
IRISH TENPIN
BOWLING
ASSOCIATION



28th ANNUAL SENIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Leisureplex Charlestown

Thursday 25th - Sunday 28th January 2024

COMPETITORS' INFORMATION PACK

at 19th January 2024

ITBA Senior Sub-Committee

Chairman:	Joe Ridgeway
Treasurer:	Peter Murphy
Committee Members:	Maeve O'Reilly
	Ken O'Reilly
	Pat Holmes

OIL Pattern : Main Street V2 - 41ft

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Lineage: €5.00 per game Entry Fee: €20 per person

Tournament Rules

1. The Tournament is sanctioned by the ITBA and the ITBA general playing and tournament rules will apply.
2. All Bowlers must be current members of the ITBA and must be prepared to produce their membership card when registering to bowl.
3. Throughout the tournament all bowlers must wear a shirt with their name clearly marked on the back.
4. Women must wear skirts, shorts, skorts, sports leggings or plain-coloured slacks/tracksuit bottoms.
5. Men must wear plain-coloured slacks or plain-coloured tracksuit bottoms.
6. All bowling balls must be registered prior to the start of the Tournament.
7. Registration will close 10 minutes before bowling is due to commence. Bowlers arriving late will not be allowed to bowl and cannot be moved to another squad.
8. A provisional ball shall be rolled in the case of any dispute which cannot be resolved immediately.
9. Any complaint must be made in writing to the Tournament Committee within 30 minutes of the end of the squad in which the issue in question occurred.
10. The Tournament Committee will be Joe Ridgeway, Peter Murphy, Maeve O'Reilly, Ken O'Reilly, and Pat Holmes and their decision on all matters will be final.
11. Bowlers must comply with Sport Ireland anti-doping rules in line with the World Anti-Doping Policy and will not be permitted to smoke or consume alcohol during any of the bowling events.
12. Coaching in the bowlers' area is not permitted during tournament play.
13. Bowlers are reminded that they must be ready to bowl when it is their turn, one lane courtesy being observed on either side.
14. Mobile phones must be switched to silent mode during play.

This Tournament is a Scratch and Handicap event and medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd places in both Scratch and Handicap sections.

- The Scratch medal winners will be awarded first, based on scratch scores, and the Handicap medals will be awarded from the remaining Bowlers/Teams based on handicap scores.
- A scratch score will win a medal in the handicap section if that bowler/team score is higher than one that includes a handicap.
- High Game medals (man and woman) will be awarded for highest game (including Mixed Doubles).
- The top male and female bowler on handicap score, who do not qualify for the scratch Masters, will hold the Bernard Groves Memorial trophies for one year.
- In the event of a tied situation at any stage in the Championships, highest last game (scratch) will prevail.
- The winner of the ladies scratch singles will hold the Elspeth Gailey Memorial trophy for one year and the winner of the men's scratch singles will hold the Larry O'Leary Memorial trophy for one year.
- Ranking Points will be awarded based on 60 points for Ladies and Men, progressing down to 4 points, for the combined total scratch pinfall from the Singles, Doubles and Trios events.
- Ranking Points will only be awarded to those who bowl in all three main events, i.e. Singles, Doubles and Trios (there are no ranking points for the Mixed Doubles). Special consideration will be given to bowlers, in extenuating circumstances, who cannot compete in all the events (e.g. due to hospitalisation, injury, bereavement).
- No ranking points will be awarded to bowlers who do not have their name clearly marked on the back of their shirt.

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Schedule

Thursday 25th Jan		Check in	Start
All Mixed Doubles (3 games) 1 x Gents Doubles (4 Games)	Thursday 25th Jan	6.30 – 6.50pm	7pm

Friday 26th Jan.		Check in	Start
All Ladies Doubles (4 games) 3 x Gents Trios (3 games)	Friday 26th Jan.	6.30 – 6.50pm	7pm

Saturday 27th Jan			
16 x Gents Doubles (4 games)	Saturday 27th Jan.	7:30 to 7:50am	8:00am
Lane Maintenance 10:00 am to 11:00 am			
All Ladies Singles (5 games) 2 x Gents Doubles (4 Games)	Saturday 27th Jan.	10:30 to 10:50am	11:00am
All Doubles Medal Presentations and Lane Maintenance 1:15 pm to 2:15			
Gents Singles (5 games)	Saturday 27th Jan.	1.45 to 2.05pm	2:15pm

Sunday 28th Jan.			
11 x Gents Trios and 5 x Ladies Trios (3 games)	Sunday 28th Jan.	8:00 to 8:20am	8.30am

Trios Medal Presentations and Lane Maintenance 11.30 – 12.30pm

Masters Finals Top 8 Men & 6 Ladies Round Robin (scratch)	Sunday 28th Jan.	12.10 to 12.25pm	12.30 p.m.
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Singles, All Events and Masters Medal Presentations Sunday 28th 3pm approximately

Lane Assignments

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25th 2024, 7pm

Event	Date	Check in	Start
All Mixed Doubles (3 games) 1 x Gents Doubles (4 games)	Thursday 25th Jan.	6:30pm to 6:50pm	7:00pm

Lane	Mixed Doubles (no lane moves)	
1	Margaret McConkey	Liam O'Rafferty
2	Maeve O'Reilly	Ken O'Reilly
3	Dymphna Kestell	Paddy Dunne
4	Kathleen Lyons ??	Vacant
5	Lorraine Keane	Ken Foley
6	Pat Holmes	Peter Tuohy
7	Theresa Watts	Philip Watts
8	Treasa Whelan	John R Wilson
9	Stephen Ekermans	Ursula Ekermans
10	Elaine Lalor	Liam Hogan
11	Anita Watts	Nickey O'Malley
12	Fergal Mcloughlin	Roisin Cloake
	Mens doubles overflow 4 games	Move 2 lanes to the right after each game – lanes 13 -16 only
13	Shay Kelly	Peter Murphy

FRIDAY, 26th JANUARY, 2024 7pm

Event	Date	Check in	Start
Ladies Doubles (4 games) Within block of lanes 1 – 8 3 x Gents Trios (3 Games) Within block of lanes 9 - 13	Friday 26th Jan.	6.30 – 6.50pm	7pm

Ladies Teams move 2 lanes to the right after each game (Block 1 -8)

Lane	Ladies Doubles		
1	Maeve O'Reilly	Roisin Cloake	
2	Elaine Lalor	Dymphna Kestell	
3	Pat Holmes	Lorraine Keane	
4	Kathleen Lyons	Berni Moriarty	
5	Margaret McConkey	Mary Heffernan	
6	<i>Vacant</i>	<i>Vacant</i>	
7	Anita Watts	Theresa Watts	
8	Theresa Watts	Ursula Ekermans	
	Gents Trios overflow 3 games	Move 2 lanes right after each game. Lanes 9 – 13 only	
9	Shay Kelly	Liam O'Rafferty	Jim Finnerty
11	Rodney Peacock O'Neill	Joe Ridgeway	Ken O'Reilly
13	Stephen Ekermans	Michael Ridgeway	Nickey O'Malley

SATURDAY, 27th JANUARY, 2024 8am

Event	Date	Check in	Start
16 x Gents Doubles (4 games) Lanes 1 to 16	Saturday 27th Jan.	7:30am to 7:50am	8:00am

Teams move 6 lanes to the right after each game

Lane	Gents Doubles	
1	Haulie Storan	Paul Stott
2	Paddy Kilduff	Tommy Nolan
3	Ray Bergin	Jim Donagh
4	Paddy Gibbons	Terry Bride
5	Christy Scully	Des Vella
6	Michael Ridgeway	Brendan Long
7	Paul Molphy	Philip Watts
8	Darryl Egan	Ken Foley
9	Ken O'Reilly	Patrick Kemmy
10	Paolo Di Tofano	Kieran Shortt
11	Paddy Dunne	Tommy Fetherston
12	John R Wilson	Johan Britz
13	Fergal Mcloughlin	Alan McDonnell
14	Stephen Ekermans	Jim Finnerty
15	Liam Hogan	P.J. Shine
16	Liam O'Rafferty	Brian Dagger

SATURDAY, 27th JANUARY 2024 11am

Event	Date	Check in	Start
Ladies Singles (5 games) Within block of lanes 1 to 10 2 2 x Gents Doubles (4 games) Lanes 13 – 16	Saturday 27th Jan.	10:30am to 10:50am	11.00am

Ladies move 2 lanes to the right after each game (block 1 -10)

Lane	Ladies Singles 5 games	
1	Berni Moriarty	
2	Anita Watts	
2	Kathleen Lyons	
3	Theresa Watts	
4	Margaret McConkey	
4	Theresa Watts	
5	Lorraine Keane	
6	Elaine Lalor	
6	Mary Heffernan	
7	Pat Holmes	
8	Maeve O'Reilly	
8	Dymphna Kestell	
9	Ursula Ekermans	
10	Roisin Cloake	
	Gents Doubles overflow 4 games	Move 2 lanes right after each game Lanes 13 – 16 only
13	Paddy Doyle	Peter Tuohy
15	Rodney Peacock O'Neill	Joe Ridgeway

SATURDAY, 27th JANUARY 2024 2.15pm

Event	Date	Check in	Start
Gents Singles - 5 games – Lanes 1 to 16	Saturday 27th Jan.	1.45 to 2:05pm	2:15pm

Bowlers move 6 lanes to the right after each game

Lane	Gents Singles
1	Jim Donagh
1	Liam O'Rafferty
2	Des Vella
2	Paolo Di Tofano
2	Philip Watts
3	Stephen Ekermans
3	John R Wilson
4	Liam Hogan
4	P.J. Shine
5	Jim Finnerty
5	Christy Scully
6	Ray Bergin
6	Brendan Long
6	Alan McDonnell
7	Fergal Mcloughlin
7	Terry Bride
8	Tommy Fetherston
8	Peter Murphy
9	Patrick Kemmy
9	Johan Britz
10	Ken Foley
10	Rodney Peacock O'Neill
10	Tommy Nolan
11	Haulie Storan
11	Paul Molphy
12	Kieran Shortt
12	Shay Kelly
13	Ken O'Reilly
13	Joe Ridgeway
14	Peter Tuohy
14	Paul Stott
14	Michael Ridgeway
15	Paddy Dunne
15	Brian Dagger
16	Paddy Gibbons
16	Paddy Kilduff

SUNDAY 28th JANUARY 2024 8.30am

Event	Date	Check in	Start
Ladies & Gents Trios (3 games) Lanes 1 - 16	Sunday 28th Jan.	8.00 am to 8.20 am	8.30 am

All Bowlers move 6 lanes to the right after each game Lanes 1 - 16

Lane	Gents Trios		
1	P.J.Shine	Peter Murphy	Liam Hogan
2	Haulie Storan	Philip Watts	Ken Foley
3	John R Wilson	Johan Britz	Paul Stott
4	Paolo Di Tofano	Kieran Shortt	Vacant
5	Paddy Doyle	Peter Tuohy	Brendan Long
6	Fergal Mcloughlin	Alan McDonnell	Paul Molphy
7	Tommy Nolan	Joe O'Connor	Paddy Kilduff
8	Jim Donagh	Philip Lyons	Ray Bergin
9	Paddy Dunne	Vacant	Tommy Fetherston
10	Paddy Gibbons	Terry Bride	Brian Dagger
11	Christy Scully	Des Vella	Patrick Kemmy
12	Margaret McConkey	Maeve O'Reilly	Dymphna Kestell
13	Anita Watts	Mary Heffernan	Theresa Watts
14	Elaine Lalor	Kathleen Lyons	Berni Moriarty
15	Pat Holmes	Roisin Cloake	Lorraine Keane
16	Ursula Ekermans	Treasa Whelan	Aine Lebioda

**The Masters Round Robin Finals
will start at approximately 12.30 p.m. Sunday 28th January, 2024
for the Top 8 scratch Gents (Lanes 9 - 16)
and Top 6 scratch Ladies (Lanes 3-8)**

**Presentations for Singles, All Events, and Masters, will take place
at 3pm approx.**

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Record of Senior Championships All Events Winners

Gents Scratch	Year	Ladies Scratch
	2024	
Philip Watts	2023	Lorraine Keane
Haulie Storan	2022	Lorraine Keane
<i>Event not held due to Covid 19</i>	2021	<i>Event not held due to Covid 19</i>
Tom Byrne	2020	Carol Catchpole
Philip Watts	2019	Carol Catchpole
Paul Stott Snr.	2018	Anita Watts
Nickey O'Malley	2017	Theresa Watts
Tom Byrne	2016	Theresa Watts
Philip Watts	2015	Theresa Watts
Haulie Storan	2014	Theresa Watts
Brendan Healy	2013	Pat Holmes
Haulie Storan	2012	Berni Moriarty
Tom Byrne	2011	Pat Holmes
Tom Byrne	2010	Berni Moriarty
Brendan Healy	2009	Kathleen Lyons
Nickey O'Malley	2008	Kathleen Lyons
Nickey O'Malley	2007	Yvonne Randell
Brendan Healy	2006	Berni Moriarty
Tom Byrne	2005	Berni Moriarty
Nickey O'Malley	2004	Berni Moriarty
Del Delany	2003	Berni Moriarty
Nickey O'Malley	2002	Yvonne Randell
Stan Dagg	2001	Berni Moriarty
Del Delany	2000	Berni Moriarty
Michael Mulcahy	1999	Yvonne Randell
Michael Staines	1998	Yvonne Randell
Des Murphy	1997	Bell Staines
None	1996	None
Michael Staines	1995	Betty Dunne

Bernard Groves Memorial Winners

Gents H/cap	Year	Ladies H/cap
	2024	
Peter Murphy	2023	Elaine Lalor
Philip Watts	2022	Ann Cullen
<i>Event not held due to Covid 19</i>	2021	<i>Event not held due to Covid 19</i>
Paddy Gibbons	2020	Maeve O'Reilly
Paddy Gibbons	2019	Treasa Whelan
Jim Donagh	2018	Anne Quinn
Tom Brady	2017	Elaine Lalor
Paddy Kilduff	2016	Margaret McConkey
Shay Kelly	2015	Kathleen Lyons
Christopher Scully	2014	Treasa Whelan
Shay Kelly	2013	Treasa Whelan
Jim O'Reilly	2012	Anita Scully
Liam Byrne	2011	Margaret Dooley

Terry Bride	2010	Anita Scully
Jim Ansbro	2009	Pauline Compton
Stan Dagg	2008	Anne Quinn
Frank Stobie	2007	Betty Dunne
Jim Ansbro	2006	Anita Scully
Des Vella	2005	Margaret Dooley
Michael Flannery	2004	Anita Scully
Paddy Gibbons	2003	Pat Holmes
John Moran	2002	Pat Cummins
Willie Nolan	2001	Yvonne Randell
John Woodfull	2000	Bernie O'Sullivan

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PREVIOUS HANDICAP RESULTS						
Event	2020 Results		2022 Results		2023 Results	
Mixed Doubles Handicap	Yvonne Randell Paddy Gibbons	1352	Kathleen Lyons Tom Byrne	1277	Lorraine Keane Ken Foley	1359
	Roisin Cloake Fergal McLoughlin	1274	Maeve O'Reilly Ken O'Reilly	1250	Elaine Lalor Liam Hogan	1296
	Pat Holmes P. J. Shine	1251	Pat Holmes P. J. Shine	1230	Mark Higson Rodney Peacock O'Neill	1287
Gents Handicap Singles	Shay Kelly	1196	John R. Wilson	1181	Peter Murphy	1318
	Paddy Dunne	1158	Paul Stott Snr.	1147	Ken Foley	1251
	Paddy Gibbons	1155	Niall Cullen	1143	Paddy Gibbons	1211
Gents Handicap Doubles	Paddy Gibbons Des Murphy	1754	Jim Finnerty Fergal McLoughlin	1757	Brendan Long Tommy Fetherston	1959
	Peter Murphy Jim Ansbro	1749	Jim Donagh Tom Brady	1752	Christy Scully Des Vella	1920
	Shay Kelly Niall Cullen	1748	Paddy Dunne Paddy Kilduff	1695	Ray Bergin Jim Donagh	1896
Gents Handicap Trios	Christy Scully Niall Cullen Des Vella	1962	Christy Scully Niall Cullen Des Vella	1932	Tommy Nolan Ray Poole Paddy Kilduff	2200
	Shay Kelly Liam O'Rafferty Jim Finnerty	1911	Rodney Peacock Joe Ridgeway Ken O'Reilly	1839	Peter Murphy P. J. Shine Liam Hogan	2118
	Philip Lyons Jim Donagh Tom Brady	1857	Liam O'Rafferty Shay Kelly Jim Finnerty	1838	Ray Bergin Philip Lyons Jim Donagh	2093
Ladies Handicap Singles	Maeve O'Reilly	1137	Ann Cullen	1079	Elaine Lalor	1054
	Anita Watts	1015	Maeve O'Reilly	1075	Mary Heffernan	1042
	Mary Heffernan	997	Anne Quinn	1032	Kathleen Lyons	1031
Ladies Handicap Doubles	Maeve O'Reilly Roisin Cloake	1630	Margaret McConkey Mary Heffernan	1623	Margaret McConkey Mary Heffernan	1612
	Ann Cullen Teresa Whelan	1603	Teresa Whelan Ann Cullen	1602	Kathleen Lyons Berni Moriarty	1581
	Anne Quinn Anne Turner	1602	Pat Holmes Yvonne Randell	1544	Roisin Cloake Maeve O'Reilly	1547

Ladies Handicap Trios	Carol Catchpole Anne Quinn Berni Moriarty	1762	Maeve O'Reilly Margaret McConkey Dymphna Kestell	1756	Aine Lebioda Roisin Cloake Elaine Lalor	1769
	Elaine Lalor Ann Cullen Teresa Whelan	1739	Kathleen Lyons Anne Quinn Berni Moriarty	1737	Anne Quinn Kathleen Lyons Berni Moriarty	1707
	Maeve O'Reilly Liz Dempsey Margaret McConkey	1720	Teresa Whelan Ann Cullen Pacer	1152		