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Tournament on the Web

Website	www.bowl4u.com
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EBT Status

EBT Tour	Yes
EBT Stop	08
EBT Category	Bronze

Tournament information

The tournament is open for	Athletes from IBF's member federations
Tournament organizer	Mark Patrick
Centre	Stroud Bowl
City	Stroud
Federation	England
First day	2 October 2026
Last day	11 October 2026

Tournament delimitations

Category	Open
Event	Singles Mixed
Women handicap	8 pins per game
Max women scratch game	292

Tournament contact

Contact person	Mark Patrick
Mobile	+44 07969 872571
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Registration	www.bowl4u.com

Centre address

Address	Stroud Bowl Five Valleys Shopping Centre, Stroud, England, GL5 1QA
Phone	+44 014553 762200
Email	stroudbowl@gmail.com
Website	www.stroudbowl.co.uk

Centre specifications

Number of lanes	16
Approaches	Brunswick Anvilane
Surfaces	Brunswick Anvilane

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Pin decks	Pro Anvilane
Pin setters	Brunswick GS98
Pins	Score King Pins
Score system	Brunswick

Dressing specifications	
Oil machine	Kegel Flex
Oil	Fire & Ice
Cleaner	Defence C
Pattern prepared by	Mark Patrick
Dressing done by	Centre staff

Prize money specifications	
Prize fund status	Fixed
Tax on prizes	No

Prize money expressed in GBP	
Position	Singles Mixed
Position 1	4000
Position 2	3000
Position 3	2000
Position 4	1500
Position 5	1000
Position 6	800
Position 7	700
Position 8	600
Position 9-13	550
Position 14-18	500
Position 19-26	425
Position 27-33	375
Position 34-40	350
Total prize fund GBP	27300

Tournament format
Qualification 6 Games entries and re-entries 40 Athletes will qualify for the final steps A: 28 athletes from the general standing B: 2 athletes from the early bird A C: 2 athletes from the early bird B D: 2 women not qualified from the general standing E: 2 Seniors not qualified from the general standing F: 2 Youth (20 or younger on 1/10 2026) not qualified from the general standing

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G: 2 athletes from the desperado

The 40 athletes are qualified to final steps as follows

Athletes positioned 1-6 in the general standing are qualified for the Final step 3

Athletes positioned 7-12 in the general standing are qualified for the Final step 2

Athletes positioned 13-28 in the general standing + athletes according to B, C, D, E, F, G.

Final step 1

28 athletes are playing 4 games starting from scratch.

Athletes positioned 1-14 is qualified for the final step 2

Athletes not qualified are ranked 27-40 according to their position in step 1

Final step 2

20 athletes are playing 4 games starting from scratch.

Athletes positioned 1-12 is qualified for the final step 3

Athletes not qualified are ranked 19-26 according to their position in step 2

Final step 3

18 athletes are playing 4 games starting from scratch.

Athletes positioned 1-8 is qualified for the final step 4

Athletes not qualified are ranked 9-18 according to their position in step 3

Final step 4

8 athletes are playing 4 games with score carried forward from final step 3.

Athletes positioned 2-8 are ranked as 2-8 according to their position in step 4

Athlete positioned 1 after these 8 games is 2025 ENGLISH OPEN CHAMPION

Tournament tie rules

Qualification

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

Final steps:

In case of a tie, there will be a 9th and 10th frame roll off.

Desperado

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

Lane assignments and lane movements

Lane draws	Tournament Staff
Athletes per pair in squads	4
Frequency of movement	After each game
Movement method	Right to right, left to left
Number of lanes to move	2 lanes

Booking policies

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Booking restriction before	A maximum of three squads can be booked before the tournament starts
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 GBP						
Squad	Day	Date	Time	Spots	Entry fee	Re-entry
Squad 01 A	Friday	2.10.2026	14.00	32	90	n/a
Squad 02 A			18.00	32	90	70
Squad 03 A	Saturday	3.10.2026	10.00	32	100	80
Squad 04 A			14.00	32	100	80
Squad 05 A			18.00	32	100	80
Squad 06 B	Sunday	4.10.2026	10.00	32	100	80
Squad 07 B			14.00	32	100	80
Squad 08 B			18.00	32	100	80
Squad 09 B	Monday	5.10.2026	19.00	32	80	60
Squad 10 B	Tuesday	6.10.2026	19.00	32	80	60
Squad 11 B	Wednesday	7.10.2026	19.00	32	80	60
Squad 12	Thursday	8.10.2026	14.00	32	90	70
Squad 13			18.00	32	100	80
Squad 14	Friday	9.10.2026	10.00	32	130	110
Squad 15			14.00	32	130	110
Squad 16			18.00	32	130	110
Squad 17	Saturday	10.10.2026	10.00	32	140	110
Squad 18			14.00	32	140	110
Squad 19			18.00	32	140	110
Desperado			22.00		50	

Schedule for the final steps

Sunday 11.10.2026

09.00: Final Step 1

11.00: Lane maintenance

12.00: Final Step 2

14.00: Lane Maintenance

15.00: Final Step 3

17.00: Lane Maintenance

18.00: Final Step 4

20.30: Award ceremony

Hotels provided by the organizer

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