

**Mike O'Rourke Memorial Tournament and Warm Up Events
organised under the auspices of the
East Midland Scrabble Club**

This is a charity event – any profit from the event/s and all proceeds from the raffle will be sent to the Bone Marrow Unit in Leicester Royal Infirmary.

DATES: Warm Up Saturday 09 November 2018
Main Event Sunday 10 November 2018
VENUE: The Urban Hotel, Grantham
FORMAT: Warm Up - 7 games
Main Event – 8 games

of ABSP rated free challenge match play Scrabble, based on wins and spread format.

Division A is open, players rated 151+ must play in A. Division B is open to anyone 150 or under. Division C is open to anyone 115 and under. (The organiser reserves the right to amend division boundaries depending on entries). Standard rules, 25mins per player per game. Latest ABSP ratings used.

REGISTRATION: Warm Up 9.00 – 9.30am
Main Event 9.00 – 9.15am
Game 1: Warm up 9.45am
Main Event 9.30am
Departure before 6pm

To ensure the smooth running of the events on each day, it is essential that players arrive on time. In the event of any delays please phone the Emergency number **07513 408181**. Any players who are late, and have not made contact will not be included.

PRIZES: Cash prizes plus ratings prize. The overall winner of the main event will receive the Mike O'Rourke Memorial trophy.

REFRESHMENTS: A Lunch of sandwiches and chips is included on each day. (please do not consume own food in the hotel).

There will be tea or coffee available each morning; tea coffee and cake each afternoon.

RAFFLE: There will be a raffle on Sunday – raffle tickets may be purchased up to the end of lunch time on Sun.

COST: ABSP members £30.00 per day Non-members £32.00 per day.

ABSP members entering on both days may pay £55. Non-members £60.

Entrants are expected to bring and be prepared to lend Scrabble playing equipment and clock, if you cannot then add £1 to the total.

ACCOMMODATION: Dinner, Bed & Breakfast may be booked @ £60 per person per night (subject to availability). Twin/double rooms are available at £100 per night (ie £50 per person sharing). Dinner menu will be available before event.

Closing date for entries: 27th October 2019. Entries may be taken after the closing date if spaces are available.

Entries may be made by email to orourke114@btinternet.com Payment should be sent via bank transfer to Lloyds Bank, Account Name: Nuala O'Rourke; Sort Code 309156 Account no 01383093
Alternatively cheques may be made payable to Nuala O'Rourke and sent to 22 Kestrel Road, Oakham, Rutland, LE15 6BU. Please include SAE if you require postal confirmation.

Name
Address
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Phone Email

Attending: Warm-Up / Main Event / Both ABSP Member? YES/NO Equipment & Clock? YES/NO
Warm up - Division A / B / C Main event – Division A / B / C
(please select more than one if you're happy to be a floater)
Accommodation required for (please indicate days required). Fri / Sat / Sun
Sharing with..... (twin / double).

Dietary requirements

I enclose a cheque for £

Note that organisers reserve the right to refuse entries and to place unrated players at their discretion.

o To join ABSP please send a cheque for £15 (payable ABSP) to Nuala O'Rourke, 22 Kestrel Road, Oakham, LE15 6BU.

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