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Tournament on the Web	
Website 1	www.balkanbowling.com
Website 2	www.bgbowling.bg

Tournament information	
The tournament is open for	Athletes from IBF's member federations
Tournament organizer	Joy Station, Sofia - Bulgaria
Centre	Joy Station
City	Sofia
Federation	Bulgaria
First day	18 June 2022
Last day	26 June 2022

Tournament delimitations	
Category	Open
Event	Mixed Singles Mixed Doubles Mixed Team
Women handicap	8 pins per game
Athletes below 15 years of age	8 pins per game
Max women scratch game	292

Tournament contact	
Contact person	Teodora Doncheva, Tournament Director
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Registration	www.balkanbowling.com

Centre address	
Address	Joy Station 3 Akad. Stefan Mladenov, Studentski Grad Sofia Bulgaria
Email	tournament@joystation.bg
Website	www.balkanbowling.com

Centre specifications	
Number of lanes	20
Approaches	Qubica AMF-MAD lanes
Surfaces	Qubica AMF-MAD lanes
Pin decks	Qubica AMF-MAD lanes
Pin setters	AMF 90 XL
Pins	AMF LiteII

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Score system	Qubica AMF BES-X
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Dressing specifications	
Oil machine	Kustodian Walker
Oil	Kegel Fire
Cleaner	Kegel Defence CX4S
Pattern prepared by	Kegel Balkans
Dressing done by	Kegel Balkans

Prize money specifications	
Prize fund status	Fixed
Tax on prizes	Yes
Tax rule	As a consequence of the Bulgarian tax regulations, there will be a tax on prize money, paid by the organizer. The tax, which is 10%, will be deducted from the prizes by the organizer. All participants will be obliged to fill in a form, provided by the organizer, to meet the needs of the tax authorities.

Prize money expressed in € for the competition in the Mixed Singles Group A		
Position	Cash Prizes	Voucher Prizes
Position 1	1900	Value 100
Position 2	1400	Value 100
Position 3	900	Value 100
Position 4	700	Value 100
Position 5-8	350	Value 50
Position 9-20	200	Value 50
Position 21-32	150	Value 50
Total	10.500	Value 1.800

Voucher Prize Definition: Each voucher includes a value for which the winners can purchase entries or re-entries in Sofia International Open 2022

Prize money expressed in € for the competition in the Mixed Singles Group B		
Position	Cash Prizes	Voucher Prizes
Position 1	300	Value 100
Position 2	200	Value 100
Position 3	200	Value 50
Position 4	150	Value 50
Position 5-12	100	Value 50
Position 13-20	50	Value 50
Total	2.050	Value 1.100

Voucher Prize Definition: Each voucher includes a value for which the winners can purchase entries or re-entries in Sofia International Open 2022

Prize money expressed in € for the competition in the Mixed Doubles		
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Position	Cash Prizes	Voucher Prizes
Position 1	300	Value 100
Position 2	200	Value 100
Position 3	200	Value 50
Position 4	150	Value 50
Position 5-8	100	Value 50
Position 9-20	60	Value 40
Total	1.970	Value 980

Voucher Prize Definition: Each voucher includes a value for which the winners can purchase entries or re-entries in Sofia International Open 2022

Prize money expressed in € for the competition in the Mixed Team

Position	Cash Prizes	Voucher Prizes
Position 1	1.500	Value 300
Position 2	1.200	Value 200
Position 3	1.000	Value 200
Position 4	800	Value 200
Position 5-6	600	Value 100
Position 7-8	500	Value 100
Position 9-12	300	Value 100
Position 13-18	250	
Position 19-20	100	
Total	9.600	Value 1.700

Voucher Prize Definition: Each voucher includes a value for which the winners can purchase entries or re-entries in Sofia International Open 2022

Other Prizes

Best Game	200 €
Best ranked youth athlete under 16 y in the general ranking	Voucher prize Value 100 euro

Tournament format

Mixed Singles Group A

Qualification

5 games entries and re-entries

Composing Top 32

A: Top 28 from the 5 games qualification based on all squads

B: Top 4 from a separate standing of the squads conducted on or before 22 June 2022 that contains only the players that did not qualify on rule A.

Athletes qualified from B are Athletes not already qualified from A

Qualified for steps

Athletes positioned 9-32 will qualify to the Final Step 1

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Athletes positioned 1-8 will qualify to the Final Step 2

Final Step 1

24 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-12 will qualify to the Final Step 2

Athletes positioned 13-24 are ranked 21-32 in the final tournament standing

Final Step 2

20 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-4 will qualify to the Final Step 3

Athletes positioned 5-20 are ranked 5-20 in the final tournament standing

Final Step 3

There will be three one game stepladder matches as follows:

The athletes positioned 4 vs. the athlete positioned 3

The winner vs. the athlete positioned 2

The winner vs. the athlete positioned 1

Mixed Singles Group B

Identification

Each player must identify himself/herself as a B group player before the start of the tournament. For Category B, all athletes must provide a document from their national federation, proving their annual average to be less than 180.

Qualification

5 games entries and re-entries

Composing Top 20

A: Top 16 from the 5 games qualification based on all squads

B: Top 4 from a separate standing of the squads conducted on or before **22 June 2022** that contains only the players that did not qualify on rule A.

Athletes qualified from B are Athletes not already qualified from A

Qualified for steps

Athletes positioned 5-20 will qualify to the Final Step 1

Athletes positioned 1-4 will qualify to the Final Step 2

Final Step 1

16 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-8 will qualify to the Final Step 2

Athletes positioned 9-16 are ranked 13-20 in the final tournament standing

Final Step 2

12 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-4 will qualify to the Final Step 3

Athletes positioned 5-12 are ranked 5-12 in the final tournament standing

Final Step 3

There will be three one game stepladder matches as follows:

The athletes positioned 4 vs. the athlete positioned 3

The winner vs. the athlete positioned 2

The winner vs. the athlete positioned 1

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Mixed Doubles

Qualification

5 games entries and re-entries during the Singles competition

The names in each doubles must be declared upon registering and cannot be changed

Athletes in a Double may play in different squads

Doubles positioned 1-20 will qualify to the Final Step 1

Final Step 1

20 doubles will play 6 games (3 games per athlete) starting from scratch

Doubles positioned 1-4 will qualify to the Final Step 2

Doubles positioned 5-20 are ranked 5-20 in the final tournament standing

Final Step 2

There will be three two games (one game per athlete) stepladder matches as follows:

The doubles positioned 4 vs. the athlete positioned 3

The doubles vs. the athlete positioned 2

The doubles vs. the athlete positioned 1

Mixed Team

Qualification

The team qualifications will take part on Sunday 19 June 2022 (if there are spots available) and Saturday 25 June 2022

Each team consists of 5 athletes, playing 5 games on a pair of lanes

Each team has the right to substitute one athletes during a 5 games set

Due to a limitation of team slots, teams will be registered on a first-come-first-serve basis with preference to teams from federations that have less teams registered

Teams positioned 1-4 will qualify to the Final Step 1

Final Step 1

There will be two matches over 5 games (one game per athlete)

The team positioned 1 vs. the team positioned 4

The team positioned 2 vs. the team positioned 3

The winning teams 1-2 will qualify to the Final Step 2

The losing teams will be ranked 3-4 according to their positions in the qualification

Final Step 2

There will be one matches over 5 games (one game per athlete)

Tournament tie rules

The Singles competitions

Qualification

In case of a tie, the highest ranked athlete will be the athlete with the highest last game, then the athlete with the highest second last game etc. The squad with fewer than six athletes registered will be cancelled.

Final Step 1 and 2

In case of a tie, the athlete with the highest qualification position will be the highest ranked.

Final Step 3

A tie in any of the matches will be broken by playing a one ball roll-off on a full set of pins, repeated until the tie is broken.

The Doubles competition

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Qualification

In case of a tie, the highest ranked double will be the double with the highest last game total for both, then the doubles with the highest second last game total for both etc.

Final Step 1

In case of a tie, the double with the highest qualification position will be the highest ranked.

Final Step 2

A tie in any of the matches will be broken by playing a one ball roll-off on a full set of pins, repeated until the tie is broken. Each doubles in the tie is selecting one player to shoot.

The Team competition

Qualification

In case of a tie, the highest ranked team will be the team with the highest last game total for all five, then the team with the highest second last game total for all five etc.

Final Step 1 and 2

A tie in any of the matches will be broken by playing a one ball roll-off on a full set of pins, repeated until the tie is broken. Each team in is selecting one player to shoot.

Lane assignments and lane movements

Lane draws	By impartial notaries public
Athletes per pair in squads	Five
Frequency of movement	After every games
Movement method	Left lanes moves left, right lanes moves right
Number of lanes to move	Two lanes

Booking policies

Booking restriction before	A maximum of three squads can be booked before the tournament starts and maximum one of the bookings can be for squads on Thursday and one on Friday
Booking restriction during	Maximum two none played entries
Total number of bookings	Unlimited
Booking cancellations	Possible
Registration deadline	20 minutes before scheduled squad times

Qualification squads and fees in €

Squad	Day	Date	Time	Spots	E fee	Re fee
Squad 01	Saturday	18.06.2022	10.00	50	40	
Squad 02			14.00	50	40	25
Squad 03			18.00	50	40	25
Squad 04	Sunday	19.06.2022	10.00	50	40	25
Squad 05			14.00	50	40	25
Squad 06			18.00	50	40	25
Squad 07	Monday	20.06.2022	10.00	50	40	20
Squad 08			14.00	50	40	20

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Squad 09			18.00	50	40	20
Squad 10	Tuesday	21.06.2022	10.00	50	40	20
Squad 11			14.00	50	40	20
Squad 12			18.00	50	40	20
Squad 13	Wednesday	22.06.2022	09.00	50	50	30
Squad 14			13.00	50	50	30
Squad 15			17.00	50	50	30
Squad 16			21.00	50	50	30
Squad 17	Thursday	23.06.2022	09.00	50	60	40
Squad 18			13.00	50	60	40
Squad 19			17.00	50	60	40
Squad 20			21.00	50	60	40
Squad 21	Friday	24.06.2022	09.00	50	65	45
Squad 22			13.00	50	65	45
Squad 23			17.00	50	65	45
Squad 24			21.00	50	65	45
Squad 25 Teams	Saturday	25.06.2022	09.00	10 Teams	180	-
Squad 26 Teams			13.00	10 Teams	180	-
Squad 27 Teams			17.00	10 Teams	180	-

Schedule for the final steps

Saturday 25 June 2022

22.00: Team Final

23.00: Team Award Ceremony / Party

Sunday 26 June 2022

09.00: Final Step 1, Singles Group A and B

11.00: Lane maintenance

12.00: Final Step 2, Singles Group A and B

14.00: Lane maintenance

14.45: Final Step 1, Doubles

16.30: Lane maintenance

17.00: Final Step 3, Singles Group A and B and Final step 2, Doubles

19.30: Award ceremony

Hotels provided by the organizer

Website: www.vitoshaparkhotel.com

Email: reservations@vitoshaparkhotel.com

Website: www.hotelvegasofia.bg/bg/index.html

Email: hotel@hotelvegasofia.bg