

SITTINGBOURNE & DISTRICT TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

**ANNUAL CLOSED TOURNAMENTS**

**NEW HOUSE SPORTS & LEISURE CENTRE, SITTINGBOURNE**

**JUNIOR EVENTS - SATURDAY 21<sup>st</sup> APRIL 2012**

**SENIOR EVENTS - SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> APRIL 2012**

Closing date:- Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2012

Spectators welcome

AVAILABILITY OF REFRESHMENTS WILL BE ADVISED LATER

**Special offer**

*Enter at least three events and get your entry in before closing date and receive one entry FREE*

**TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

1. Entry forms – with fees – should be sent to Peter Millington, 2 Cedar Close, Sittingbourne, ME10 4JU not later than 4<sup>th</sup> March 2012.
2. Cheques should be made payable to 'Sittingbourne & District Table Tennis Association'
3. The maximum number of events that may be entered is 5, however, some dispensation may be allowed for Women's events.
4. All players should report to the organiser's table on arrival

**All players are welcome to enter, subject to the qualifying number of games being played. But please don't let this deter you from entering, if you are a bone fide Sittingbourne Association player we will do our utmost to let you play, subject to Committee agreement.**

Provisional Timetables

Junior Events		Senior Events	
		08:30	Doors open for registration
09:00	Doors open for registration	09:00	Commence Combined Singles Groups
09:15	Commence Junior Boys S	10:00	Commence Mens Doubles
		11:30	Commence all other events
Finals will be played when possible, but ensuring a staged event			

## TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS SENIOR TOURNAMENTS

1. If a player who enters, either fails to attend the tournaments without giving notice of his/hers intentions, or leaves before completing his/her matches, then it should be understood that this person could be barred from future tournaments. Should any player withdraw for any reason from an event after commencement of that event, he/she shall then be automatically withdrawn from all other events in that tournament.
2. Each entrant must have played at least 5 matches in the Winter League or Team Tournament during the current season by 4<sup>th</sup> March 2012, unless in the opinion of the Committee he/she is a bone fide member of a club and has been unable to play the required number of games owing to special circumstances – *Please state circumstances, if any in lines below*

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3. The veterans evens are open to players of either sex who were 40 years of age or over on 1.1.12.
4. For 'Doubles' events indicate the name of your *Partner*, if partner is required state 'WANTED'.
5. **No 'glueing-up' is permitted in any part of the building; infringement will result in automatic disqualification from the tournaments.**
6. All players should report to the organiser's table upon arrival.
7. All matches will be the best of 5 games, 11 up, unless otherwise stated. Play throughout will be on a knockout basis with the exception of preliminary rounds, which may be on a group basis. In exceptional circumstances play will be in the form of a Round Robin.
8. All players who lose a match are to remain at the table to umpire the next match, unless given permission to leave by the top table.
9. At the end of each match the score card should be returned swiftly to the top table, together with clipboard – the ball should be left with the table.
10. Points not covered by these regulations, or by the full tournament rules as detailed in the Rule Book, shall be decided by the Tournament Organiser whose decision shall be final.

**REMEMBER – Closing date is Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March and the Special Offer expires on that date**

### *PLEASE NOTE – CONSOLATION SINGLES*

*This event is for First Division players only, who are knocked out at the Group stage of the Combined Singles Event*

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### Senior Tournament Entry Form

Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS using a ballpoint pen. A separate entry form must be used by each player and sent to the organiser: Peter Millington, 2 Cedar Close, Sittingbourne, ME10 4JU not later than 4<sup>th</sup> **March 2012**.

Full Name -----  
 Address -----  
 Telephone ----- Date of Birth -----  
 Mobile ----- Club -----  
 E-mail address -----

Please enter me for:		Event fee	Amount Enclosed
1. Combined Singles		£3.00	
2. Womens Singles		£3.00	
3. Veterans Singles		£3.00	
4. Divisional Singles ( <i>not Div 1</i> )	<i>Division:</i>	£3.00	
5. Mens Doubles	<i>Partner:</i>	£3.00	
6. Womens Doubles	<i>Partner:</i>	£3.00	
7. Mixed Doubles	<i>Partner:</i>	£3.00	
8. Veterans Doubles	<i>Partner:</i>	£3.00	
Cheques payable to: Sittingbourne & District Table Tennis Association		Total Enclosed	£

#### MAXIMUM ENTRY – 5 EVENTS

I agree to abide by the tournament rules, regulations and understand that the decision of the Referee/Organiser shall be final  
Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**REMEMBER – Closing date is Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March and the Special Offer expires on that date**

## TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS JUNIOR TOURNAMENTS

1. If a player who enters, either fails to attend the tournaments without giving notice of his/hers intentions, or leaves before completing his/her matches, then it should be understood that this person could be barred from future tournaments. Should any player withdraw for any reason from an event after commencement of that event, he/she shall then be automatically withdrawn from all other events in that tournament.
  2. Each entrant must have played at least 5 matches in the Winter League, Team Tournament, Summer League or Junior League during the 12 months prior to 4<sup>th</sup> March 2012 or reside or attend school in the Swale Borough unless in the opinion of the Committee he/she is a bone fide member of a club and has been unable to play the required number of games owing to special circumstances – *Please state circumstances, if any in lines below*
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3. For each event the age qualification is under 17, 15, 13 or 11 as the case maybe on 1.1.12.
4. For 'Doubles' events indicate the name of your *Partner*, if partner is required state 'WANTED'.
5. **No 'glueing-up' is permitted in any part of the building; infringement will result in automatic disqualification from the tournaments.**
6. All players should report to the organiser's table upon arrival.
7. All matches will be the best of 5 games, 11 up, unless otherwise stated. Play throughout will be on a knockout basis with the exception of preliminary rounds, which may be on a group basis. In exceptional circumstances play will be in the form of a Round Robin.
8. All players who lose a match are to remain at the table to umpire the next match, unless given permission to leave by the top table.
9. At the end of each match the scorecard should be returned swiftly to the top table, together with clipboard – the ball should be left with the table.
10. Points not covered by these regulations, or by the full tournament rules as detailed in the Rule Book, shall be decided by the Tournament Organiser whose decision shall be final.

**For JIMMY MANNOOCH TROPHY special qualification rules apply**

1. Open to players of either sex under the age of 15 (*as defined above*)
2. Who have not previously won any tournament
3. Who do not play in the league in a division other than the lowest division
4. Have entered in at least one other event in the current Junior Tournaments.

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### Junior Tournament Entry Form

Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS using a ballpoint pen.

A separate entry form must be used by each player and sent to the organiser: Peter Millington, 2 Cedar Close, Sittingbourne, ME10 4JU not later than 4<sup>th</sup> **March 2012**.

Full Name -----  
 Address -----  
 Telephone ----- Date of Birth -----  
 Mobile ----- Club or School -----  
 E-mail address -----

Please enter me for:		Event fee	Amount enclosed
1.	Junior Boys Singles (Under 17) <i>open to all players</i>	£1.00	
2.	Junior Girls Singles (Under 17) <i>open to all players</i>	£1.00	
3.	Under 15 Boys Singles	£1.00	
4.	Under 15 Girls Singles	£1.00	
5.	Under 13 Singles	£1.00	
6.	Under 11 Singles	£1.00	
7.	Junior Doubles <i>Partner:</i>	£1.00	
8.	Under 15 Doubles <i>Partner:</i>	£1.00	
9. JIMMY MANNOOCH TROPHY		FREE	
Cheques payable to: Sittingbourne & District Table Tennis Association		Total Enclosed	£

**MAXIMUM ENTRY – 5 EVENTS**

I agree to abide by the tournament rules, regulations and understand that the decision of the Referee/Organiser shall be final

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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