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Tournament on the Web	
Website	www.kegelai.dk

EBT Status	
EBT Tour	EBT 2024
EBT Stop	06
EBT Category	Gold
Lane Maintenance	Kegel staff, Kegel lane machines and Kegel chemicals

Tournament information	
The tournament is open for	Athletes from IBF's member federations
Tournament organizer	Lovvang Bowling Centre
Centre	Lovvang Bowling Centre
City	Aalborg
Federation	Denmark
First day	19 May 2024
Last day	26 May 2024

Tournament delimitations	
Category	Open
Event	Singles Mixed
Women handicap	8 pins per game in all games
Max women scratch game	292

Tournament contact	
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Website	www.lovvang.dk

Centre specifications	
Number of lanes	30
Approaches	Brunswick Anvilane Pro

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Surfaces	Brunswick Anvilane Pro
Pin decks	Brunswick Anvilane Pro
Pin setters	Brunswick GS-X
Pins	AMF Lite II
Score system	Viking Scoring

Dressing specifications	
Oil machines	Two Kegel Flex
Oil	Fire, Current, Ice
Cleaner	Kegel Defense C
Pattern prepared by	Kegel
Dressing done by	Kegel

Prize money specifications	
Prize fund status	Fixed
Tax on prizes	No

Prize money expressed in EUR	
Position	Singles Mixed
Position 1	10.000
Position 2	7.000
Position 3	4.500
Position 4	2.500
Position 5-6	2.000
Position 7-8	1.500
Position 9-10	1.300
Position 11-12	1.100
Position 13-24	900
Position 25-32	600
Position 33-48	500
Position 49-64	100
Total	61.000

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Tournament format

A. Qualification

Entries and re-entries, 6 games

B. Early Bird Competition

There will be 2 separate Early Bird standings

Early Bird 1 covering Squad 1 to 3

Early Bird 2 covering Squad 4 to 6

Top 4 (NOT qualified in any other way) from each of the 2 Early Bird competition will qualify for the Semi Final (B-Final) on Saturday Night

C. Senior Bowlers Competition

There will be a separate standing for Senior Bowlers

Senior Bowlers can bowl in all squads, and scores from all squads will count for the standing of the Senior 50+ Competition.

A Senior Bowler must be 50 years of age or older at the first day of the tournament, i.e. a Senior Bowler must be born on May 19th 1974 or earlier.

Top 8 (NOT qualified in any other way) from the Senior 50+ Bowlers competition will qualify for the Semi Final (B-Final) on Saturday Night

D. Youth U23 Bowlers Competition

There will be a separate standing for Youth U23 Bowlers.

Youth U23 Bowlers can bowl in all squads, and scores from all squads will count for the standing of the Youth U23 Bowlers competition.

A Youth U23 Bowler must be 23 years of age or younger at the first day of the tournament, i.e. a Youth Bowler must be born on May 19th 2001 or later.

Top 8 (NOT qualified in any other way) from the Youth U23 bowlers competition will qualify for the Semi Final (B-Final) on Saturday Night

D+E. Turbo G4 and G6 Competition

The Turbo competition only includes games from athletes having signed up to one or both Turbo competition(s) upon their entry registration. A Turbo registration is valid only for the squad just entered.

Two separated Turbo standings will be provided (NOT qualified in any other way):

1. One standing for game 4 (Turbo G4)
2. One standing for game 6 (Turbo G6)

F+G. Female Turbo G3 and G5 Competition

The Female Turbo competition only includes games from female athletes having signed up to one or both Turbo competition(s) upon their entry registration. A Turbo registration is valid only for the squad just entered.

Two separated Female Turbo standings will be provided (NOT qualified in any other way):

1. One standing for game 3 (Female Turbo G3)
2. One standing for game 5 (Female Turbo G5)

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H. Female Qualifying

The 2 highest females, not already qualified for the finals from General Standing, Turbo G6, Female Turbo G5, Turbo G4 or Female Turbo G3) will qualify directly to the primary final

I. Semi Finals (B-Finals)

A: 4 athletes qualify for the Semi Final from Early Bird 1

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B: 8 Youth U23 qualify for the Semi Final from Qualification (Not qualified in other ways)

C: 8 Senior 50+ qualify for the Semi Final from Qualification (Not qualified in other ways)

Semi Finals will be played as 3 groups (A, B and C) with 8 athletes playing 4 games from scratch on 8 lanes per group

Top 2 from each group will qualify for the primary final on Sunday

From a combined list of all 3 groups (A, B and C) the 2 remaining highest scoring athletes will qualify for the primary final on Sunday

48 athletes will qualify for the final steps

A: 34 athletes from the general qualification

B: 1 athlete from the Turbo G6 Competition

C: 1 female athlete from the Female Turbo G5 Competition

D: 1 athlete from the Turbo G4 Competition

E: 1 female athlete from the Female Turbo G3 Competition

F: 2 highest positioned females NOT qualified in A to E

G: 8 athletes from the Semi Final (B-Final) Competition

Order of qualification

An athlete will qualify only once and always in the listed order starting from A.

If an athlete is qualified from more than one category, the next positioned athlete from the category, not valid for the already qualified athlete, will qualify instead.

Seeding for the final step 1-2

12 athletes positioned 1-12 in the general standing will qualify for the final step 2

36 athletes, which is all other qualified athletes, will play in the final step 1

Final step 1

36 athletes will play 5 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-12 is qualified for the final step 2

Athletes positioned 13-36 will be ranked 25-48 according to their position in the final step 1

Final step 2

24 athletes will be divided in 3 pools as follows:

Pool 1: 1, 6, 7 and 12 from the qualification + 3, 4, 9 and 10 from step 1.

Pool 2: 2, 5, 8 and 11 from the qualification + 2, 5, 8 and 11 from step 1.

Pool 3: 3, 4, 9 and 10 from the qualification + 1, 6, 7, and 12 from step 1.

Each game is played for points: 8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 point – if there is a tie then points are shared. Each pool is playing 4 games, change lanes (inside the pool) between games, 4 highest athletes in points go forward to step 3.

No. 8 in each pool is ranked no 22-24 based on pinfall in final step 2.

No. 7 in each pool is ranked no 19-21 based on pinfall in final step 2.

No. 6 in each pool is ranked no 16-18 based on pinfall in final step 2.

No. 5 in each pool is ranked no 13-15 based on pinfall in final step 2.

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Final Step 3

12 athletes will be divided in 2 pools of 6 athletes by draw:

Each pool is playing 6 games, 2 athletes per pair of lanes, first 3 games then lanes are changed within each pool, for the second 3 games then moved over to the lanes used by the other pool and 3 games played within those 6 lanes.

Athletes will collect points 6-5-4-3-2-1 after each game based on scoring, if there is a tie then points are shared, top 2 in each pool by points goes to final step 4

No. 6 in each pool will be ranked no 11-12 based on pinfall in final step 3

No. 5 in each pool will be ranked no 9-10 based on pinfall in final step 3

No. 4 in each pool will be ranked no 7-8 based on pinfall in final step 3

No. 3 in each pool will be ranked no 5-6 based on pinfall in final step 3

Final step 4

Final 1: No. 1 in each pool from final step 3 will play match of one game – winner be the **winner of Kegel AI 2024** – loser will be ranked as no 2 (runner up).

Final 2: No. 2 in each pool from final step 3 will play match of one game – winner will be ranked as no 3, loser will be ranked as no 4.

Tournament tie rules

Qualification / Early Bird / Youth and Senior Competition / Final step 1

The highest positioned athlete will be the athlete scoring the highest last game. If a tie still exists, the highest positioned athlete will be the athlete with the highest second last game etc.

Turbo Competition

The highest positioned athlete will be the highest positioned athlete after the qualification.

A tie influencing who will qualify for final step 1, will be broken by playing a 9th and 10th frame roll off, repeated until the tie is broken.

Final Step 1-4

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.

Lane assignments and lane movements

Lane draws	Carried through by Notaries Public
Athletes per pair in squads	Four
Frequency of movement	After each game
Movement method	Left lane positioned athletes moves left Right lane positioned athletes moves right
Number of lanes to move	Two lanes in smaller squads and four lanes in bigger squads

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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	15 minutes before scheduled squad times

Qualification squads and fees in EUR							
Squad	Day	Date	Time	Spots	E fee	Re fee	Re 2
Squad 01	Sunday	19.05.2024	12.00	52	100	-	-
Squad 02			15.00	52	100	80	-
Squad 03	Monday	20.05.2024	18.30	52	100	80	60
Squad 04	Tuesday	21.05.2024	18.30	52	100	80	60
Squad 05	Wednesday	22.05.2024	18.30	52	100	80	60
Squad 05	Thursday	23.05.2024	15.00	52	100	80	60
Squad 06			19.00	52	130	110	80
Squad 07	Friday	24.05.2024	11.00	52	130	110	80
Squad 08			15.00	52	140	120	100
Squad 09			19.00	52	140	120	100
Squad 10	Saturday	25.05.2024	09.00	52	140	120	110
Squad 11			13.00	52	140	120	110
Squad 12			17.00	52	140	120	110
Semi Final			21.00	-	-	-	-
Turbo W G3	-	-	-	-	10	-	-
Turbo G4	-	-	-	-	10	-	-
Turbo W G5	-	-	-	-	10	-	-
Turbo G6	-	-	-	-	10	-	-

Re 2 = Re-entry fee for participating in 3 squads or more

Schedule for the final steps
<p>Sunday 26 May 2024</p> <p>09.00: Final step 1 11.30: Lane maintenance 12.00: Final step 2 13.30: Lane maintenance 14.00: Final step 3 16.30: Final step 4 17.00: Award ceremony</p>

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Hotels provided by the organizer

Check out rates at www.kegelai.dk

Other information

Kegel Aalborg International 2023 is the 53rd international tournament in Aalborg since 1964