

EASTERN COUNTIES CARPET BOWLS ASSOCIATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

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EVENTS - RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE HOST COUNTY

- The host county is responsible for the setting up and clearing away of the equipment.
- To make the necessary arrangements for 'Qualified Referees' to be available.
- To make arrangements for the whistle to be blown at the required times to ensure the programme runs on time.
- To liaise with the Tournament Secretary regarding the paperwork for each game and the score keeping. It is the responsibility for the host county to arrange the score keeping and if this is carried out by hand, all entries are to be double checked to ensure all results are correct prior to being announced.
- To arrange the raffle and run this on the day. Should the raffle prizes be numbered and the tickets drawn in advance, the winning tickets are not to be displayed until the completion of all games.
- Administration re: League Matches:-
The home county to advise their opponents of the venue and programme details at least four weeks prior to the match. The home county is to e-mail the results to the Tournament Secretary on the evening of the match or at the earliest opportunity.

FEES

Annual Subscription

An amount as agreed at the Annual General Meeting is due payable within 28 days of the Annual General Meeting.

League Matches

£96.00 per team per match.

The fees are to be pre-paid by each county and due by the 31st October.

Eastern Counties Championship

£96.00 per county

Payment can be made in advance or handed to the Eastern Counties Treasurer on the day.

Teambowl

£96.00 per county

Payment can be made in advance or handed to the Eastern Counties Treasurer on the day.

Champion of Champions

£4.00 per player.

Payment can be made in advance or handed to the Eastern Counties Treasurer on the day.

HALL HIRE

League Matches

The cost of hall hire will be reimbursed by the Eastern Counties C.B.A.
The cost to be advised immediately after the completion of all home matches.

Eastern Counties Championship and Teambowl

The Eastern Counties Championship and the Teambowl are held at the Littleport Leisure Centre. This venue is booked by the Secretary on behalf of the host county.

Champion of Champions

The venue for the Champion of Champions is chosen by the host county.

When a county arranges a venue ((other than at Littleport), the payment of the hall hire to be made by the host county and a copy of the invoice (or receipt for the payment) to be forwarded to the Eastern Counties Treasurer for reimbursement. The cost of the hall hire to be advised to the Eastern Counties Treasurer in advance or on the day of the event.

REFRESHMENTS

League Matches

At League Matches the host county provides tea and biscuits on arrival – at no charge to the opponents or the Eastern Counties CBA.

The opposing team is to be advised if food will be available or if the players need to be their own packed lunch. It is not a requirement for the home team to provide food for purchase during the day.

Eastern Counties Championship and Teambowl

The Littleport Leisure Centre arrange for outside caterers to provide refreshments at these events. If refreshments will not available, this will be noted on the programme.

Champion of Champions

When the host county arranges the venue, the Tournament Secretary is to be advised if food will be available so this can be noted in the programme so players know if they need to bring their own packed lunch. It is not a requirement for the host county to provide food for purchase during the day.

RAFFLES

League Matches

The host county arranges a raffle for their own county funds.

Eastern Counties Championship & Teambowl

£10.00 is donated by each county.

£30.00 is donated by the Eastern Counties C.B.A.

This money to be handed to the host county on the day.

The host county is to pre-purchase the £90.00 worth of raffle prizes (based on 6 counties)

The money taken on the raffle is to be passed to the Eastern Counties Treasurer on the day of the event.

Champion of Champions

£10.00 is donated by each county. This money to be handed to the host county on the day.

The host county is to pre-purchase the £60.00 worth of raffle prizes.

The money taken on the raffle is to be passed to the Eastern Counties Treasurer on the day.