

# ETBF's Tournament Calendar

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| Tournament on the Web |  |
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| Website 1             | <a href="http://www.sofiainternationalopen.com">www.sofiainternationalopen.com</a> |
| Website 2             | <a href="http://www.bulgarianbowlingf.com">www.bulgarianbowlingf.com</a>           |

| Tournament information     |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| The tournament is open for | Athletes from World Bowlings's member federations |
| Tournament organizer       | Joy Station, Sofia - Bulgaria                     |
| Centre                     | Joy Station                                       |
| City                       | Sofia   |
| Federation                 | Bulgaria  |
| First day                  | 29 October 2016                                   |
| Last day                   | 6 November 2016                                   |

| Tournament delimitations |                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Category                 | Open            |
| Event                    | Singles Mixed   |
| Women handicap           | 8 pins per game |
| Max women scratch game   | 292             |

| Tournament contact |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Contact person     | Elvira Baharova, Tournament Director  |
| Mobile             | +359 894 777 474 / +359 888 517 856   |
| Email              | <a href="mailto:bowling_mega@yahoo.com">bowling_mega@yahoo.com</a> / <a href="mailto:elvira_baharova@hotmail.com">elvira_baharova@hotmail.com</a> |
| Registration       | <a href="http://www.sofiainternationalopen.com">www.sofiainternationalopen.com</a>  |

| Centre address |  |
|----------------|--|
| Address        | Joy Station<br>3 Akad. Stefan Mladenov<br>Sofia<br>Bulgaria                        |
| Email          | <a href="mailto:bowling_mega@yahoo.com">bowling_mega@yahoo.com</a>                 |
| Website        | <a href="http://www.sofiainternationalopen.com">www.sofiainternationalopen.com</a> |

| 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           |
| Score system          | Qubica AMF BES-X     |

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| <b>Dressing specifications</b> |                     |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Oil machine                    | Kustodian Walker    |
| Oil                            | Kegel Fire          |
| Cleaner                        | Kegel Defence CX4S  |
| Pattern prepared by            | <i>Not informed</i> |
| Dressing done by               | <i>Not informed</i> |

| <b>Prize money specifications</b> |       |
|-----------------------------------|-------|
| Prize fund status                 | Fixed |
| Tax on prizes                     | No    |

The total prize fund is **55.000 €** for the following two groups

| <b>Prize money expressed in €</b>        |                               |
|--|-------------------------------|
| <b>Position</b>                          | <b>A Group: Singles Mixed</b> |
| Position 1                               | 7.000                         |
| Position 2                               | 5.000                         |
| Position 3                               | 3.500                         |
| Position 4                               | 2.500                         |
| Position 5                               | 2.000                         |
| Position 6                               | 1.700                         |
| Position 7                               | 1.400                         |
| Position 8                               | 1.200                         |
| Position 9-10                            | 1.000                         |
| Position 11-20                           | 700                           |
| Position 21-36                           | 500                           |
| Position 37-56                           | 350                           |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Woman under cut          | 250                           |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Woman under cut          | 200                           |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Woman under cut          | 150                           |
| Best Game                                | 200                           |
| Best Re-Entry                            | 200                           |
| Tournament sportsman                     | 150                           |
| Tournament sportswoman                   | 150                           |
| Best senior player                       | 150                           |
| Daily high series                        | 100                           |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Under 15 years under cut | 100                           |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Under 15 years under cut | 100                           |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Under 15 years under cut | 100                           |
| First under the cut                      | 200                           |

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| <b>Total</b>  | <b>51.050</b> |
| The competition for the perfect game award is only valid during qualification squads.<br>In case of more perfect games performed during the competition period, the prize will be split equally among players having performed the perfect games. |               |

| <b>Prize money expressed in €</b> |                               |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Position</b>                   | <b>B Group: Singles Mixed</b> |
| Position 1                        | 500                           |
| Position 2                        | 400                           |
| Position 3                        | 300                           |
| Position 4                        | 250                           |
| Position 5-10                     | 200                           |
| Position 11-18                    | 150                           |
| Youth participant                 | Bowling ball + 100            |
| <b>Total</b>                      | <b>3.950</b>                  |

| <b>Tournament format</b>   |
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| <b>Qualification</b><br>Entries and re-entries, 6 games  |
| <b>Desperado Squad</b><br>Desperado squad, 1 game  |
| <b>Composing Top 56</b><br>A: Top 6 from the a separate standing of the squads conducted on 29 October – 1 November<br>B: Top 2 from the a separate standing of the squads conducted on 2-3 November<br>C: Top 44 from the 6 games qualification<br>D: Top 4 from the 1 game desperado squad<br><br>Athletes are qualified in the order C - B- A – D |
| <b>Seeding for the Final Step 1-2-3</b><br>Athletes positioned 1-8 from general standing will qualify for the Final step 3.<br>Athletes positioned 9-16 from general standing will qualify for Final step 2<br>Athletes positioned 19-52 from the general standing (36) and athletes qualified from category D (4) will qualify for the Final Step 1 |
| <b>Final step 1</b><br>40 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch<br>Top 20 will qualify for Final step 2<br>Athletes positioned 21-40 will be ranked 37-56 according to their position in the Final Step 1   |
| <b>Final step 2</b><br>28 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch<br>Top 12 will qualify for Final step 3<br>Athletes positioned 13-28 will be ranked 21-36 according to their position in the Final Step 2   |
| <b>Final step 3</b><br>20 athletes will play 4 games starting from scratch<br>Top 10 will qualify for Final step 4<br>Athletes not continuing to the final step 4 will be ranked 11-20 according to their position in the Final Step 3   |

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## Final step 4

10 athletes will play 4 games with the total pin fall after the final step 3 carried forward.  
Top 4 will qualify for Final step 5

The athletes not continuing to the final step 5 will be ranked 5-10 places according to their position in the standing of the final step 4

## Final step 5

There will be 3 stepladder matches

### Stepladder match 1

The athlete seeded 4 and the athlete seeded 3 will play a one-game match

The loser of the match will be ranked 4

### Stepladder match 2

The winner of match 1 and the athlete seeded 2 will play a one-game match

The loser of the match will be ranked 3

### Stepladder match 3

The winner of match 2 and the athlete seeded 1 will play a one-game match

The loser of the match will be ranked 2

The winner of the match will be ranked 1

## Tournament tie rules

### Qualification and the final step 1

In case of a tie, the highest ranked athlete will be the athlete with the highest last game. If a tie still exists, the highest ranked athlete will be the athlete with the highest second last game, then the athlete with the highest third last game etc.

### Final step 2-5

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

### Desperado

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

## Lane assignments and lane movements

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Lane draws                  | By impartial notaries public                    |
| Athletes per pair in squads | Two to Four                                     |
| Frequency of movement       | After every two games                           |
| Movement method             | Left lanes moves left, right lanes moves right  |
| Number of lanes to move     | Two lanes in small and four lanes in big squads |

## 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 | Maximum three none played entries   |
| Total number of bookings   | Unlimited   |
| Booking cancellations      | Possible  |

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| Registration deadline | 20 minutes before scheduled squad times |
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| Qualification squads and fees in € |           |            |       |       |       |        |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Squad                              | Day       | Date       | Time  | Spots | E fee | Re fee |
| Squad 01                           | Saturday  | 29.10.2016 | 10.00 | 40    | 50    | -      |
| Squad 02                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 50    | 30     |
| Squad 03                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 50    | 30     |
| Squad 04                           | Sunday    | 30.10.2016 | 10.00 | 40    | 50    | 30     |
| Squad 05                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 50    | 30     |
| Squad 06                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 50    | 30     |
| Squad 07                           | Monday    | 31.10.2015 | 10.00 | 40    | 50    | 20     |
| Squad 08                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 50    | 20     |
| Squad 09                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 50    | 20     |
| Squad 10                           | Tuesday   | 01.11.2015 | 10.00 | 40    | 50    | 20     |
| Squad 11                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 60    | 30     |
| Squad 12                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 60    | 30     |
| Squad 13                           | Wednesday | 02.11.2015 | 10.00 | 40    | 60    | 30     |
| Squad 14                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 80    | 50     |
| Squad 15                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 80    | 50     |
| Squad 16                           |           |            | 21.30 | 40    | 80    | 50     |
| Squad 17                           | Thursday  | 03.11.2015 | 10.00 | 40    | 80    | 60     |
| Squad 18                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 19                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 20                           |           |            | 21.30 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 21                           | Friday    | 04.11.2016 | 10.00 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 22                           |           |            | 14.00 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 23                           |           |            | 18.00 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 24                           |           |            | 21.30 | 40    | 100   | 80     |
| Squad 25                           | Saturday  | 05.11.2016 | 10.00 | 40    | 120   | 80     |
| Squad 26                           |           |            | 13.00 | 40    | 120   | 80     |
| Squad 27                           |           |            | 17.30 | 40    | 120   | 80     |
| Squad 28                           |           |            | 21.30 | 40    | 120   | 80     |
| Desperado                          |           |            | 24.00 | -     | 50    | -      |

| Schedule for the final steps   |
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| <b>Sunday 6 November 2016</b><br>09.00: Final step 1<br>11.00: Lane maintenance<br>12.00: Final step 2<br>14.00: Lane maintenance<br>14.45: Final step 3<br>16.30: Lane maintenance<br>17.00: Final step 4 |

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18.30: Final step 5

19.30: Award ceremony

### **Hotels provided by the organizer**

[www.suitehotelsofia.bg](http://www.suitehotelsofia.bg)

[www.vitoshaparkhotel.com](http://www.vitoshaparkhotel.com)

[www.hotelsilverhouse.com](http://www.hotelsilverhouse.com)