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Tournament on the Web	
Websites	www.bowlingsoftcy.net
	www.b-softmedia.com

Tournament information	
The tournament is open for	Athletes from ETBF's member federations
Tournament organizer	Bowling SOFT Organizing Committee Singles Open Friendship Tournaments
Centre	Rock N' Bowl Bowling Centre
City	Larnaca
Federation	Cyprus
First day	4 May 2019
Last day	12 May 2019

Tournament delimitations	
Category	Open
Event	Singles Mixed
Women handicap	8 pins per game
Max women scratch game	292
Other kind of handicaps	Men under 18: 8 pins per game Max scratch game: 292

Tournament contact	
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Centre address	
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Phone	+357 24 822 777
Email	info@rocknbowl.com.cy
Website	www.rocknbowl.com.cy

Centre specifications	
Number of lanes	9 of which 8 will be used 6 on a separate level, which won't be used
Approaches	Brunswick Pro
Surfaces	Synthetic
Pin decks	Brunswick Pro

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Pin setters	Brunswick GS-X
Pins	SE Pins
Score system	Brunswick Center Master

Dressing specifications	
Oil machine	Brunswick Authority 22
Oil	Brunswick W22
Cleaner	Kegel Fusion
Pattern prepared by	Bowling SOFT Organizing Committee
Dressing done by	Bowling Centre Technicians

Prize money specifications	
Prize fund status	Conditional
Calculation method	Minimum € 9.000, increasing according to the total entry and the total re-entry number. The maximum pay-out shall be € 11.500
Tax on prizes	No

Prize money expressed in €						
Participation	85 entries and 170 re-entries		95 entries and 190 re-entries		105 entries and 210 re-entries	
	General Category	B Bowlers	General Category	B Bowlers	General Category	B Bowlers
Position 1	1000	250	1200	300	1500	350
Position 2	700	200	800	250	900	300
Position 3	400	140	500	150	600	160
Position 4	400	140	500	150	600	160
Position 5	250	120	300	130	350	140
Position 6	250	120	300	130	350	140
Position 7	250	120	300	130	350	140
Position 8	250	120	300	130	350	140
Position 9	200	100	210	110	220	120
Position 10	200	100	210	110	220	120
Position 11	200	100	210	110	220	120
Position 12	200	100	210	110	220	120
Position 13	200		210		220	
Position 14	200		210		220	
Position 15	200		210		220	
Position 16	200		210		220	
Position 17	130		140		150	
Position 18	130		140		150	
Position 19	130		140		150	
Position 20	130		140		150	
Position 21	130		140		150	
Position 22	130		140		150	
Position 23	130		140		150	

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Position 24	130		140		150	
Position 25	130		140		150	
Position 26	130		140		150	
Position 27	130		140		150	
Position 28	130		140		150	
Position 29	130		140		150	
Position 30	130		140		150	
Position 31	130		140		150	
Position 32	130		140		150	
High Game ⁽¹⁾	70		80		90	
1 st Senior ⁽²⁾	70		80		90	
2 nd Senior ⁽²⁾	70		80		90	
Totals	7.390	1.610	8.360	1.810	9.430	2.010
Totals for all	9.000		10.170		11.440	

(1) The High Game award competition ends with the conclusion of the Qualification Round.
Only one person receives this award

(2) Only senior bowlers not qualified for the General Category finals, will win the Senior Bowlers awards.

Tournament categories

There will be 2 Categories: The General Category and the B-Bowlers Category

All participants play for the General Category, while 12 B-Bowlers, not qualified for the General Category Final, progress to the B-Bowlers Final

The SOFT Committee has issued a Category List, according to the individual results of all participants in the SOFT events which started in May 2015. There are 2 Categories, A and B. The classification is made according to the total average of each individual.

Bowlers with an average less than 191 are in the B-Bowlers Category. Bowlers that have participated in events as members of their national selections are placed in Category A regardless of their average.

First time participants are placed in the A category, unless they provide an averages list of the past season of their local club, which shows that they are not in the top 1/3rd of their local averages list.

The Categories List is available at: www.bowlingsoftcy.net

Tournament format

Definition: Qualification

Entries 5 games and re-entries 5 games

Everybody entering the tournament will be included in the Qualification standing with their highest 5 games series

Definition: Turbo game competition

The Turbo competition applies for all 5 games of the selected series

Definition: Three or more re-entries competition

There will be a separate standing for bowlers playing 3 re-entries or more. The standing includes each athlete's highest 5 games series from his entry and at least 3 re-entries.

Definition: First three days' competition

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There will be a separate standing for bowlers having played at least 2 Squads (Entry and Re-entry) or more, in squads conducted on 4, 5 and 6 May.

Definition; Last squad competition

There will be a separate standing for bowlers playing the last qualification squad
The squad will be played only if there are at least 12 participants.
If the squad is cancelled, an additional bowler will qualify from the Turbo competition

Definition: B-Bowlers competition

There will be a separate standing for B-Bowlers non-qualified for the General Category Final

32 athletes will qualify for the General Category final steps

- A: Athletes positioned 1-24 in the Qualification standing, positioned 1-24
- B: Athletes positioned 1-3 in the Turbo game competition, positioned 25-27
- C: Athletes positioned 1-2 in the Three or more re-entries competition, positioned 28-29
- D: Athletes positioned 1-2 in the First three days' competition, positioned 30-31
- E: The highest positioned athlete in the Last squad competition, positioned 32

Athletes are qualified from the categories in the order A-B-C-D-E

This means for instance, that if an athlete is qualified from both A and B, he will qualify from A and the next positioned in the B standing will qualify in his place.

Seeding for the final step 1-3 in the General Category

Athletes positioned 1-4 in the Qualification standing will qualify for the final step 3
Athletes positioned 5-8 in the Qualification standing will qualify for the final step 2
All other 24 qualified athletes will play in the final step 1

12 B-Bowlers will qualify for the B-Bowlers Category final steps

Seeding for the final step B1-B2 in the B-Bowlers Category

Athletes positioned 1-4 in the B-Bowlers standing will qualify for the final step B2
All other 8 qualified B-Bowlers will play in the final step B1

Group formations

Group formations for all final steps are defined below the format description

General Category: Final Step 1A

There will be 4 groups, each consisting of 6 athletes, playing 3 games starting from scratch
The highest scoring athlete from each group is qualified for the final step 2. The last 3 athletes of each group are eliminated

General Category: Final Step 1B

The 2 remaining athletes in each group are playing one more game
The pin fall from the first three games is carried forward
The highest scoring athlete from each group is qualified for the final step 2, the other athlete is eliminated

All eliminated athletes of Final Steps 1A & 1B are ranked 17-32 according to their pin fall in step 1

General Category: Final Step 2

There will be 2 groups, each consisting of 6 athletes, playing 3 games starting from scratch
The two highest scoring athletes from each group are qualified for the final step 3
All eliminated athletes are ranked 9-16 according to their pin fall in step 2

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General Category: Final Step 3

There will be 2 groups, each consisting of 4 athletes, playing 3 games starting from scratch
 The two highest scoring athletes from each group are qualified for the final step 4
 All eliminated athletes are ranked 5-8 according to their pin fall in step 3

General Category: Final Step 4

There will be two semi-finals, each matched with the winner from the one group in step 3 vs. the second from the other group in step 3
 Each match will be played over 2 games total pin fall to count
 The two winners are qualified for the final step 5
 The two eliminated athletes are ranked 3-4 according to their pin fall in step 4

General Category: Final Step 5

There will be one match played over 2 games total pin fall to count
 The loser will be ranked 2
 The winner will be ranked 1

B-Bowlers Category: Final Step B1

There will be 2 groups, each consisting of 4 athletes, playing 3 games starting from scratch
 The two highest scoring athletes from each group are qualified for the final step B2
 All eliminated athletes are ranked 9-12 in the B-Standing according to their pin fall in step B1

B-Bowlers Category: Final Step B2

There will be 2 groups, each consisting of 4 athletes, playing 3 games starting from scratch
 The two highest scoring athletes from each group are qualified for the final step B3
 All eliminated athletes are ranked 5-8 in the B-Standing according to their pin fall in step B2

B-Bowlers Category: Final Step B3

There will be two semi-finals, each matched with the winner from the one group in step B2 vs. the second from the other group in step B2
 Each match will be played over 2 games total pin fall to count
 The two winners are qualified for the final step B4
 The two are ranked 3-4 in the B-Standing according to their pin fall in step B3

B-Bowlers Category: Final Step B4

There will be one match played over 2 games total pin fall to count
 The loser will be ranked 2 in the B-Standing
 The winner will be ranked 1 in the B-Standing

The B-Bowlers competition does not effect in any way the B-Bowlers final ranking in the General Category

Group formation: General Category									
Step →	Final Step 1								
Group →	A		B		C		D		
Lanes →	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Positions →	Q9	Q16	Q10	Q15	Q11	Q14	Q12	Q13	
	Q17	Q24	Q18	Q23	Q19	Q22	Q20	Q21	
	Q25	Q32	Q26	Q31	Q27	Q30	Q28	Q29	

Group formation: General Category

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Step →	Final Step 2				Final Step 3			
Group →	E		F		G		H	
Lanes →	5	6	7	8	5	6	7	8
Positions →	Q5	Q8	Q6	Q7	Q1	Q4	Q2	Q3
	A1	D1	B1	C1	E1	F2	F1	E2
	A2	D2	B2	C2	-	-	-	-

Group formation: B Bowlers Category								
Step →	Final Step B1				Final Step B2			
Group →	B-A		B-B		B-C		B-D	
Lanes →	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Positions →	QB5	QB8	QB6	QB7	QB1	QB4	QB2	QB3
	QB9	QB12	QB10	QB11	BA1	BB2	BB1	BA2

Tournament tie rules
<p>Qualification standings and Final Steps 1, 2, 3, B1 and B2 The highest positioned athlete will be the athlete scoring the highest last game. If a tie still exists, the highest positioned athlete will be the athlete with the highest second last game etc.</p> <p>The Turbo game competition The highest positioned athlete will be the highest positioned athlete after the qualification.</p> <p>The High Game competition The highest positioned athlete will be the highest positioned athlete after the qualification.</p> <p>General Category Final Steps 4 & 5 and B-Bowlers Category Final Steps B3 & B4 A tie in a match will be broken by playing a one ball roll off on a full set of pins, repeated until the tie is broken. The athlete who was seeded higher, chooses the lane of the pair, on which the roll off shall be played and who is going to shoot first. In case of a continued tie the lane and order of the athletes will be opposite etc.</p>

Lane assignments and lane movements	
Lane draw	<p>Randomly by draws performed by the tournament management for the Qualification.</p> <p>For the Finals, the lanes are assigned according to predefined method, depending on positioning in each previous round.</p> <p>For the General Category Final Step 4 the 2 pairs will be assigned to the pairs of lanes 5-6 and 7-8 by draw.</p> <p>For the B-Bowlers Category Final Step B3 the 2 pairs will be assigned to the pairs of lanes 1-2 and 3-4 by draw.</p> <p>The General Category Final Step 5 will be played on lanes 5-6, the B-Bowlers Category Final Step B4 will be played on lanes 3-4.</p>
Athletes per pair in squads	Maximum 5 except the last squad, which will be maximum 6 per pair

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Frequency of movement	Qualification: After 2 games
Movement method	Odds go to the left, evens to the right
Number of lanes to move	Two

Booking policies	
Booking restrictions	A maximum of three squads can be booked before the tournament starts. From 4 May 2019 until 7 May 2019 no further limitations. From 8 May 2019 until 11 May 2019 the distance between the 1 st and the 3 rd booking cannot be more than 3 days.
Booking restriction during	Unlimited
Total number of bookings	Unlimited
Booking cancellations	Possible, provided it was submitted to the Organizing Committee at least 1 hour prior to the squad's starting time
Registration deadline	30 minutes before squad's starting time For the last squad there is no deadline

Qualification squads and fees in €								
Squad	Day	Date	Time	Spots	Entry	Re-Entry	2 rd Re-Entry	3 rd Re-Entry+
Squad 01	Saturday	04.05.2019	10.00	20	60	---	---	---
Squad 02			13.30	20	60	40	---	---
Squad 03			17.00	20	60	40	30	---
Squad 04	Sunday	05.05.2019	10.00	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 05			13.30	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 06			17.00	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 07	Monday	06.05.2019	17.00	16	60	40	30	25
Squad 08			20.00	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 09	Tuesday	07.05.2019	17.00	16	60	40	30	25
Squad 10			20.00	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 11	Wednesday	08.05.2019	11:00	16	60	40	30	25
Squad 12			14.00	16	60	40	30	25
Squad 13			17.00	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 14			20.30	20	60	40	30	25
Squad 15	Thursday	09.05.2019	10.00	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 16			13.30	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 17			17.00	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 18			20.30	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 19	Friday	10.05.2019	08.30	16	70	50	30	25
Squad 20			11.30	16	70	50	30	25
Squad 21			14.30	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 22			18:00	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 23			21.30	20	70	50	30	25
Squad 24	Saturday	11.05.2019	08.30	16	80	50	30	25

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Squad 25			11.30	16	80	50	30	25
Squad 26			14.30	20	80	50	30	25
Squad 27			18:00	20	80	50	30	25
Squad 28			21.30	24	90	60	40	35
Turbo	-	-	-	-	10	10	10	10

Schedule for the final steps

General Category on Sunday 12 May 2019

09.00: Step 1A
11.30: Step 1B
12.30: Step 2
15.30: Step 3
17.30: Step 4
19.00: Step 5

B-Bowlers Category on Sunday 12 May 2019

12.30: Step B1
15.30: Step B2
17.30: Step B3
19.00: Step B4

Hotels provided by the organizer

www.bowlingsoftcy.net
www.b-softmedia.com

Other information

Online Registration

www.bowlingsoftcy.net and www.b-softmedia.com

Mobile phone friendly website: www.b-softmedia.com

This site is dedicated to any current SOFT Tournament and is designed to provide easy access to information and results concerning the tournament with a smart phone or tablet