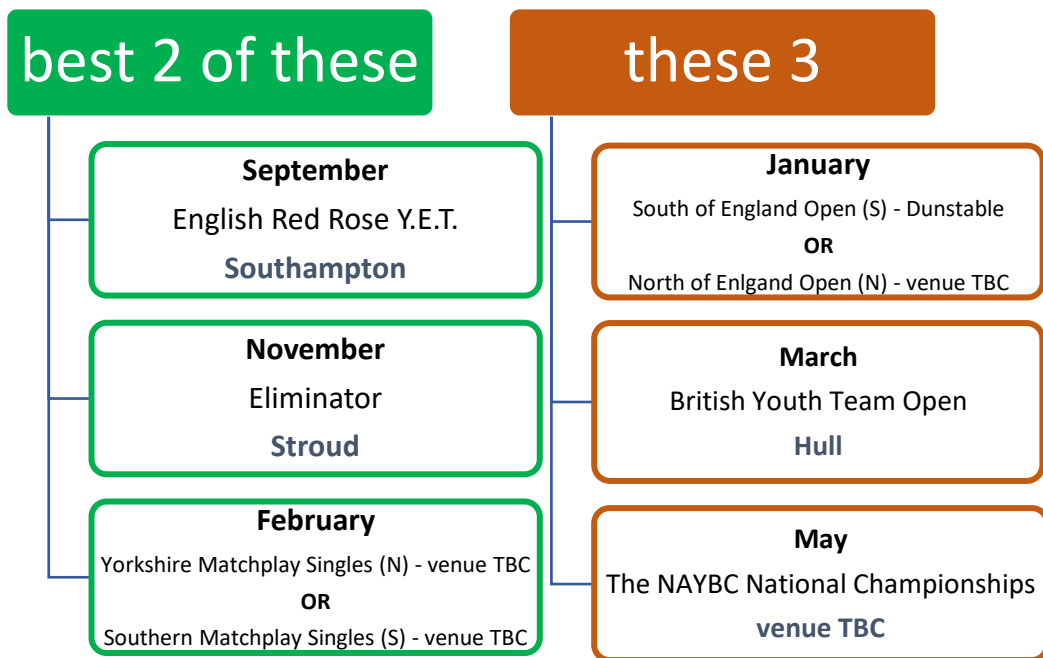


Team England Youth Qualification

Youth Triple Crown (U16 & U19) – August 2020

Players will need to compete in 5 events as listed in the chart below in order to gain an automatic place on their relevant team. The last event in the NAYBC Nationals in May.



N.B. Where an event has (S) or (N) against it players must compete in their allocated event as per the regional split decided by the NAYBC Tournament Manager.

Team Qualification

The top 4 in each age group – **Under 16 and Under 19 (boy and girls)** will qualify automatically for Youth Triple Crown 2020 (subject to usual membership status conditions).



Scoring

In each event players will be ranked as “X” UNDER or “X” OVER compared to the mean average of scores from the bowlers in their age bracket. The first 6 games bowled in each event will be used, or the first nine in SOE, NOE, and The NAYBC National Championships.

For example, if the U16 Boys mean average in qualifying for the Stroud Eliminator was 155.4 and Player A averages 178.2 they would be OVER by 22.8 points. If Player B averaged 132.9, they would UNDER by 22.5 points. Cumulative OVER or UNDER totals will be published after each event.

Rationale for this method

This system will significantly reduce the disparity of different patterns and lanes surfaces from the mix when comparing players as we are, across a range of events where not everyone will be at every event. It will also teach players to be more aware of the **scoring pace** and get used to the more common language of taking about being **Under or Over** (normally compared to 200 (par)).

Team Announcement

Teams will be confirmed shortly after the last qualifying event which is The NAYBC Nationals in May.

Team Preparation

More information will be announced as soon as a date and venue are established.

QUALIFICATION FOR UNDER 21 YOUTH TRIPLE CROWN TEAM 2020

2020 is a World Youth Championships year and so to help with the preparation for this event, those players who make the WYC 2020 Teams (male and female) following the Adult Team England Play-offs (in January 2020) will automatically be required to play the YTC event in August 2020. Full details of the TE Adult Play-offs will be announced shortly on www.btba.org.uk.

To be clear, the players who form the WYC team after the Adult play-offs in January 2020 will form the YTC U21 team where age rules permit.

