

## Liberty tournament 2024 – organised by Romford Scrabble Club

### 7 ABSP Rated games.

**DATE:** 19<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**VENUE:** Gidea Park Methodist Church, 398 Brentwood Road, Gidea park, Essex, RM2 6DH

**TRAVEL:** Gidea Park station on the Elizabeth Line is a 5-minute walk away.

There is some parking at the playing venue (about 15 cars till 17:30pm) and limited street parking nearby.

**ACCESSIBILITY:** The venue is accessible to wheelchair users and Gidea Park Station has lifts on the platforms.

**COST:** The entry fee is £20. Non ABSP members £22. We are limiting numbers to 60 maximum and require **full payment** to secure entry on the database. If you have attended previously, you will appreciate that this event tends to book up quickly!

**REFRESHMENTS:** will be available throughout the day on a self-serve basis. Lunch is not included. However, there are pubs, shops and cafes nearby.

**PRIZES:** Cash prizes for top 3 in each group, plus ratings prizes. There will be spot prizes throughout the event on the theme: Halloween.

**FORMAT:** 7 games ABSP rated — 25 minutes per person per game.

Division A will be an **OPEN DIVISION** with 5 POINT PENALTY PER WORD. Players with a rating of 145 and above will be in Division A. All other divisions will be FREE CHALLENGE. Please let us know in advance if you wish to play up in A.

**PAYMENT:** Please pay by bank transfer using these details.

Account name: Romford Scrabble Club    Sort Code: 30-97-13    Account no: 03999095

Please use your surname as the payment reference and text Derek Bower (tel: 07940 040798) to confirm receipt.

Alternatively make cheques made payable to Romford Scrabble Club and post them to Derek Bower, Flat 19 Churchgate, 560 London Road, SS0 9HS.

Full payment by 10<sup>th</sup> October 2024 but please be aware that the event will be first come, first served! Please note that the organisers reserve the right to refuse applications for entry, to change the size of the playing groups as necessary and to place unrated players at their discretion.

**TIMETABLE:** Registration 08.15— 09:00. First game starts promptly at 09:00. We start early as prizegiving must be completed by 17:15.

### SATURDAY

GAME 1        9:00-10:00

GAME 2        10:00-11:00

GAME 3        11:00 – 12:00

GAME 4        12:00-13:00

Lunch 13.00-13.30

GAME 5 13:30 – 14:30

GAME 6 14:30-15:30

GAME 7 15.30-16.30

**Prizes - 16:45 – 17:15**

**PLAYER DETAILS:** please send the following information to [fazilez@hotmail.com](mailto:fazilez@hotmail.com)

Name..... Telephone ..... Email  
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ABSP member ..... YES/NO ABSP membership no .....

Can you bring playing equipment ..... YES/ NO

(Players are asked to ensure that all playing equipment is in a clean condition)

Emergency contact name and tel. no (in case of emergencies) .....

If you are unable to attend or are likely to be late it is imperative that you contact Derek Bower (tel: 07940 040798)

as soon as possible.

GENERAL INFO : Fazile Zahir (Faz) tel: 07553 509550 email: [fazilez@hotmail.com](mailto:fazilez@hotmail.com)

Emergencies on the day: Derek Bower (tel: 07940 040798)

ABSP Membership: Membership for 2024 is CURRENTLY £10 for online membership. If you would like to join, or to receive further information, please write to the Membership Secretary, Nuala O'Rourke, Membership Secretary, 22 Kestrel Road, Oakham ,Rutland LE15 6BU or join by Paypal on [www.ahsp.org.uk](http://www.ahsp.org.uk)

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