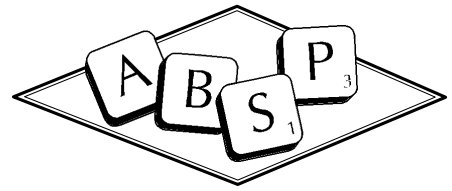


The Association of British Scrabble Players presents

THE 2024 EASTER MATCHPLAY SCRABBLE®CHAMPIONSHIPS



HOLIDAY INN HINCKLEY RD, COVENTRY CV2 2HP

Easter Matchplay Event: Saturday 30th March – Monday 1st April

+ Hansom Warm Up Event Friday 29th March – Saturday 30th March

Venue: Holiday Inn, Hinckley Rd, Coventry CV2 2HP. Close to Junction 2 on M6 and nearest train station is Coventry (around 5 miles).

Format: Open division for 150 rating and above or by choice. Other entrants will be split into two divisions. Pairing format dependent on numbers. Both events will be ABSP and WESPA rated. There is a discount of £5 for doing both events.

Challenges: The open division will be 5pp - all other divisions and the Warm up will be Free Challenge. The event will use self-adjudication throughout (except where players have mobility difficulty).

Hansom Warm Up Event: 10 games over Friday pm/Saturday am. There will be divisions of 10 players playing a Round Robin with KOTH, and if numbers are not divisible by 10 the top division will be larger. If it works better an extra game may be added.

Prize Fund: Estimated prize fund around £900 in A with 30 players, will be proportionally lower for other groups depending on numbers. Estimate of £200 per division in the Warm Up.

Cancellations: If it is necessary for you to cancel, we will attempt to refund the full amount paid, however this cannot be guaranteed at short notice and a small administration cost may be levied.

Accommodation: Accommodation is a short walking distance from the playing area and dining room. Please indicate if you require a ground floor room.

Extra Nights : £120 B&B single (£66pp sharing B&B) add £25pp for dinner.

Playing area: The playing area for both events is the Century Suite. Playing space is not limited for the warm up this year

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Retain the top of this form for reference and send this part, duly completed (both sides), to:

Wayne Kelly (Easter) 17 Cossack Avenue, Warrington, WA2 9PB

Phone Wayne on 07773 027274 or email waynekelly74@aol.com

Cheques payable to 'ABSP'

To pay direct to the bank, the account number for Easter Entry payments is Bank Sort Code 77-76-25 A/C No. 75279668 adding your name for reference AND email Wayne with your requirements

Please give an email address for confirmation or send SAE (9"x4") to receive by post.

Closing date for entries is March 25th.

CONTACT NAME : _____

ADDRESS : _____

_____ PHONE _____

CLUB _____ EMAIL _____

If sharing - with whom _____

EASTER MATCHPLAY

HANSOM WARM UP

FRIDAY

Registration -

12.30 - 13.15

13:30 Round 1

14:30 Round 2

15:30 Round 3

From 16:30 <break>

16:40 Round 4

17:40 Round 5

From 18:30 <dinner>

19.45 Round 6

20.45 Round 7

SATURDAY

09.15 Round 8

10.15 Round 9

11.20 Round 10

12.30 Presentation of Warm Up

From 12:45 <lunch>

EASTER MATCHPLAY EVENT

SATURDAY

Registration -13:30-14:15

14:30 Round 1

15:30 Round 2

From 16:30 <break>

16:40 Round 3

17:40 Round 4

From 18:30 <dinner>

19:45 Round 5

20:45 Round 6

SUNDAY

09:15 Round 7

10:15 Round 8

From 11:00 <break>

11:25 Round 9

12.25 Round 10

From 13.15 <lunch>

14:10 Round 11

15.10 Round 12

SUNDAY Cont'd

From 16:10 <break>

16:25 Round 13

17:25 Round 14

From 18:30 <dinner>

19:45 Round 15

20:45 Round 16

MONDAY

09:15 Round 17

10:15 Round 18

From 11.00 <break>

11:25 Round 19

12:25 Round 20

from 13.15<lunch>

14.10 Round 21

15.10 Round 22

16.15 Round 23

17:25 Prizegiving

17:35 Departure

Registration from 13:30 on Saturday (12.30 Friday): All players MUST have registered for the main event by 14.15. (13.15 Friday)

Residents : includes en suite accommodation with breakfast and all meals mentioned in the timetable (Saturday lunch only for those playing on Friday). Lunch – working lunch or 2 course buffet/ Evening meal – 3 courses.

Non-residents: All meals are included except breakfast. (Friday players are entitled to Saturday lunch)

Tea and Coffee : This will be unlimited.



Accommodation	Single	Double	Non-Resident	Non-ABSP Member	Total £
Easter Warm Up Event	£130	£110	£95	£2	
Easter Matchplay Main Event (Please indicate Open/RR)	£280	£245	£215	£5	
Discount for both events (-£5)					
Total					

ABSP Membership: Membership for 2023 is £25 for paper copy of OnBoard/£12.50 for Online version (cheques payable to ABSP). If you would like to join, or to receive further information, please write to the Membership Secretary, Nuala O'Rourke, 22 Kestrel Road, Oakham, Rutland, LE15 6BU or contact by email via orourke114@btinternet.com.

Vegetarian option / food allergies/ room requirements (please list here):

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