

GENERAL CONDITIONS AND NOTES FROM THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

Tournament Committee: Mr M J Goldie & Mr R Cunningham.

- The Tournament must be conducted in strict accordance with the ITF Rules of Tennis, the rules of the LTA and the LTA Tournament Regulations including the LTA Code of Conduct.
- Entry into the Border Cups Tournament is reserved to players who were born in, live in or are members of a tennis club within The Borders or Dumfries & Galloway districts.
- Competitors may enter by sending an official entry forms accompanied by the appropriate fees directly to M J Goldie, 5 Nunholm Park, Dumfries, DG1 1JP. Entries must reach the Tournament Organiser by **Saturday 18th August, 2012 (the latest withdrawal date to gain a full refund is 9am on Wednesday 22nd August at the latest, withdrawals after this date may result in full or partial entry fees being withheld)**. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry without assigning a reason, to alter any condition or to modify the programme in any way they deem desirable, subject to compliance with the LTA Rules & Regulations.
No entry will be accepted without payment.
- The draw for the first round of these events will be made on **Sunday 19th August 2012**
- **FOR DOUBLES EVENTS - ONE FORM PER PERSON IS REQUIRED**
(It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure that their partner has entered to partner them)
- Consolation Events - Provided there are sufficient entries, first round losers in singles events will automatically be entered for consolation events at no additional fee.
- It is the competitor's responsibility to know when their first match is due to start and be prepared to play then and at any subsequent time at the Organiser's decision. Players are asked to sign in at the Tennis pavilion upon arrival at the Club each day. Play will commence each day at 10am and will continue until necessary.
- Order of play will be available in the Tennis pavilion and on the **Dumfries Sports Club** website, from which all competitors will be expected to note the time they have been scheduled to play on the relevant day. Competitors who are absent at the time scheduled for them or when called to play by the Organiser may be disqualified.
- Organiser's Telephone Number during Tournament week is **07734 073397**
- The main events will be decided over best of three sets. The LTA tie-break system will operate at six games all, in the first 2 sets. The 3rd set, if required, will consist of a Championship Tie Break.
Consolation events will be a single set shoot out with the LTA tie-break system in place at six games all.
The Committee may vary this arrangement at their discretion should the weather conditions threaten completion of the programme.
- **The Border Cups Tournament will be sponsored by Soltyre Ltd**
- **Match balls will be sponsored by Solway Insulation Services Ltd.**
- ITF approved balls will be used.
- The sports club has a fully licensed bar available for your use to players and guests. Changing rooms with showers are available for competitors. www.dumfriessportsclub.co.uk
- These events are played on four artificial grass (all weather) courts.
- **Competitors must wear recognised tennis clothing.**
- No complaint in connection with this Tournament can be entertained by the Committee unless made in writing and lodged with the Tournament Organiser within 48 hours of the occurrence of the complaint.
- If accommodation is required, then this link may be useful. www.dumfries-and-galloway.co.uk/accommodation/

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM
BORDER CUPS TOURNAMENT
25TH - 26TH AUGUST 2012

NAME OF COMPETITOR

Please fill in using BLOCK CAPITALS

LTA DETAILS

BTM No: _____

LTA Rating: _____

Address: _____

Postcode _____

Place of Birth _____

Current Club _____

Tel./Mobile No: _____

E-Mail: _____

Event No	OPEN EVENTS	Entry Fee Per Person	Tick to enter	Name of doubles partner.
1	MEN'S SINGLES	£6		NOT APPLICABLE
2	MEN'S DOUBLES	£5		
	TOTAL DUE	£		

Please forward entries (cheques payable to Border Cups Tournament) to;
Mr. M J Goldie, 5 Nunholm Park, Dumfries, DG1 1JP

no later than Saturday 18th August 2012.

I have read the General Conditions and agree to abide by them

Competitor's Signature _____ Date :- / /2012