

# Devon County Badminton Association



## 59<sup>th</sup> DEVON RESTRICTED BADMINTON TOURNAMENT

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2014

**Torquay Town Hall**  
Castle Circus, Torquay, TQ1 3DR

Men's singles (including plate event)	Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> September 2014
Ladies singles (including plate event)	Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> September 2014
Men's doubles (including plate event)	Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2014
Ladies doubles (including plate event)	Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2014
Mixed doubles (including plate event)	Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2014

*All start times to be notified nearer the time*

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**Entries Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014**

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### TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. The Tournament will be run by Devon County Badminton Association in accordance with the Tournament Regulations of Badminton England
2. Tournament planner software will be used.
3. Entries must be made on the official form and must be received by the Tournament Secretary listed on the prospectus cover, with entry fees, by the stated closing date. BOTH doubles partners MUST submit an entry form. Competitors seeking a partner must enter 'Partner Wanted' in the "Partners Name" section but do so knowing they may be paired with a player of unknown standard/ability. Illegible or incomplete entries may be ignored.
4. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to refuse entries without assigning any reason and will seed all level events. The Committee also reserves the right to restrict the number of entries in each event. If entries are oversubscribed, late entries will not be accepted. The Committee reserves the right to use their discretion in selection and seeding, to limit entries in any particular event, or alter or modify the programme in any way it sees fit, if it is in the interest of the tournament or where standard of competitors is not known. Its decisions on all matters shall be final. In all cases, Badminton England Tournaments regulations will be followed.
5. Rally points scoring shall be used throughout, as outlined within the Laws of Badminton. In games where setting is allowed, at 20 all, the side gaining a 2 point lead first shall win that game. At 29 all, the side scoring the 30th point wins that game. The period for knocking up before any match shall not exceed THREE minutes. An interval not exceeding 60 seconds shall be permitted when the leading score reaches 11 points in each game. An interval not exceeding TWO minutes is also permitted between games.
6. Competitors must be prepared to play at the times stated for the commencement of each event. Competitors must report to the Tournament Desk immediately upon arrival, and must not leave the hall without Tournament Desk permission, until otherwise eliminated from all events. ANY COMPETITORS NOT READY TO PLAY WHEN CALLED UPON WILL BE LIABLE TO BE SCRATCHED AND/OR PENALISED.
7. Play shall not take place on days other than those sanctioned and no competitor shall be obliged to commence a match before the stated times but finish times cannot be guaranteed. Any competitor who is not prepared to play outside these times of play shall be entitled to a refund of their entry fee.
8. Clothing must be acceptable and its suitability, within the Badminton ENGLAND regulations, will be at the discretion of the Tournament Referee.
9. Yonex 30 feather shuttles will be used throughout the tournament.
10. Entry fees are £11 per person per doubles event and £11 per person per singles event.
11. Devon County Badminton Association is committed to providing equal treatment for all its members, associated members, prospective members, guests and prospective guests in compliance with the Equality Act 2010. By entering this tournament you agree to comply with Badminton England's Equality and Diversity Policy. A copy of the policy can be downloaded from the Badminton England website.

#### 12. **CONDITIONS OF PLAY:**

- (a) Except in the case of a player's first match, the time of which should have been notified to them, the Referee must give at least 10 minutes notice of his intention to put a player on court. Every player is entitled to at least 20 minutes break after any best of three singles match, and at least 10 minutes break after any best of three doubles match. These periods are inclusive of the 10 minutes' notice period referred to above. No one should be expected to play more than three singles best of three matches after 5.00 pm.
  - (b) The competition shall be of a Knockout basis with a consolation knockout event for those players that lose their first game. All matches shall be the best of 3 games to 21 points using the rally point scoring system as detailed in rule 6. The consolation event may be reduced to one game to 21 points if time is an issue.
  - (c) Under 13 players, i.e players born after 1<sup>st</sup> January 2002 shall not be allowed to enter.
  - (d) Players will be eligible to play in the Devon Restricted by being affiliated to a Devon club and/or by the same rules as determined by Badminton England for County player
  - (e) Should you need to withdraw, you must contact the Tournament Secretary. Competitors prevented from playing by illness or injury, or other unforeseen cause, shall have entry fees returned in full provided only that at least 36 hours' notice is given. No refund is due if withdrawal is made within 36 hours of the start of the tournament. Withdrawal during the Tournament must be notified to the Tournament Secretary.
13. **SUBSTITUTIONS:** Only genuine cases will be considered and all applications must be made to the secretary 15 minutes prior to the pair being due on court. All entries received WITHOUT named partners and NOT paired before the draw will be entered on the reserve list.
  14. Entry is at the competitor's own risk and by signing the entry form the competitor will imply the acceptance of the above conditions and notes listed on page 3 of the entry form. All competitors, or their guardians, undertake that to the best of their knowledge that the competitor is healthy to compete.
  15. ALL ENTRIES SHALL BE NOTIFIED OF START TIMES BY EMAIL. IF YOU WISH TO BE NOTIFIED BY POST YOU MUST ENCLOSE A STAMP ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH YOUR ENTRY FORM
  16. Perpetual Trophies will be presented to the winners of each event but will remain the property of the DEVON COUNTY BADMINTON ASSOCIATION and must be returned before the start of the next tournament. It is a condition of entry that all trophy winners are responsible for having the trophies engraved and returning them to the tournament the following year. Please return all Perpetual Trophies to the Tournament Desk by the end of tournament.

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## ENTRY FORM

### 59th Devon Restricted Badminton Tournament

This form together with entry fees must be sent to the Tournament Secretary, by the closing date shown on page 1. Please keep a record of what events have been entered.

#### PERSONAL DETAILS ENTRY DETAILS

Surname:..... Forename:..... Date of Birth:.....

Male  BE Membership Number: 

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Female  County you have or currently represent & level (e.g Juniors, Seniors or Vets): .....

Club you play for: .....

Address:.....

Postcode:..... Email:.....

Telephone - Home:..... Mobile:.....

#### ENTRY DETAILS

Event	Entry Please tick to enter	Enter partner's name IN CAPITALS	Entry Fee £11 pp per event
Men's singles	<input type="checkbox"/>		£
Ladies singles	<input type="checkbox"/>		£
Men's doubles	<input type="checkbox"/>		£
Ladies doubles	<input type="checkbox"/>		£
Mixed doubles	<input type="checkbox"/>		£
<b>TOTAL</b> cheques payable to "Devon County Badminton Association"			£

#### COMPETITOR DECLARATION

By signing below you confirm that all details are correct, all conditions of entry have been met; and that you are fit and well to compete in this tournament.

Name of competitor:.....

Date:..... Signature:.....

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