

# HAMPSHIRE TRIALS 2020

*BTBA Sanction No. 20/013*

The trials for the Hampshire County U12, U16, U22, Adult & Senior teams will take place at Tenpin Southampton, Auckland Road, Southampton, SO15 0SD on the 29th February, 1st, 4th, 7th & 8th March 2020. Please see entry form for squad times. Only one of these squads/dates has to be played, **there is a minimum requirement of 6 entries per squad for the squad to run.**

The cost of entry will be £40.00 including £2.00 for the BTBA Contribution. A portion of the expense fee will be used to enter the county teams into the Inter Counties Championships. There is no prize fund.

**Registration is 30 minutes before squad time.** Entry fees must accompany the completed entry form. Each player must be in possession of a current BTBA or Affiliated Membership card, BTBA Membership will be checked on the BTBA database. They **MUST** be in date for the given event and if not the bowler will not be able to participate in the event.

Persons who are current BTBA members; eligible to hold a British passport; and were born within the county boundaries of Hampshire as defined in 1961; or who have been resident therein for at least one year (and not having played for another county without advising the inter-county secretary) are automatically eligible. Persons falling outside these categories should contact the tournament manager for clarification.

Each bowler will play six games moving lanes after every game. The scratch total over the six games will decide the overall placing in all age categories. The top two bowlers in each age category will be guaranteed a minimum of two games during the Inter-County qualifying rounds.

The balance of the squad will be made up from the participating qualifiers. These players need not necessarily be those that finish in the overall score places. Squad members may be requested to contribute towards the cost of entering the County Team in the Championships.

In the event of a dispute that cannot easily be resolved, a provisional ball shall be rolled. The Tournament Managers decision shall be final, subject to appeal to the BTBA. Protests shall be lodged verbally with the Tournament Manager within 10 minutes of the incident.

Team selection throughout the Inter-County tournament will be at the discretion of the respective team managers and can be from any of the registered squad. Inclusion in the squad does not guarantee selection.

The trials will be BTBA sanctioned. The general and tournament playing rules of the BTBA will apply throughout. **NO SMOKING, OR THE DRINKING OF ALCOHOL** will be permitted during the trials.

Dress code: No Denim in any form, no shorts, no combat style trousers (male or female), 3/4 length trousers & plain sports leggings are permitted, a suitable bowling shirt must be worn. Failure to be correctly dressed at any stage of the event will result in that entry being refused without refund of fee. The decision of the Tournament Manager will be final.

Media: Before, during, and after the event there could be photography, filming or videos taken of any participants by anyone attending the event, either as an official, spectator, parent or guardian.

If you (as a participant, parent or guardian) object to this, you must make your objections known to the tournament manager prior to the event starting and reasonable adjustments will be made.

The Tournament Manager for this event will be Emma Ashton.

Tournament Officials are; Trevor Birch, Paul LeManquais, Maurie Phillott, Nigel Montgomery.

## **Juniors Only:**

Bowlers born in the year 1998 or later are eligible to play in the U22 Category

Bowlers born in the year 2004 or later are eligible to play in the U16 Category

Bowlers born in the year 2008 or later are eligible to play in the U12 Category

**There MUST be a minimum of 6 entries in the U22 & U16 age category & 4 entries in the U12 age category for the trial to proceed**

**Seniors Only:** Senior participants must be aged 50 on or before the 31st December 2020.

To be eligible for selection in the County Tournaments, individuals must participate in the selection tournament.

At the discretion of the county AND the appropriate Team England Managers, current England squad members may be exempt and seeded into their eligible age group and no other. TE Players will be requested to make a donation of £20.00 towards the county team's expenses at the Qualifying or Finals round.

**The closing date for entry is midnight 7th March 2020**

**ALL TROPHIES from the previous year's winners must be returned either before the trials or at registration.**

# Hampshire Trials 2020 Entry Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No / Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_\_

BTBA No \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to enter the following age categories; (pls circle)

<b>Seniors</b>	<b>Adults</b>	<b>U22's</b>	<b>U16s</b>	<b>U12s</b>
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*Entrants must be;*

*Seniors; Senior participants must be aged 50 on or before the 31st December 2020*

*U22's; Bowlers born in the year 1998 or later are eligible to play*

*U16's; Bowlers born in the year 2004 or later are eligible to play*

*U12's; Bowlers born in the year 2008 or later are eligible to play*

If you are eligible and wish to compete for more than 1 age category an additional fee of £10 will be charged per category, (with the exception of the U12, U16 & U22 categories, whereby you can enter 2 age categories in which you are eligible for and only pay the additional £10 if trialling for a 3rd age category)

**Qualification By:** (pls circle)

<b>Birth</b>
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<b>Residence</b>
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<b>Reserved Residence Rights</b>
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I declare that I am eligible to represent Hampshire

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Squad Required:**

**Saturday 29th February (9am)**

**Sunday 1st March (9am)**

**Wednesday 4th March (7.00pm)**

**Saturday 7th March (9am)**

**Sunday 8th March (9am)**

**Sunday 8th March (1.30pm)**

overflow only

## **ENTRY FEES MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM**

Please make cheques payable to: Hampshire Area BTBA

Return to Emma Ashton; address; 6 Cottessmore Place, Farnborough, GU14 6FH

Tel No; 07736461763

*Please contact me for info on BACs payments [hampshire@btba.org.uk](mailto:hampshire@btba.org.uk)*

If confirmation of squad requested is required please ensure you clearly mark this on the entry form  
This can be received by Text or Email

*Seniors: Qual's: TBC Finals: TBC*

*Adults: Qual's: TBC Finals: TBC*

*U22's: Finals: 4th/5th July*

*U16's: Finals: 25th April*

*U12's: Finals: 6th June*