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Tournament on the Web	
Website	www.tenpinbowling.ie

EBT Status	
EBT Tour	EBT 2018
EBT Stop	03
EBT Category	Satellite

Tournament information	
The tournament is open for	Athletes from World Bowling's member federations
Tournament organizer	Leisureplex Stillorgan
Centre	Leisureplex Stillorgan
City	Dublin
Federation	Ireland
First day	14 January 2018
Last day	21 January 2018

Tournament delimitations	
Category	Open
Event	Singles Mixed
Women handicap	8 pins per game
Max women scratch game	292
Seniors	Separate Final

Tournament contact	
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Centre address	
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Centre specifications	
Number of lanes	18
Approaches	HPL

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Surfaces	Synthetic
Pin decks	8210
Pin setters	8270
Pins	AMF Lite II
Score system	Boss AMF

Dressing specifications	
Oil machine	Kegel Kustodian
Oil	Infinity
Cleaner	Defence-C
Pattern prepared by	Kegel Library
Dressing done by	Head Mechanic

Prize money specifications	
Prize fund status	Fixed
Tax on prizes	No

Prize money expressed in €	
Position	Singles Mixed
Position 1	4.000
Position 2	2.000
Position 3	1.500
Position 4	1.250
Position 5	1.000
Position 6	800
Position 7	600
Position 8	500
Position 9-10	350
Position 11-12	300
Position 13-14	250
Position 15-16	200
Position 17-36	120
Highest game men	300
Highest game women	300
1 st women	500
1 st senior	500
2 nd senior	400
3 rd senior	200
4 th senior	150
Squad winners 1-14	100

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Total	20.000
First 300 game For the first 300 game in the tournament, the athlete will be awarded a high performance ball. All athletes scoring a 300 game will receive a Leisureplex 300 pen.	
The women's prize The women's prize is an extra prize, which always is awarded, no matter the ranking of the highest woman in the tournament.	
Seniors Prizes The senior competition is open to athletes born on 1 January 1968 or earlier. Age verification is required. The senior prizes are extra prizes, which always are awarded, no matter the ranking of the highest seniors in tournament.	

Tournament format
Qualification Entries, 6 games Re-entries, 6 games Desperado squad, 1 game
62 athletes will qualify for the final steps from five categories
<u>Category A (4 athletes)</u> Athletes positioned 1-4 in the general qualification standing. If an athlete is qualified from A and one or more other categories; the qualification from A has the highest priority.
<u>Category B (4 athletes)</u> Athletes positioned 5-8 in the general qualification standing. If an athlete is qualified from B and one or more other categories; the qualification from B has the highest priority.
<u>Category C (45 athletes)</u> The 45 highest positioned athletes in the general qualification standing, not already qualified from one of the categories A or B. If an athlete is qualified from C and (A or B), the next positioned in the C standing will qualify. If an athlete is qualified both from C and D; the qualification from C has the highest priority.
<u>Category D (6 athletes)</u> Athletes positioned 1-6 in a separate standing including squad 1-4. If an athlete is qualified from D and any other category, the next positioned in the D standing will qualify.
<u>Category E (3 athletes)</u> Athletes positioned 1-3 in the Desperado Squad.
The division of qualified athletes in final steps The 4 athletes from Category A will start the final in step 3, seeding 1-4. The 4 athletes from Category B will start the final in step 2. The 27 highest positioned athletes in Category C will bowl in Group 1 of the final step 1. The 18 lowest positioned athletes from category C, the 6 athletes from Category D and the 3 athletes from Category E (in total 27 athletes) will bowl in Group 2 of the final step 1.
Final step 1 54 athletes will play 3 games, starting from scratch

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Athletes positioned 1-28 are qualified for the final step 2

Athletes positioned 29-54 will be ranked 37-62 according to their position in the final step 1

Final step 2

32 athletes will play 3 games, starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-12 are qualified for the final step 3, seeded 5-16.

Athletes positioned 13-32 will be ranked 17-36 according to their position in the final step 2

Specifications for the remaining part of the final

Each step will consist of matches, decided over 2 games total pin fall.

The highest seeded athlete will meet the lowest seeded athlete; the second highest seeded athlete will meet the second lowest seeded athlete etc.

Athletes will keep their seeding numbers in the remaining steps of the final.

Final step 3

8 matches

8 winners will continue to the final step 4

8 losers will be ranked 9-16 according to their seeding

Final step 4

4 matches

4 winners will continue to the final step 5

4 losers will be ranked 5-8 according to their seeding

Final step 5

2 matches

2 winners will continue to the final step 6

2 losers will be ranked 3-4 according to their seeding

Final step 6

1 match

The loser will be ranked 2

The winner will be ranked 1

Senior Tournament format

Senior Finals Qualification Criteria

The top 4 seniors based on their ranked position after the Final Step 5, or their position in the general qualification standing, for those not qualified through to the final steps, will be seeded 1-4 for the Senior Semi Finals.

In the event that a senior athlete has also qualified for Final Step 6 then this place will go to the next senior based on the qualification criteria.

Senior Semi Final

2 matches, 2 games total pin fall to count

2 winners will continue to the Senior Final

The 2 losers will be ranked 3-4 in the senior-standing according to their seeding

Senior Final

1 match, 2 games total pin fall to count

The loser will be ranked 2 in the senior-standing

The winner will be ranked 1 in the senior-standing

Tournament tie rules

Qualification

The highest positioned athlete will be the athlete scoring the highest last game. If a tie still

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exists, the highest positioned athlete will be the athlete with the highest second last game etc.

Desperado

A tie influencing who will qualify for the first final step will be broken by playing a 9th and 10th frame roll off, repeated until the tie is broken.

Final Step 1-2

Ties influencing who will qualify for the next final step will be broken by playing a 9th and 10th frame roll off, repeated until the tie is broken. In all other tie situations in step 1-2, a procedure similar to the procedure for the qualification will be followed.

Final Step 3-6 and Seniors Semi-Finals and Final

In case of a tie in a match, a one ball roll off on a full set of pins will be played, repeated until the tie is broken.

The highest game

If the highest game is scored by more than one athlete, the prize will be split equally among these athletes.

Lane assignments and lane movements

Lane draws	Randomly done by the organizer
Athletes per pair in squads	2-4 per pair depending on squad sizes
Frequency of movement	After each game
Movement method	Two pairs to the right
Number of lanes to move	Four

Booking policies

Booking restriction before	A maximum of three squads can be booked before the tournament starts and maximum two of the bookings can be for squads on Friday and Saturday
Booking restriction during	None
Total number of bookings	Unlimited
Booking cancellations	Possible
Registration deadline	30 minutes before scheduled squad times

Qualification squads and fees in €

Squad	Day	Date	Time	Spots	Entry fee	Re fee
Squad 01	Sunday	14.01.2018	18.30	36	100	-
Squad 02	Wednesday	17.01.2018	17.15	36	110	45
Squad 03			21.15	36	110	45
Squad 04	Thursday	18.01.2018	09.00	27	110	55
Squad 05			12.00	36	125	55
Squad 06			16.00	36	125	55
Squad 07			20.00	36	125	55
Squad 08	Friday	19.01.2018	08.00	36	135	65
Squad 09			12.00	36	135	65
Squad 10			16.00	36	135	65

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Squad 11			20.00	36	135	65
Squad 12	Saturday	20.01.2018	08.00	36	135	75
Squad 13			12.00	36	135	75
Squad 14			16.00	36	135	75
Desperado			19.30	-	30	-

Early Bird Entry Package for € 135

Two entries on Sunday, Wednesday and the first squad on Thursday (squads 01, 02, 03, 04)

Two Entry Package for € 170

Two entries in squads 01-14 (only one pre-booked squad allowed for Saturday)

Schedule for the final steps

Saturday 20 January 2018

20.00: Lane Maintenance
 20.45: Final Step 1, Group 1
 22.15: Lane Maintenance
 23.00: Final Step 1, Group 2
 00.30: Finish

Sunday 21 January 2018

10.00: Final Step 2
 12.00: Lane Maintenance
 12.45: Final Step 3
 13.30: Lane Maintenance
 14.00: Final Step 4
 14.45: Final Step 5 and Senior Semi Final
 15.30: Final Step 6 and Senior Final
 17.00: Presentation

Hotels provided by the organizer

The Talbot Stillorgan

5 minute walk from the bowl, free parking

Room rates

€ 88: Room only
 € 98: Single B & B
 € 108: Double / Twin Bed
 € 128: Triple B & B

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Please quote Irish Open Leisureplex Stillorgan to avail of special offers.
 Air Coach (Blue Bus) Leaves directly at the hotel door from the Airport.

Hotel facilities

150 Executive, fully air-conditioned bedrooms
 Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout the hotel
 Business Centre
 Award winning Purple Sage Restaurant
 Brass Bar & Grill
 White Pebble Luxury Day Spa

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Fitness room
24 hour reception
24 hour room service

Other information

Reservations by email or phone are not binding by the organiser until receipt of a non-refundable booking deposit after which a confirmation booking email will be sent by the organiser.

The order of bookings will be first-come-first-served.

A current list of reservations and squad waiting lists will be made available on the website and updated regularly!