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Tournament on the Web	
Website	www.tenpinbowling.ie

EBT Status	
EBT Tour	EBT 2016
EBT Stop	02
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	10 January 2016
Last day	17 January 2016

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	AMFLite II
Score system	Boss AMF

Dressing specifications	
Oil machine	Kegal 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	5.000
Position 2	2.500
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	250
Position 13-14	200
Position 15-16	150
Position 17-32	100
Highest game men	300
Highest game women	300
1 st women	750
1 st senior	1.000
2 nd senior	500
3 rd senior	250
4 th senior	250
Total	20.000

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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 1966 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

92 athletes will qualify for the final steps from six categories

Category A (6 athletes)

Athletes positioned 1-6 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.

Category B (6 athletes)

Athletes positioned 7-12 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.

Category C (4 athletes)

Athletes positioned 1-4 in a separate standing including squad 1-6.

If an athlete is qualified from C and D and/or E; the qualification from C has the highest priority.

If an athlete is qualified from C and A or B, the next positioned in the C standing will qualify.

Category D (4 athletes)

Athletes positioned 1-4 in a separate standing including squad 7-11.

If an athlete is qualified from D and E; the qualification from D has the highest priority.

If an athlete is qualified from D and A or B or C, the next positioned in the D standing will qualify.

Category E (68 athletes)

The 68 highest positioned athletes in the general qualification standing, not already qualified from one of the categories A, B, C or D.

Category F (4 athletes)

Athletes positioned 1-4 in the Desperado Squad.

Seeding for the Final Step 1-3

6 athletes (from category A) are seeded for the final step 3.

14 athletes (athletes from category B, C and D) are seeded for the final step 2.

The 68 athletes from category E are seeded 1-68 for the final step 1.

The 4 athletes from category F are seeded 69-72 for the final step 1.

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Final step 1

72 athletes will play 4 games, starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-31 are qualified for the final step 2

Athletes positioned 32-72 will be ranked 52-92 according to their position in the final step 1

Final step 2

45 athletes will play 4 games, starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-26 are qualified for the final step 3

Athletes positioned 27-45 will be ranked 33-51 according to their position in the final step 2

Final step 3

32 athletes will play 6 games, starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-16 are qualified for the final step 4, seeded 1-16

Athletes positioned 17-32 will be ranked 17-32 according to their position in the final step 3

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, received after the final step 3, in the remaining steps of the final.

Final step 4

8 matches

8 winners will continue to the final step 5

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

Final step 5

4 matches

4 winners will continue to the final step 6

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

Final step 6

2 matches

2 winners will continue to the final step 7

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

Final step 7

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

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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 total of all counting qualification games minus the score of the lowest game. If a tie still exists, the highest positioned athlete will be the athlete with the highest total of all counting qualification games minus the score of the two lowest games 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 1-3

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 1-3, a procedure similar to the procedure for the qualification will be followed.

Final Step 4-7 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	10.01.2016	18.30	36	100	-
Squad 02*	Monday	11.01.2016	22.00	36	60	40
Squad 03*	Wednesday	13.01.2016	09.15	36	110	40

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Squad 04*			13.15	36	110	40
Squad 05			17.15	36	110	40
Squad 06			21.15	36	110	40
Squad 07	Thursday	14.01.2016	09.15	36	120	50
Squad 08			13.15	36	120	50
Squad 09			17.15	36	120	50
Squad 10			21.15	36	120	50
Squad 11	Friday	15.01.2016	08.30	36	120	60
Squad 12			12.30	36	120	60
Squad 13			16.30	36	130	60
Squad 14			20.30	36	130	60
Squad 15	Saturday	16.01.2016	08.30	36	130	70
Squad 16			12.30	36	130	70
Desperado			15:45	-	35	-

Squads marked with * are extra squads, only to be opened if necessary.

Entry Packages are available:

Early Bird € 130: Two entries on Sunday and Wednesday (squads 01, 03, 04, 05, 06)

Extra Early Bird Special: € 110 Two Entries on Sunday and Monday (squads 01, 02)

Two Entry pack € 155: Two entries in squads 01-16 (only one squad allowed for Saturday)

Schedule for the final steps

Saturday 16 January 2016

17.15: Final step 1 (37-72)

19.00: Lane Maintenance

19.45: Final step 1 (1-36)

21.30: Lane Maintenance

22.15: Final step 2

00.30: Finish

Sunday 17 January 2016

09.00: Final step 3

12.15: Lane Maintenance

13.00: Final step 4

13.45: Lane Maintenance

14.15: Final step 5

15.00: Final step 6 and Senior Semi Final

15.45: Final step 7 and Senior Final

17.00: Awards

Hotels provided by the organizer

The Stillorgan Park Hotel

5 minute walk from the bowl, free parking

Room rates

€ 72: Room only

€ 83: Single B & B

€ 92: Double / Twin Bed

€ 99: Triple B & B

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Contact Details

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Air Coach (Blue Bus) Leaves directly at the hotel door from the Airport.

Hotel facilities

150 Executive, fully air-conditioned bedrooms

Complimentary WiFi throughout the hotel

Business Centre

Award winning Purple Sage Restaurant

Brass Bar & Grill

White Pebble Luxury Day Spa

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!