



BADMINTON SCOTLAND, SCOTTISH DISABILITY SPORT & LOTHIAN DISABILITY BADMINTON CLUB  
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**SCOTTISH DISABILITY BADMINTON**

**NATIONAL**

**CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023**

Saturday 28 January 2023  
Play Commencing from 0900hrs

Dalkeith School Campus  
2 Cousland Road, Dalkeith. EH22 2PS

(Please note: All players with a Learning Disability (LD) must be classified prior to the event)

**CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: 13 JANUARY 2023**

Please send entries to  
Peter Dean, Badminton Scotland, Sir.Craig Reddie Badminton Centre, 40 Bogmoor Rd, Glasgow G51 4TQ  
Email: [peter@badmintonscotland.org.uk](mailto:peter@badmintonscotland.org.uk) website: [www.badmintonscotland.org.uk](http://www.badmintonscotland.org.uk)

Tournament Director: Peter Dean  
Tournament Referee : Bill Lindsay

Entrance Fees:

£9.50 per player per event (or £24.00 for all 3 events)

Please make cheques payable to '**Badminton Scotland**'

The event will be played under BWF and **Badminton Scotland** rules and the referee's decision will be final.

## HOW TO ENTER THE EVENT ONLINE VIA TOURNAMENT SOFTWARE

For the first time, this event will accept entries via tournament software. A paper entry form is available on page 3 of this document if you would prefer not to enter via tournament software.

If you wish to enter on line and have not used the online entry system before, you require to go to the [www.tournamentsoftware.com](http://www.tournamentsoftware.com) website, "Sign Up" (for free) and follow the instructions. These are fairly easy to follow but if you have any problems the following is a summary of what is required:-

Sign Up, set up a user name and password along with your details, name address, date of birth, gender, email address, etc. Once you have registered you will be asked to "activate" your account by clicking on the "activation" link on an email that tournament software sends to your email address.

When your account is activated you should "login" and edit your "Profile" by inputting the required information in the different fields of the topics "Personal Details", "Contact Details", which requires at least one phone number, and "Sport Details", which requires you to select your sport (Badminton) and you must enter a "Strength" in singles and doubles. Select "A". This field is only used in other countries where the tournaments have different "Strengths" for events within their tournaments. If you know your Badminton Scotland Player ID Number (begins SC – and can be found on Badminton Scotland website) please include this as your member ID and remember to enter the name of the club/school through which you are affiliated to Badminton Scotland or type "Individual" if you are affiliated as an individual. If you are affiliated through another Member Association of the Badminton World Federation please enter the name of the Member Association.

This information is stored as your profile and used each time you enter a tournament online.

Once you have registered and are logged on to tournamentsoftware.com go to the tournament you wish to enter and follow the online entry instructions to enter the tournament and pay online.

You can search for the tournament you wish to enter. The link for the 2023 Scottish National Disability Championships is:

<https://www.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/8881E965-0E96-432F-8E79-A5A8277E20CF>

The closing date for entries is **Friday 13 January 2023.**

# 2023 Entry Form

## Scottish Disability National Badminton Championships 28 January 2023

**\*IMPORTANT: ALL Players with a Learning Disability must state their Player rating in the space provided**  
**Any PD Players who have not been classified must put N/C in the Class column.**

Wheelchair Class W1		Singles Yes / No	Level Doubles Partners Name	Mixed Doubles Partners Name	Entry Fees (£9.50 per event)
Player Name (M/F)					
Wheelchair Class W2		Singles Yes / No	Level Doubles Partners Name	Mixed Doubles Partners Name	Entry Fees (£9.50 per event)
Player Name (M/F)					
Standing Lower 3 (half court)		Singles Yes / No	Level Doubles Partners Name	Mixed Doubles Partners Name	Entry Fees (£9.50 per event)
Player Name (M/F)					
Standing Lower 4 & Upper 5 (full court)	Class 4 or 5. Please specify	Singles Yes / No	Level Doubles Partners Name	Mixed Doubles Partners Name	Entry Fees (£9.50 per event)
Player Name (M/F)					
Learning Disability - Ladies	Player Rating **	Singles Yes / No	Level Doubles Partners Name	Mixed Doubles Partners Name	Entry Fees (£9.50 per event)
Player Name (M/F)					
Learning Disability - Men	Player Rating **	Singles Yes / No	Level Doubles Partners Name	Mixed Doubles Partners Name	Entry Fees (£9.50 per event)
Player Name (M/F)					
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Player Name (M/F)					

Entrance Fee: **£9.50 per player per event (or £24.00 for 3 events)**. Please make cheques payable to **Badminton Scotland**. Enter 'Partner Wanted' if you require a partner for any chosen event(s)

**\*\* For the Learning Disability (LD) categories, if you do NOT have a player rating, please attach a 'Player Rating Form' which must be completed by the players' coach and insert the player rating in the box above. A responsible coach/individual must also be nominated. Please email your Player Rating form no later than 16 January to David Gillespie on: [dgillespie@lineone.net](mailto:dgillespie@lineone.net) (Forms available from Badminton Scotland website)**

# Scottish Disability National Badminton Championships 2023

## 28 January 2023 (Closing date for entries 13 January 2023)

I confirm that I am a member of \_\_\_\_\_ Badminton Club affiliated to the Scottish Badminton Union, and/or a member of \_\_\_\_\_ club/group affiliated to the \_\_\_\_\_ Branch / SDS. I confirm that I have not taken part in any unauthorised tournament, league or match.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

FORENAME AND SURNAME .....

ADDRESS .....

..... POSTCODE .....

TEL NO ..... EMAIL .....

DOB ..... CLUB / Branch..... AFFILIATION NO .....

DATE ..... SIGNED .....

### Consent for Players With Learning Disabilities and Players Under 19 Years of Age

I consent to my son/daughter/ward taking part in the Scottish Disability National Badminton Championships, 28 January 2023 at Dalkeith School Campus Sports Centre.

I also consent to ..... (insert name of competitor) participating in doping control procedures if selected and providing a urine sample under observation for analysis at an accredited laboratory. I understand that failure to submit to doping controls may result in disqualification.

Please identify the name of the person who will be the nominated representative for the player whilst at the tournament

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NB: This may be a coach, parent or carer, and will need to be present during the entirety of the event. This person will be the point of contact for the tournament organisers. I confirm I am the person having parental responsibility for .....  
in accordance with the appropriate child protection acts.

Signed ..... Parent / Legal Guardian (*delete as appropriate*)

Address.....

.....Postcode.....

Tel No .....

**PLEASE NOTE: Those players entering the Learning Disabilities Classes must complete the Player Rating Form and return to David Gillespie [dgillespie@lineone.net](mailto:dgillespie@lineone.net) no later than 13 January 2023. Please note there will be NO classifications on the day of the event.**

Should you not wish to be photographed at the event please tick.

**Unfortunately there will be no catering available at the venue and in certain circumstances it is possible the event may have to be cancelled at short notice. The Referee, in conjunction with Badminton Scotland, reserves the right to alter the conditions as necessary depending on the prevailing situation. We request your understanding and flexibility in this matter.**

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- This event is sanctioned by **Badminton Scotland** as the Disability National Championships.
- All disciplines will have National Champions.
- Please note that play will commence on the Saturday no earlier than 9.00 am.
- There will be NO classification of Physical or Learning Disability players at the event. LD players must complete and return the Player Rating Form as instructed to David Gillespie no later than 13 January 2023. dgillespie@lineone.net
- Categories will not be combined. The Organising Committee reserve the right to combine divisions within the categories.
- The tournament will be run under the regulations of BWF and **Badminton Scotland**.
- All players must be affiliated to **Badminton Scotland**.
- A player shall be qualified to enter a Scottish National Championships providing the player satisfies all of the following regulations:
  - (a) is in good standing with **Badminton Scotland** or a BWF Member Association
  - (b) has not represented any other Member Association for two years immediately preceding the date of the tournament;
  - (c) has not competed in the National Championships of any other Member Association for two years preceding the tournament;
  - (d) either
    - (i) was born in Scotland or one or both parents were born in Scotland
    - or
    - (ii) has held their main residence in Scotland for two years immediately preceding the date of the tournament

If in doubt contact **Badminton Scotland** for clarification. To “be in good standing” includes being a member of a club/school affiliated to **Badminton Scotland**/Scottish Schools' Badminton or individually affiliated thereto or to a Member Association of the BWF.

Entries must be sent to: **Peter Dean, Badminton Scotland, Sir Craig Reddie Badminton Centre, 40 Bogmoor Place, Glasgow G514TQ**

accompanied by the appropriate entry fee **no later than 13 January 2023**. Players indicating “partner required” will be paired where possible.

- We will make a decision regarding coaching breaks closer to the time, when we can more accurately assess the impact of Covid-19 on the event.
- Victor shuttlecocks will be used exclusively.
- All elimination draws and PD matches will be 3 sets to 21 with extended scoring. All LD pool matches will be 3 sets to 21 with no extended scoring. All semi-finals and finals will be 3 sets to 21 with extended scoring.
- Please remember that photography is only permitted at the event if you have obtained permission from the Referee. People wishing to do so may request a permit from match control.
- Photographs and footage recorded during the event and information provided on this form may be used for promotional purposes. Players must advise the Referee if they do not wish to be included in photographs which may be taken over the course of the Championships.
- Players, Coaches, Officials, Parents and Volunteers shall be expected to abide by their governing bodies 'Code of Conduct'. Please ensure you refer to these conditions prior to the event.
- LD classified athletes will not be accepted without a responsible coach/individual nominated and present throughout the tournament.
- Please note that in ALL situations, the Referee's decision shall be final.



## Scottish Disability National Badminton Championships

### Players Code of Conduct

The aim of *Badminton Scotland* is to create a lively sporting environment, and to promote the spirit of the game, through the exclusion of unethical behaviour, which will not be tolerated.

I the athlete/coach and volunteer agree to the following:

1. Treat all others as you would like to be treated, with integrity politeness and admiration.
2. Practice, play and spectate within the spirit of the game.
3. Help each other to learn new skills.
4. Compete as individuals and partners.
5. Give respect to others - coaches, officials, other players, team managers, parents who help organise/ officiate and play the sport.
6. Accept final decisions from event referee and court umpires and officials.
7. Do not direct verbal, physical, emotional abuse towards opponents/coaches/umpires/partners/event organisers/spectators & other team members.
8. Arrive 30 minutes before the start of play each day to ensure adequate preparation and to be punctual on all occasions, inform event organisers of any injuries which cause you to withdraw from matches.
9. Respect when officials are working and that their busy role in assisting with the event delivery may make them inaccessible at some times.
10. Respect that the taking of photographs is to be carried out only with the appropriate accreditation and at times that are appropriate during the event or highlighted by the event organisers so as not disturbing competitors or officials.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_



## **Parental Code of Conduct for Tournaments**

Any player entered in a tournament (domestic or otherwise) is expected to show a responsible attitude in both performance and appearance: this includes arriving in a fit state to participate and behaving appropriately both during and between matches.

Parents/guardians play a vital role in the development of the player. We ask that you adhere to this Parental Code of Conduct.

### **All parents/guardians are asked to adhere to the undernoted:**

1. to ensure, whenever possible, that your child arrives at all tournaments timeously (and at least 20 minutes before scheduled tournament matches);
2. to show respect to fellow parents/guardians; and to demonstrate appropriate social behaviour;
3. never to speak negatively to, or about, other players, in front of your own child or anyone else;
4. to show respect to all coaches and tournament volunteers;
5. to show respect to the decisions of the court officials;
6. to note that you may watch matches, but are asked not to communicate with your child during such matches.
7. to ensure your child is well behaved on and off court;
8. to treat all other players and parents/guardians with respect: without your children's opponents, there would be no matches!;
9. to ensure that your child is collected safely at the end of tournaments, or that they have permission to travel home by other means.

Finally, please note that any instances of poor conduct on the part of any parent/guardian, or breaches of this Code, may result in action being taken against the parent/guardian in question in the form of a ban from attending future tournaments, for a determined period of time.