

BRITISH JUNIOR OPEN

20-24 July 2022

EVENT INFORMATION

WELCOME

England Squash and Nottingham squash club are very much looking forward to welcoming you to the British Junior Open in July 2022. Individuals wishing to enter should register online through the designated website, please note, individual entry doesn't guarantee a place in the draw as all entries must be approved by your National Association: <https://britishjunioropen.com/enter-now/>

We hope this document gives you all the information you need on the event, so please read carefully.

ENTRY FEE AND CLOSING DATE

Entry fee is £80 – this will include a t-shirt

Closing date is 19th June at midnight UK time. Entries will only be accepted if payment is received

CATEGORIES

Boys + Girls under 19 Championships

All matches will be played as best of 5 games

All matches will be played PAR (point a rally) to 11. Should the score reach 10 all a player needs to win by 2 points

KEY CONTACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION - <http://www.britishjunioropen.com/>

GENERAL ENQUIRIES - juniorcompetitions@englandsquash.com

TOURNAMENT SOFTWARE & ONLINE ENTRY INFORMATION –

juniorcompetitions@englandsquash.com

VENUES

Nottingham Squash Club, Tattershall Drive, Nottingham, NG7 1BX – www.nsrc.co.uk

ELIGIBILITY & MATCHES

Any player shall be entitled to enter providing:

- They are under the appropriate age on **7th January 2022**
- **Their entry is endorsed by their National Governing Body (appointed/approved coach/manager).**

The event is a monrad format and will play off for positions 1-64

Any player not selected will be placed on a reserve list. Player withdrawals prior to first round matches will be filled, where possible, from the reserve list.

The right is reserved to reschedule matches at any time.

NOTE: Non-English associations may enter up to 3 players in each category (with the possibility of a 4th if spaces allow)

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Additional International Entries

If any draw is incomplete at the closing date, the organising committee will add players from the reserve list of participating nations already submitted on the group entry form in addition to the guaranteed 3 players, so please include more than 3 if you are interested in sending more players.

The reserve player list will be seeded and spaces will be filled by taking the highest ranked player from each nation on a rotation basis, i.e. if there are three spaces, the highest seeded players from three different nations will be added to the draw.

STREAMING AND SOCIAL MEDIA

Please follow our Facebook page leading up to the event which will have lots of information on daily (British Junior Open) @bjosquash

By entering this event you agree to appear in images and social media posts as well as being streamed

RULES

Refereeing	As an event we will have referees, though all players may be asked to mark and referee some matches (at the direction of the Tournament Organisers at the venue).
Squash Ball	The Dunlop Pro XX will be the official match squash ball
Insurance	Although the venue has full public liability insurance cover, players enter and play in the British Junior Open at their own risk. England Squash will not accept responsibility for any injury arising from participating in the tournament. Competitors must arrange their own personal insurance to cover illness and injury
Eye Protection	Under WSF and England Squash rules, all players 18 and under must wear approved eye protection when competing during the event, this includes during the warm-up. Players will not be allowed to compete without approved eye protection and checks may be made British Standard BS7930
Draw	Draws will be released on 7 th July. We anticipate the following draw sizes: Gu19 – 64 Bu19 – 64

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SEEDING

As this is a registered PSA event, rankings will be done according to PSA rankings, previous BJO results and other major junior competitions.

CODE OF CONDUCT

By entering the tournament all competitors confirm their agreement to abide by the England Squash Code of Conduct by entering the tournament. Parents must refrain from interference in matches and will be subject to the events disciplinary code in the event of infringements. Any complaints should be addressed formally to the tournament desk.

ANTI DOPING

By entering this event, you agree to abide by the Rules and Regulations governing the Championship and declare that you are aware of the Anti-Doping regulations and procedures as set out in Section E and Appendix G of the WSF World Championship Regulations. You accept that you may be dope tested under these regulations at any stage of the Championship and will be subject to the penalties set out in the World Championship Regulations if the test(s) prove positive

PLAYER WITHDRAWAL

1.1 Tournament Specific

In the event of a withdrawal prior to the closing date, a full refund of tournament entry fees will be given less any administrative fees incurred.

In the event of a withdrawal after the closing date, no refunds will be given unless due to injury. Please see below

1.2 General

Withdrawal from the tournament must be notified to the Event Director as soon as possible by email with a valid reason. The reason for withdrawal should then be confirmed within 7 days and in the event of illness or injury, should be accompanied by a letter of explanation from a parent / coach or by a doctors or qualified physiotherapist certificate.

Any player who fails to turn up without reasonable advance notice (which would enable their place in the draw to be filled by a reserve) will NOT be allowed to enter the following British Junior Open, and a fine of £80 will be sent to the players national federation

FINALLY

All partners involved in this event are very excited to welcome everyone

Good luck and enjoy the event!