

University of Warwick

Cup & Plate Doubles

Mixed Division

- 1) The Tournament will be a Doubles event for current students and ex-students.
- 2) The tournament will carry a B.T.B.A. Moral Support Sanction (Sanction Number XXXXXXXXXXXX). B.T.B.A. members will be eligible for B.T.B.A. services, and anyone wishing to join on the day will be able to do so (cost for 2012/2013 season is £25).
- 3) The Tournament will be bowled at the Lakeside Superbowl, St Davids Way, Bermuda Park, Nuneaton, CV10 7SD (02476 370555) on Saturday 20th October 2012. Registration will open 45 minutes before the first squad, and will close 15 minutes before the squad starts.
- 4) The Tournament will be played under the auspices of B.U.T.B.A. and in accordance with the B.U.T.B.A. Rules, Regulations and Standing Orders, in particular:
 - i) The Tournament will be played under the general playing rules and regulations of the B.T.B.A.
 - ii) Mixed teams from different B.U.T.B.A. member clubs will not be allowed.
 - iii) Late arrivals will only be allowed to compete at the Tournament Director's discretion, and must commence bowling at the frame in progress for their allocated squad, all previous frames being scored at zero.
 - iv) Individuals and teams must bowl at a reasonable pace. Any individual who, in the opinion of the Tournament Director, is guilty of slow play will initially receive an official warning. Any subsequent offence will result in the next delivery by the team or individual being recorded as a foul.
- 5) The Tournament Director will be Phil Keeling, whose decision on the day will be final, subject to appeal to the B.U.T.B.A. Executive or Council, or the B.T.B.A.
- 6) The Tournament Secretary will be Tom Prickett, who shall be responsible for the pre-Tournament organisation.
- 7) The Tournament Treasurer reserves the right to accept or refuse any entry. Late entries are also accepted only at the Tournament Secretary's discretion.
- 8) **The Tournament Treasurer will be CRAIG HARMON. All entries and payments should be directed to Craig.**
- 9) **The entry fee will be £56 per team (i.e. £28 per person) For each competitor, this includes a prize fund of £6.50 (which will be returned 100% in tournament prizes), a donation of 20p towards the Team Britain Fund 50p to the Order of Merit Fund 75p contribution to the BUCS Representative programme. 75p contribution towards the Masters Fund and 75p contribution to the challenge match fund. Cheques should be made payable to B.U.T.B.A. and sent, along with entry form to:**

Tournament Treasurer: Craig Harmon
Address: 5 Whalton Grove
Ashington

Northumberland
NE63 8UH

Mobile: 07969 843730

E-mail: treasurer@butba.org.uk

- 10) The closing date for entries is Saturday 6th October 2012
The tournament contributes to the Order of Merit 2012/2013 The operation of the rankings is given in B.U.C.S. Standing Orders and will be displayed on the day

	Tournament Director:	Tournament Secretary
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Tournament Format

The Tournament is a matchplay scratch doubles event. The first round will see teams allocated into groups (8 groups of 4 teams, based on an entry of 32 teams), who will then play each other team in their group over a single game, the winners will be determined by the total team pinfall. Scoring will be by the BUTBA Tournament Points system (2 points for a win, 1 points for a tie, 0 points for a loss; all added to 1% team pinfall).

After completion of all first round matches, the group winners and runners up, determined by points total will qualify for the Trophy event. The third and fourth placed teams will qualify for the plate event. In the event of a tie on points for group winner, runner up, third or fourth place the outcome will be decided on the match result between those teams tied. If this is still inconclusive, lots will be drawn.

The second round: Each team will be categorised based on finishing position from the first round, GW (Group Winner), RU (Runner-Up), TP (Third Place), FP (Fourth Place). Points tally from the first round does not carry to the second round.

Trophy section: Will be played in groups (4 group of 4 teams, based on a 32 team entry) using the same round robin format and points system as the first round. Teams will be seeded into groups, depending on first round performance. Each group shall consist of 2 GW and 2 RU randomly drawn.

Plate Section: Will be played in groups (4 groups of 4 teams, based on a 32 team entry) using the same round robin format and points system as the first round. Teams will be seeded into groups, depending on first round performance. Each group will consist of 2 TP and 2 FP randomly drawn.

The Finals; In each respective division (Trophy and Plate) the 4 group winners determined by points total, from the second round will qualify, for a 3-match step-ladder final, seeded 1 - 4 according to TOTAL PINFALL over the 6 games played. All matches will be played over a single game and determined by team total pinfall. In the event of a tie, a 2-frame team roll-off will take place.

Practice Rules

There will be five minutes practice before the start of each teams initial squad in both the first and second rounds: there will be no subsequent practice during any round. For the step-ladder final matches, each player will be allowed 2 balls per lane practice before each match

Lane Allocations

Upon registration, teams will be given a code number via random draw.

Squad Times

The provisional squad times are as follows:

First Round	09:00 - 12:00
Re-Oil	12:00 - 12:45
Second Round	12:45 - 15:45
Re-Oil	15:45 - 16:30
Finals	16:30 - 18:00
Presentation	18:05

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded as follows: **(based on a 32 team entry)**

Trophy & Plate Section

1st Place	£60
2nd Place	£40
3rd Place	£30
Team High Game	£10
Mens and Ladies High Average	£20
Mens and Ladies High Game	£10

N.B. For any individual award category covering both scratch and handicapped scores (i.e. high game or series), a competitor may not receive both awards: the award for the scratch prize takes precedence. In the event of a tie for any scratch award, the prize will be shared between the competitors concerned. In the event of a tie for any handicapped award, the prize will go to the player with the higher handicap.

Entry Allocation

The allocation of entries is on an 'equal entitlement' basis. There will be a total of 32 places available, 16 spaces allocated to Ex-students and 16 spaces allocated to Students. Each club submitting an entry by the closing date will initially receive one place with additional requests being met on a first come first served basis. Ex-student allocation will be on a first come first served basis. Any remaining spaces come entry deadline day will be issued on a first come first served basis to either ex-student or student teams the Tournament Treasurer's decision being final.

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PART A (to be handed in at registration)

B.U.T.B.A. Member Club /
Team name : _____

TEAM 1		Competitor Name	Highest Average	Source (League, etc.)
	A			
	B			

TEAM 2		Competitor Name	Highest Average	Source (League, etc.)
	A			
	B			

PART B (to be returned on or before Saturday 6th October
2012)

**This is to request that _____ be allocated _____
team(s) for the University of Warwick Cup & Plate Doubles Please find cheque
enclosed for (£56per team).**

Payment Method (tick as appropriate):

- Direct Transfer Please transfer to B.U.T.B.A.:
- Sort Code 77-85-02
- Account Number 39135968
- Reference Used _____TOUR13-
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- Please Note: This account reference should be in the
format xxxxxxTOUR13-1 - where xxxxxx is a six letter
abbreviation of your name.

Cheque

Please make payable to _____ and enclose with entry form

Request to pay on the day Summarise Reason for request:

Please note, cash on day requests will be considered by the Event Hosts in conjunction with the BUTBA Treasurer and will be granted only in exceptional circumstances.

Contact Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:
