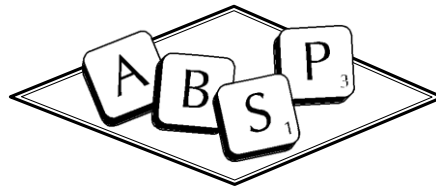


The Association of British Scrabble Players presents

THE 2019 EASTER MATCHPLAY SCRABBLE®CHAMPIONSHIPS



COLLEGE COURT CONFERENCE CENTRE, KNIGHTON ROAD, LEICESTER LE2 3UF
Easter Matchplay Event: Saturday 20th April – Monday 22nd April
+ Knighton Day Warm Up Event Friday 19th April – Saturday 20th April

Venue: College Court Conference Centre, Knighton Road, Leicester LE2 3UF. Close to Junction 21 on M1 (and J3 M69), and nearest train station is Leicester (around 1.4 miles).

Format: Groups of 12 playing a double round robin with KOTH over 23 games. If numbers are not divisible by 12 the larger group will be the top division, which will then operate on an initial round robin basis then lagged Swiss pairings until last 3 rounds of Chew pairings. Both events will be ABSP and WESPA rated.

Challenges: All divisions in both events will be Free Challenge as there is not a choice of which division you will be in. The event will use self-adjudication throughout (except where players have mobility difficulty).

Knighton Day 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.

Prize Fund: Estimated prize fund around £600 per division. £200 per division in the Warm Up. Some of this will be funded by the ABSP.

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 blocks are within a short walking distance from the playing area and dining room. There are, however, no lifts so please indicate if you require a ground floor room and these will be allocated on a needs basis.

Playing area: The playing area is on the first floor accessible by stairs and a lift. The refreshment area is on the ground floor, though there are a few steps, there is also a lift for the few steps. Playing space is limited to 48 players.

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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 April 12th.

CONTACT NAME : _____

ADDRESS : _____

_____ PHONE _____

CLUB _____ EMAIL _____

If sharing - with whom _____

KNIGHTON DAY WARM UP

EASTER MATCHPLAY EVENT

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>

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: All players MUST have registered for the main event by 14.15.

Residents : includes en suite accommodation with breakfast and all meals mentioned in the timetable (Saturday lunch only for those playing on Friday) – Lunches – 2 courses (starter and main) Evening Meal – 2 courses (main and dessert)

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

Tea and Coffee : This will be available all through the event, along with cake bites and fruit.

Extra Nights : Please contact me by email if extra nights are required.

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Accommodation	Single	Double	Non-Resident	Non-ABSP Member	Total £
Knighton Day Warm Up Event	£123	£102	£75	£2	
Easter Matchplay Main Event	£241	£205	£163	£5	
Total					

ABSP Membership: Membership for 2019 is £15 (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):