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**2017-2018**



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## **FOREWORD**



Once again I welcome you to the 2017/2018 season of Derby Table Tennis.

At the AGM I was again nominated as your President, a position of which I am proud and for which I thank you all.

John Cowell, Mike Starkie and Martin Coe were returned as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Treasurer respectively. In view of Aubrey Henry relinquishing his position at the end of this season his duties for this coming season will be shared with Graham Hesketh, Richard Dryden and Wayne Glossop, details of which are on page 4.

There are no changes to the Match Secretaries but in addition to Richard Dryden and Wayne Glossop joining the Committee, Malcolm Allsop was elected onto the Management Committee alongside Barry Baynes and Les Allwood.

From this you will gather that following our Chairman's plea to all players for help we had more members agreeing to serve on the Committee arising from a successful and well attended AGM in May. I would ask more of you to volunteer however as we have a number of projects in the pipeline which will require more manpower.

We again held our "End of Season Social Evening" at Derby University Students Union with I am pleased to say a small increase in numbers and thanks to Mike Starkie for organising the quiz and prizes. Dates for both next year's AGM and Social Evening are on page 5, so put them in your diary NOW.

It is pleasing to note that the website is proving to be successful but our coverage in the Derby Telegraph has declined hence our need for a PR person to join us.

Finally but not least by any means is another increase in teams to 50 meaning we now have a full 10 teams in each Division.

Your Committee have done really well in pulling us through a difficult period so now give them your support and have an enjoyable season.

**Tony Chatwin**  
President

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## PRESIDENT

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END OF SEASON  
SOCIAL EVENING &  
PRESENTATIONS



FRIDAY 11 MAY 2018



University of Derby Students Union, Kedleston Road  
Further details will be available closer to the time

# AGM

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

# WEDNESDAY 16 MAY 2018

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# RESULTS

## LAST SEASONS HONOURS BOARD

	WINNER(S)	RUNNER(S) UP
Premier Division	Long Eaton 3	Marstons Pedigree
Division 1	Marstons Gold	Melbourne Swifts 1
Division 2	Castle Donington 4	Littleover 3
Division 3	Rolls Royce 2	Waingroves 2
Division 4	Jacksdale MW 4	Repton 2
Walter Reeves Team Handicap	Burton Uxbridge 1	Burton Uxbridge 2

## DERBY CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

	WINNER(S)	RUNNER(S) UP
<b>SENIORS</b>		
Open Singles	Craig Feargrieve	Wayne Glossop
Ladies Singles	Theresa Richardson	Jane Vickers
Handicap Singles	Daniel Allen	Terry Cotterill
Open Doubles	Wayne Glossop/Andy Coupe	Steve Porter/Steve Cooper
Over 40 Singles	Wayne Glossop	Simon Hamm
Over 60 Singles	Colin Ambrose	Mal Truman

<b>JUNIORS</b>		
Open Singles	Daniel Allen	Helena Dicken

<b>DIVISIONALS</b>		
Division 1	Matt Satchwell	Kalpesh Bhatt
Division 2	Paul Chadwick	Jonathan Wood
Division 3	Helena Dicken	Brian Canavan
Division 4	Tom Wright	Nathan Dumelow



# CLUBS, VENUES & CONTACTS

CLUB & CONTACT	VENUE
BURTON UXBRIDGE TTC <b>Simon Price</b> 07890 520692	ROBERT SUTTON CATHOLIC SPORTS COLLEGE Bluestone Lane, Stapenhill, Burton-on-Trent DE15 9SD
CASTLE DONINGTON <b>Peter Hamshaw</b> 01773 882403	SHARDLOW VILLAGE HALL The Wharf, Shardlow DE72 2WE
JACKSDALE MW <b>John Bullock</b> 01773 604740	THE DALE CLUB Main Road, Jacksdale, Nottinghamshire NG16 5HR
LITTLEOVER <b>Marilyn O'Sullivan</b> 01332 382369	BROADWAY BAPTIST CHURCH Broadway, Derby DE22 1BP
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WAINGROVES <b>John Grace</b> 01773 744661	METHODIST CHURCH Waingroves Road, Ripley DE5 9TB

# TEAM CONTACT DETAILS

## PREMIER DIVISION

No. Team	Captain	Phone Number	Home Night
1 Long Eaton 1	Andy Portlock	07720 577754	Wed 7:30
2 Long Eaton 2	Jane Vickers	07795 574302	Wed 7:30
3 Littleover 1	Nick Pine	01773 831657	Mon 7:00
4 Marstons Gold	Brian Beer	01283 520468	Mon 7:30
5 Marstons Pedigree	Nigel Adams	07951 814234	Mon 7:30
6 Long Eaton 3	Anthony Brown	07897 615036	Wed 7:30
7 Castle Donington 1	Tony Parker	07403 174047	Mon 7:30
8 Waingroves 1	Terry Cotterill	07790 898735	Tue 7:30
9 Melbourne Swifts 1	Carl Jackson	07837 770431	Wed 7:30
10 Sawley 1	Wayne Glossop	01159 198818	Thu 7:15

## DIVISION 1

No. Team	Captain	Phone Number	Home Night
1 Jacksdale MW 1	Paul Linfield	07596 354306	Thu 7:30
2 Castle Donington 2	Peter Hamshaw	07941 838523	Mon 7:30
3 Littleover 2	Brian Heffernan	07763 202302	Mon 7:00
4 Burton Uxbridge 1	Daniel Allen	07910 036346	Tue 7:00
5 Sawley 2	Russ Smith	01159 287278	Thu 7:15
6 Jacksdale MW 2	Russ Stevens	01773 535788	Thu 7:30
7 Castle Donington 3	Mike Starkie	07702 264041	Wed 7:30
8 Melbourne Swifts 2	Jonathan Wood	07793 269731	Mon 7:15
9 Littleover 3	Phil Cook	07949 571062	Tue 7:00
10 Long Eaton 4	Paul Chadwick	01509 276265	Wed 7:30

## DIVISION 2

No. Team	Captain	Phone Number	Home Night
1 Jacksdale MW 3	John Fordham	01773 718995	Wed 7:30
2 Rolls Royce 2	Graham Hesketh	07951 308685	Thu 7:00
3 Repton 1	Martin Shean	01283 703129	Wed 7:30
4 Long Eaton 5	Gary Holyoak	07914 049337	Tue 7:30
5 Burton Uxbridge 2	Pat Byrne	07985 116627	Tue 7:00
6 Waingroves 2	Gary Coupland	07876 069014	Thu 7:00
7 Castle Donington 4	Martin Coe	07791 199940	Tue 7:30
8 Littleover 4	Andy Pollitt	07887 365054	Mon 7:00
9 Long Eaton 6	Graham Shaw	01159 160087	Tue 7:30
10 Rolls Royce 1	Gordon Taylor	01283 730904	Tue 7:00

## DIVISION 3

No. Team	Captain	Phone Number	Home Night
1 Long Eaton 8	Richard McCristal	01332 666963	Tue 7:30
2 Castle Donington 5	Steve West	01332 850753	Wed 7:30
3 Repton 2	John Cowell	01332 515132	Wed 7:30
4 Repton 3	Richard Dryden	07917 355553	Wed 7:30
5 Melbourne Swifts 3	Paul Fox	07950 727042	Thu 7:30
6 Jacksdale MW 4	John Bullock	01773 604740	Wed 7:30
7 Rolls Royce 3	Taimoor Pervaiz	07828 122699	Thu 7:00
8 Littleover 5	Stef Sadnicki	01332 883281	Mon 7:00
9 Littleover 6	Tim Smith	01332 843189	Tue 7:00
10 Long Eaton 7	Phil Clarke	07813 407021	Wed 7:30

## DIVISION 4

No. Team	Captain	Phone Number	Home Night
1 Waingroves 3	Les Allwood	01773 761369	Thu 7:30
2 Waingroves 4	Martin Durand	07891 146737	Fri 7:00
3 Melbourne Swifts 6	Guy Page	07966 100270	Mon 7:30
4 Melbourne Swifts 5	Rod Raffell	07966 403075	Wed 7:30
5 Rolls Royce 4	Dave Wood	01332 557806	Tue 7:00
6 Long Eaton 10	Melanie Devlin	01332 987831	Tue 7:30
7 Waingroves 5	John Grace	01773 744661	Fri 7:00
8 Long Eaton 9	Sue Gooch	01159 392583	Tue 7:30
9 Littleover 7	Marilyn O'Sullivan	01332 382369	Tue 7:00
10 Melbourne Swifts 4	Simon Kirkham	07988 401102	Thu 7:15



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# FIXTURES FOR THE SEASON

For a full fixtures and results service, check the website:  
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## FIXTURES – FIRST HALF SEASON

WEEK COMMENCING	Oct 9	Oct 16	Oct 23	Oct 30	Nov 6	Nov 13	Nov 20	Nov 27	Dec 4	Dec 11	Jan 8	Jan 15
<b>1</b>		10h	9a	8h	7a		6h	5a	4h	3a		2h
<b>2</b>	<b>C</b>	9h	8a	7h	6a	<b>C</b>	5h	4a	3h	10h	<b>C</b>	1a
<b>3</b>	<b>U</b>	8h	7a	6h	5a	<b>U</b>	4h	10h	2a	1h	<b>U</b>	9a
<b>4</b>	<b>P</b>	7h	6a	5h	10h	<b>P</b>	3a	2h	1a	9h	<b>P</b>	8a
<b>5</b>		6h	10a	4a	3h		2a	1h	9a	8h		7a
<b>6</b>	<b>W</b>	5a	4h	3a	2h	<b>W</b>	1a	9h	8a	7h	<b>W</b>	10a
<b>7</b>	<b>E</b>	4a	3h	2a	1h	<b>E</b>	9a	8h	10a	6a	<b>E</b>	5h
<b>8</b>	<b>E</b>	3a	2h	1a	9h	<b>E</b>	10a	7a	6h	5a	<b>E</b>	4h
<b>9</b>	<b>K</b>	2a	1h	10a	8a	<b>K</b>	7h	6a	5h	4a	<b>K</b>	3h
<b>10</b>		1a	5h	9h	4a		8h	3a	7h	2a		6h
<b>MATCH RESULTS</b>												

## FIXTURES – SECOND HALF SEASON

WEEK COMMENCING	Jan 22	Jan 29	Feb 5	Feb 12	Feb 19	Feb 26	Mar 5	Mar 12	Mar 19	Mar 26	Apr 2	Apr 9
<b>1</b>	10a	9h	8a		7h	6a	5h	4a	3h	2a		
<b>2</b>	9a	8h	7a	<b>C</b>	6h	5a	4h	3a	10a	1h	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>3</b>	8a	7h	6a	<b>U</b>	5h	4a	10a	2h	1a	9h	<b>U</b>	<b>U</b>
<b>4</b>	7a	6h	5a	<b>P</b>	10a	3h	2a	1h	9a	8h	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>
<b>5</b>	6a	10h	4h		3a	2h	1a	9h	8a	7h		
<b>6</b>	5h	4a	3h	<b>W</b>	2a	1h	9a	8h	7a	10h	<b>S</b>	<b>F</b>
<b>7</b>	4h	3a	2h	<b>E</b>	1a	9h	8a	10h	6h	5a	<b>E</b>	<b>I</b>
<b>8</b>	3h	2a	1h	<b>E</b>	9a	10h	7h	6a	5h	4a	<b>M</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>9</b>	2h	1a	10h	<b>K</b>	8h	7a	6h	5a	4h	3a	<b>I</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>10</b>	1h	5a	9a		4h	8a	3h	7a	2h	6a		<b>L</b>
<b>MATCH RESULTS</b>												

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**DERBY CLOSED TOURNAMENT**  
**SUNDAY 7 JANUARY 2018**

# **ENTRY FORM**

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**DRAYCOTT & LONG EATON TABLE TENNIS CLUB**  
**DERBY ROAD, DRAYCOTT, DERBYSHIRE DE72 3NJ**

**CLOSING DATE: SATURDAY 16 DECEMBER 2017**

# DERBY CLOSED TOURNAMENT SUNDAY 7 JANUARY 2018

DRAYCOTT & LONG EATON TABLE TENNIS CENTRE,  
DERBY ROAD, DRAYCOTT DE72 3NJ

**Closing Date:**  
**Saturday 16 December 2017**

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Address

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Telephone

Email

Date of Birth (This must be completed for Junior entry only)

### Completed entries to:

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The following events will be staged subject to minimum number of entries being received, together with maximum entries not exceeding certain limits which may have to be imposed because of time and number of tables in use.

Please refer to Rules 34-37 of your handbook for tournament regulations.

### YOU MAY ONLY ENTER A MAXIMUM OF 4 EVENTS

Open Singles

Ladies Singles (subject to numbers)

Handicap Singles

Over 40 Veterans Singles (eligible players born before 01.01.1978)

Over 60 Veterans Singles (eligible players born before 01.01.1958)

Open Junior Singles

Open Doubles Partners will be drawn for Open Doubles event and the event seeded

Players are only allowed to enter one of the two Veterans Events

### DIVISIONALS

You may only enter the division that you are registered for.  
Enter your name below.

1

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**THE CLOSING DATE WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO AND NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER SATURDAY 16 DECEMBER 2017**



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- Disabled Access
- Toilets & Shower



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#### DRAYCOTT TAE KWON DO CLUB

Sunday 6.30pm – 8.30pm  
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chrispeel@me.com

All or parts of the Centre are available for hire.

Facilities are 2 Sports Halls and a Leisure Room

Contact Gareth Hickling on **07968 746963**

Check out our website

**tabletennis365.com/draycott**

## MONDAYS

### OVER 50'S TABLE TENNIS CLUB

1:30pm – 3:30pm

### JUNIOR COACHING

Beginners 5:45pm – 7:20pm

Advanced 7:20pm – 9:15pm

## TUESDAYS

### GENERAL PRACTICE

7:15pm – 10:15pm

### LEAGUE MATCHES

7:15pm – 10:15pm

## WEDNESDAYS

### GENERAL PRACTICE

1:30pm – 3:30pm for everyone

7:15pm – 10:15pm

### LEAGUE MATCHES

7:15pm – 10:15pm

## THURSDAYS

### ADULT COACHING

7:00pm – 9:00pm

## FRIDAYS

### OVER 50'S TABLE TENNIS CLUB

10:00am – 12:00pm

Contact Sue Gooch

01159392583 or 07925104139

### JUNIOR COACHING

Beginners 5:45pm – 7:20pm

Advanced 7:20pm – 9:30pm

## SUNDAYS

### GENERAL PRACTICE

6:45 pm – 9:30pm



# WOULD YOU LIKE TO... LEARN TO PLAY TABLE TENNIS DEVELOP YOUR TABLE TENNIS SKILLS

Your Committee are actively seeking existing and new Coaches to fulfil the requests they are receiving.

For those wishing to gain qualifications, the Association will support them financially which also extends to re-imbursing fees for "First Aid, Safeguarding and Protecting Children, DBS (Disclosure and Barring Services) checks" for first time applicants subject to certain conditions.

For further information please speak to John Cowell (Tel: 01332 515132) or Tony Chatwin (Tel: 01332 672534) or to view the criteria see our website under "Coaching".

A number of Derby and District League Clubs provide Instruction and/or Player Development opportunities at various venues listed as follows.

If you would like any further information or wish to attend any session please contact the person/centre whose details are shown.

## **DRAYCOTT & LONG EATON TABLE TENNIS CLUB**

For details on this Club's Coaching and Practice sessions see their advertisement on **page 17**.

## **JACKSDALE MINERS WELFARE TABLE TENNIS CLUB**

**THE DALE CLUB, MAIN ROAD, JACKSDALE NG16 5HR**

Summer practice – **Tuesdays** April to October

Juniors **6.30pm – 8pm**

Seniors **8pm – 10pm**

Winter Junior Coaching – **Tuesdays 5pm – 6.30pm**

For further information contact John Bullock on 01773 604740 or 07775 501804 or Jacksdale Miners Welfare on 01773 602609.

## **LITTLEOVER TABLE TENNIS CLUB**

**LITTLEOVER COMMUNITY SCHOOL SPORTS HALL,  
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Practice Sessions plus Social players welcome **Thursday 7pm – 9.30pm**

Contact Marilyn O'Sullivan on 01332 382369 or 07974 733135

## **MELBOURNE SWIFTS TABLE TENNIS CLUB**

**MELBOURNE ASSEMBLY ROOMS, HIGH ST, MELBOURNE DE73 8GF**

Formed in 2012 to boost local interest in Table Tennis and encourage players to develop the necessary skills to enhance their enjoyment of the game, we meet on **Tuesday evening**.

All sessions are supervised by qualified TTE coaches.

For information & contact details see our website:

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## **WAINGROVES TABLE TENNIS CLUB**

**WAINGROVES METHODIST CHURCH, WAINGROVES RD, RIPLEY DE5 9TB**

Coaching Sessions

Monday **6.30pm – 8pm**

Thursday **6.45pm – 9pm**

Contact John Grace on 01773 744661



# RULES



## 1. NAME

The organisation shall be called The Derby and District Table Tennis Association (DDTTA) and shall be affiliated to Table Tennis England.

## 2. OBJECTS

Its objects shall be:

- a. to foster and promote organised and recreational Table Tennis;
- b. to use its influence towards obtaining better facilities for the game;
- c. to operate on a non-profit making basis.

## 3. THE ASSOCIATION

The Association shall consist of a President, Vice Presidents, Officers, Affiliated Clubs and Players. The Association shall be governed by Management Committee, elected annually at the AGM, consisting of the Officers and other members of Affiliated Clubs. There will be a Delegates Committee consisting of Association Officers and at least one representative from each affiliated Club. Both committees shall meet as called by the Association Secretary.

## 4. MEMBERSHIP

Affiliation to the Association shall be open to any club playing the game under the laws of Table Tennis England. Application for club and individual affiliation may be applied for to the Management Committee

## 5. ACTIVITIES

The Association shall promote annually a League Championship, Individual Championships; shall seek competition with neighbouring Clubs, Leagues and Associations; shall arrange such other events as may be found expedient. NOTE: Players must obtain permission from Table Tennis England or County Secretary before taking part in matches or other competitions organised by unaffiliated clubs.

## 6. FEES

The Annual subscriptions shall be as follows:

- a. Membership to the Association £12.00 per senior and £6.00 per junior plus County Affiliation fees. All players must pay an annual fee to Table Tennis England. All playing members must have an Individual Membership number.
- b. Annual Table Tennis England membership fee must be paid before a player takes part in a match otherwise their games will be forfeited.
- c. The term junior player shall apply to players who are under 18 years of age on the 1st January during the current administrative year
- d. All club fees to be paid on or before the Delegates Meeting otherwise Membership to the Association will be increased by £10.00 per team

## 7. MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

The Management Committee shall have the power to co-opt additional members not elected at the

AGM who, in their judgement, will make a positive contribution to the DDTTA and its objectives. The Management Committee shall also:

- a. Work to deliver the Association's annual and long term objectives and plans
- b. Consider all applications for membership
- c. Determine the composition of the various divisions in the League taking into account promotion and relegation from the previous season
- d. Deal with all claims and disputes submitted by clubs
- e. Conduct all negotiations with outside bodies
- f. Appoint a selection committee to choose representative teams
- g. Deal with any matters not otherwise provided for in these rules.

## 8. QUORUMS.

These shall be constituted as follows:

- a. For the Management Committee - at least four members which must include the Chairman or Vice Chairman and Secretary or Treasurer.
- b. For General, Special and Delegates Meetings the Chairman or Vice Chairman, Secretary or Treasurer, at least 2 Committee members and a minimum of one member of each affiliated Club.

## 9. MEETINGS

- a. The Annual General Meeting to be held no later than 31st May each year shall: Elect a President, Vice Presidents, Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and other Officers as deemed necessary. Receive the Association Accounts and appoint an Auditor. Consider proposed Association Rule changes and any other relevant business.
- b. Special General Meetings shall be called following the signed, written request of not less than twelve registered players sent to the Secretary at least 10 days before the proposed date of the said meeting. It shall consider only the business for which it is convened and at which those making the request are properly represented.
- c. Agenda: Copies of the Agenda shall be circulated to all affiliated Clubs at least seven days before the date of the General Meeting.
- d. Clubs not represented at either the Delegates or General Meetings will be fined £10.00 unless a satisfactory explanation of absence is given within three days of the meeting.
- e. Voting. At all General meetings the Officers of the Association and all registered players shall have the power to vote. Voting shall be by a simple majority, the Chairman having a casting vote.
- f. In the event of the dissolution of the Derby & District Table Tennis Association, any assets remaining will be kept in trust for a period of three years with the hope of the League re-starting. After the three year period has elapsed any assets will be shared and dispersed

to those Clubs who were registered members of the Derby & District Table Tennis Association for at least 3 years prior to the dissolution and who continue to provide facilities for social Table Tennis.

## 10. HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP

- a. The distinction of Honorary Life Member may be conferred for special or long service in connection with the Association and its activities. The distinction shall only be conferred at an AGM. The Management Committee shall nominate candidates for Honorary Life Membership.
- b. Registered members may submit to the Management Committee names for consideration for Honorary Life Members and Vice-Presidents, which must be received by 31st March.

## 11. AMENDMENTS TO RULES

Notice of any proposed amendments to rules shall be sent to the Honorary Secretary by 31st March before the Annual General Meeting or 10 days before any Special Meeting duly called for the purpose. Copies shall be circulated to all affiliated Clubs at least seven days before the General or Special meeting.

## 12. DISCIPLINARY CODE

- a. A player shall not do or cause to be done anything deliberately harmful to the Association likely to bring the Association or the game of Table Tennis into disrepute.
- b. Any person charged with a breach of the Disciplinary Code shall be furnished with details in writing of such charge.
- c. The person shall have the right to a personal hearing or to make written representations.
- d. Not later than 14 days after the posting under Regulation b. the person against whom the allegation has been made may send to the General Secretary an answer thereto, and/or a written application for a hearing.
- e. In default of an application for a Hearing within the prescribed time, the matter shall be adjudicated, taking into consideration such written representation or other evidence as may be thought fit. This will be decided by a Panel consisting of a minimum of three and maximum of five members.
- f. The decision of the Hearing shall be notified to the General Secretary in writing who will notify in writing the person charged and any other person or organisation involved.

## 13. TROPHIES

All trophies are the property of the Association and are perpetual trophies. Clubs and players holding them will be responsible for their safe custody and shall return them when requested on or before the Derby Closed Tournament. A £5 fine to be levied against any defaulting club or player.

## 14. REPRESENTATIVE PLAYERS.

If a player is selected to represent the DDTTA he/she must give a minimum of 5 clear days' notice of non-availability unless there is a legitimate excuse accepted by the Committee. Any player has the right to appeal to the County Association and finally Table Tennis England regarding any penalty given for failing to represent the DDTTA.

# LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS

## 15. ENTRY

Entry shall be open to teams from all affiliated Clubs and applications must be received by the preceding 31st July or as decided by the Management Committee

## 16. ORGANISATION

The League shall be composed of Divisions in which each team plays every other team in the Division home and away once unless in the opinion of the Management Committee this is impracticable.

## 17. SYSTEM OF PLAY

Each team shall consist of three players who will:

- a. Play one match against each member of the opposing side.
- b. Each match will be the best of 5 games.
- c. Each game shall continue until one player has scored 11 points or have two clear points advantage in the event of a 10 all score line.
- d. Play a doubles match for which two additional players may be nominated before the start of the match.
- e. Each match shall be played to a finish unless prevented by lateness or other adequate reason when the score at that point shall stand unless otherwise determined by the Management Committee.

## 18. ORDER OF PLAY

- a. Before the commencement of the match each team captain will nominate his/her team. The HOME team assumes the codes A,B,C and the AWAY team the codes X,Y,Z
- b. Order of play will be AvX, BvY, CvZ, BvX, Doubles, AvZ, CvY, BvZ, CvX, AvY.
- c. No individual match may be claimed through inability to maintain the above order until the time laid down in Rule 26.

## 19. SCORING

Points shall be awarded in each match as follows: 3 points for any win; 2 points each team for a draw 5-5; 1 point for a team losing 4-6 or 3-7; no Points for a team losing 2-8, 1-9 or 0-10. Position in the Division shall be decided by these points or, in the event of a tie, first by sets average and then by games.

## 20. REGISTRATION OF PLAYERS

- a. All players must be registered with Table Tennis England and have in their possession their individual Membership Number so allowing them to play in the League and Championships.
- b. A Club may register any number of players but no player may be registered for more than one club at the same time.
- c. No player shall play in a league match unless they have been registered two clear days before the match in question

## 21. NOMINATION OF PLAYERS

- a. Players may not play for teams ranked lower than the one for which they are registered. Players may only play twice for a team ranked higher than the one for

# DERBYSHIRE COUNTY CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS

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**9.30am, Draycott TTC**

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which they are registered without prejudice, a third match automatically registers that player for the team for whom the third match was played.

- b. Clubs may apply to the Match Secretary for re-registration once only. Thereafter any request must be made to the Management Committee who will also hear any appeals.
- c. A player may, under exceptional circumstances, be transferred to a lower ranked team but only with the prior approval of the Management Committee. Clubs will need to provide, in writing to the League Secretary, sound reason why permission should be granted.

## 22. TRANSFER OF PLAYERS

A player wishing to transfer his/her registration to another club during the season must obtain the written approval of both clubs involved and must forward them with the application to the Management Committee who will rule on the matter

## 23. FIXTURES

A detailed list of fixtures, with dates, shall be circulated to all affiliated clubs at the pre-season Delegates meeting held no later than 10 days prior to the commencement of the season.

## 24. RE-ARRANGEMENT OF MATCHES

All matches must be played on the dates shown in the handbook. The only circumstances acceptable for a change would be:

- a. Extreme weather conditions.
- b. Loss of venue ie School Holidays etc.

Please note: Matches can be brought forward as long as the Match Secretary is informed and the match is played on the revised date agreed by both Captains.

- c. Following the final week of league matches, teams have two weeks to complete all outstanding matches.

## 25. RACKETS

- a. ALL players must use rackets, the surface of which shall be as stated in Table Tennis England rules. A racket cannot be changed during an individual match unless it is accidentally damaged so badly that it cannot be used.
- b. Only those glues approved by Table Tennis England can be used for applying rubbers to rackets.
- c. Only balls approved by Table Tennis England may be used. This means that from this season the new plastic balls **MUST** be used.

## 26. TIMES OF PLAY

- a. All matches shall commence at 7.00pm, 7.15pm or 7.30pm as specified by the home club before the commencement of the season. At the start time each team must have one player available for continuous play in accordance with the sequence laid down in Rule 18 (b) unless changes to this sequence are agreed by both captains. The playing facilities shall be available for a minimum of three hours.
- b. In the event of a team's late arrival or non-availability of the playing facilities which may result in the match commencing later than the specified time, the waiting team captain may inform the 'late' team captain that in the event of the match being unfinished due to the

venue restriction times, the 'late' team will forfeit the outstanding unplayed matches

## 27. PLAYING FACILITIES

- a. All clubs shall provide suitable accommodation and lighting for all matches. The home team shall provide a new ball of a make currently approved by the ITTF for the start of every match.
- b. A new club joining the Association and having its headquarters outside a 5 mile radius of the City Centre, or an existing club relocating its headquarters, shall provide the League Secretary with a suitable map clearly showing the location. The map will be circulated to team captains or printed in the handbook at the discretion of the Management Committee.

## 28. NOTIFICATION OF RESULTS

The HOME team is responsible for ensuring that the completed result card, duly signed by BOTH team captains, is received by the Match Secretary within 7 days of the match being played.

## 29. CLAIMED MATCHES

As in Rule 19, 3 points will be awarded to the team successfully claiming a match.

## 30. DISPUTED RESULT

When opposing team captains are unable to agree to a result, they should submit a statement to the Match Secretary within 48 hrs and should NOT sign the result card. In the event of the Match Secretary not receiving a statement in the stipulated time or the match result card signed by both team captains, the result indicated on the match result card will stand.

## 31. CHANGE OF CLUB DETAILS

Each club shall be responsible for notifying the Association AND all team Secretaries in their particular Division or Divisions any changes of Club Secretary, Team captains, Playing Headquarters or Home Match Nights. No Club may make a claim in respect of any match or sets therein due to the non-arrival of an opposing team or individual player unless the Secretary of that Club has received a signed confirmation from the opposing team that any changes have been received and duly noted.

## 32. LET FOR WHEELCHAIR PLAY

If the receiver is in a wheelchair due to a physical disability, the rally is a let if:

- a. The ball comes to rest on the receiver's court, or
- b. After touching the receiver's court returns in the direction of the net, or
- c. in singles, leaves the receiver's court after touching it by either of the side-lines. The ball can cross the side-line after one or more bounces. However, in singles play and where the ball is travelling towards the side-line, if the receiver strikes the ball before it crosses a side-line or takes a second bounce on his or her side of the playing surface, the service is considered good and no let is called.

## 33. ROLE OF MATCH SECRETARY

If the Match Secretary becomes aware of an error in a submitted scorecard (League or otherwise) he/she has the right to amend the mistake and alter the result if necessary.

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**INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP REGULATIONS**

**34. ENTRY**

Entry shall be open to all registered players of affiliated clubs.

**35. EVENTS**

Where entries permit there shall be the following events: Open Singles, Ladies Singles, Junior Boys Singles, Junior Girl Singles, Handicap, Over 40 Veterans, Over 60 Veterans, Open Doubles, Ladies Doubles, Mixed Doubles, Junior Doubles, Individual Divisional Singles.

The Management Committee shall have the power to decide whether any event shall be held or whether additional events are justified and to arrange any seeding that may be considered necessary.

**36. SYSTEM OF PLAY**

Each match will be the best of 5 games in which each game shall continue until one player has scored 11 points or have two clear points advantage in the event of a 10 all score line or as otherwise determined by the Management Committee.

**37. DIVISIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Entry shall be open to all registered players of affiliated clubs who have played in a minimum of three League matches for an affiliated club in the current season prior to the closing date for tournament entry and who are registered to play in the division they wish to enter. The system of play will be that outlined in rule 36.

**WALTER REEVES HANDICAP CUP**

**38.** Teams shall be comprised of three players; all must be properly registered and playing for the team in question. Handicaps will be altered as necessary to take account of late player registrations and/or occasional appearances.

**39.** Teams must nominate their players at the start of the match which should then be played in the order indicated on the official score sheet.

**40.** Individual games are played as usual from 0-0 until one player scores 11 even if the score is 11-10 i.e. there are no deuce points.

**41.** In the event of a tie the team with the biggest handicap shall be declared the winner.

**42.** For those rounds for which Cup Weeks have been identified in the League Fixture Programme, MATCH NIGHTS will be assumed to be the HOME TEAMS NORMAL MATCH NIGHT as per the League Fixtures.

**43.** For those rounds for which no cup weeks have been identified in the League programme the HOME TEAM is responsible for arranging the match. They should always offer their opponents at least two choices of dates on which the match could be played.

**44.** Completed result forms, signed by both team captains, must be received by the Competition Organiser within seven days of the official closing date for that round.

**45.** For all matches the winning team will be responsible for notifying the Competition Organiser of the result of that particular match.

**46.** For those rounds for which Cup Weeks have been identified in the League programme, the HOME team will be considered the winners if no result form is received by the Competition Organiser within the prescribed time period.

**47.** For those rounds for which Cup Weeks have not been identified in the League programme, the AWAY team will be considered the winner if no result form is received by the Competition Organiser within the prescribed time period.





**Websites:**

Derby & District Association

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