



The Cippenham Series will consist of 5 Senior, 3 Junior and 3 Veterans 2 star tournaments spanning 6 weekends throughout the 2009/10 season.

Points won throughout the season's tournaments will be totalled to determine the final positions in the Cippenham Series Table. How points will be awarded is detailed in Table B below.

At the conclusion of the Cippenham Series, there will be a prize fund for each event, see Table A below. To be eligible for prize money, players must have played in 50% of the events in that category. i.e. At least 3 Senior events or at least 2 Junior or Veteran events. Subject to this eligibility, prize money shall be awarded to those players finishing in the highest positions in the Cippenham Series Table.

Table A

The final prize fund is :

Final Placing	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	TOTAL
Men's Singles	£200	£150	£100	£450
Women's Singles	£200	£150	-	£350
Veteran Men's Singles	£100	£75	£40	£215
Veteran Women's Singles	£100	£75	-	£175
Junior Boys' Singles	£100	£75	£40	£215
Junior Girls' Singles	£100	£75	-	£175
Grand Total of Prize Money				£1,580

Table B

Cippenham Series Points :

Groups		
Groups	For each match won	1
	Group winner	10
	Group runner-up	5
	Loser of 1 st KO match	0
Knock-out	Preliminary Round winner	6
	1 st Round winner	10
	2 nd Round winner	16
	3 rd Round winner	25
	4 th Round winner	40
	5 th Round winner	64
	6 th Round winner	100

- A preliminary round is one where more than half of the matches of a round are byes.
- Points shown for the knock-out stage are the total points awarded for that stage (eg. a person eliminated after 4 rounds would receive 25 points plus the points from the group stage).
- If an event is not completed then competitors still left in will be credited with the average of the points won at the time of the event being abandoned, eg. if an event is abandoned with 1 semi-final (round 5) still to be played then those semi-finalists would receive 70 points (half of 40 points plus 100 points) for the knock-out stage; the other finalist would receive 82 points (half of 64 plus 100 points).
- The points shown for the knock-out stage will be awarded for the Main (Championship) events, points will also be awarded for the knock-out stage of the Consolation events, but will be 50% of those shown, eg. a player losing in the third round of the Consolation event would receive 8 points.
- Where there are less than 10 entries for an event then that event may be run as a Round Robin. In this instance players will score points in accordance with the tables that can be found on the Cippenham website.
- Where players have an equal number of points, the players will be ranked according to the number of tournaments they have participated in. Players still equal will be declared in equal positions.

This tournament is a Computer Ranking Scheme Tournament

CIPPENHAM TABLE TENNIS CLUB
presents the



2nd Senior 2 star

2nd Veterans 2 star

Approved by the ETTA and Buckinghamshire CTTA



Saturday 27th & Sunday 28th February 2010

at

**CIPPENHAM TABLE TENNIS CENTRE,
THE WESTGATE SCHOOL, CIPPENHAM
LANE, SLOUGH, BERKSHIRE
TEL: 07707 035861**

**Referee: Mr. Mick Strode IR
Organiser: Mr. Steve Smith TO
Entries Secretary: Mr. Steve Smith
119 Willenhall Street,
Darlaston, West Midlands
WS10 8HW**

Last Date for Receipt of Entries: 19th February 2010

www.cippenhamttc.co.uk

TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

- Every entrant must be Affiliated to ETTA Ltd. or be a Member of another National Association in membership of the ITTF.
- ETTA Tournament Regulations apply to this Tournament including Regulation R (Regulations banning use of certain adhesives and restricting "gluing-up"). ITTF Regulations for International Competitions apply except those relating to the matters covered by items marked (x) in this entry form. Rackets: ITTF Regulation 3.2.1.3 does not apply (x).
- Completion and submission of this Entry Form signifies agreement by the entrant to the conditions of the competition including the variations from the ITTF requirements.
- All competitors may be required to umpire at least one match in the knock-out stage (loser stays to umpire) in each event entered and also in the groups.
- All matches shall be the best of five games. Play throughout shall be on a knockout basis, with the exception of the preliminary rounds, which shall be, in principle, groups of four, with the first and second placed in each group going forward to the knock-out championship and the third and fourth placed going forward to the consolation knock-out competition. If the number of entries permits groups may be larger than four players. The final order in a group shall be determined as per the ITTF regulation 3.7.5 for group competitions.
- Competitors in Veteran events must have been born before 1970.
- Competitors must wear rubber soled shoes and clothing that complies with ETTA Appendix C to Rules.
- No competitor or official shall engage in betting on players or matches.
- Doping shall not take place either before or during play.
- All competitors must report to the control table on arrival and be ready to play at the scheduled time for all matches.
- The Referee's decision shall be final on points of law or any question arising not provided for in these Regulations, or in any dispute as to the interpretation thereof. Decisions on points of fact by an umpire or assistant umpire appointed by the Referee shall be final. Assistant umpires will not be appointed except at the discretion of the Referee.
- Every player must hold a valid ETTA Player Licence or have paid the appropriate Single Tournament Licence Fee with their entry form unless he/she provides proof of being a member of another National Association affiliated to the ITTF and is not affiliated to ETTA Ltd.
- Competitors will not be allowed to glue up at the playing venue under any circumstances. Playing venue means the whole establishment in the playing building and the ground where the playing building stands, which contains the doorway, the car park and related facilities.
- All players shall sign the following undertaking: I undertake:
 - to observe the regulations of the tournament;
 - to abide by the decisions of the Referee;
 - to fulfil the schedule of play arranged for me unless prevented by circumstances beyond my control, and accepted as such by the Referee.
- The use of rackets prepared with glue containing VOC's will not be permitted.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Entry forms:** entry forms should be sent to and further copies of this entry form are available from Mr. Steve Smith, 119 Willenhall Street, Darlaston, West Midlands, WS10 8HW.
- If it becomes necessary to restrict entries, this shall be on the basis of last received first out.
- Playing conditions:** play throughout will be on up to 9 Tibhar Smash Super Compact tables, Joola WM nets and posts; Joola 3 star white balls; individual courts size 9m x 5m (x) enclosed by surrounds; minimum height of playing area 4m; 600 lux high frequency general fluorescent lighting at a height of 4m above the floor; Tarkett Sport 2.0 plastic floor over sprung wood base. Scoring machines will be used for all matches.
- Refreshments:** food (including hot snacks) and hot and cold drinks will be available.
- Changing:** the venue offers full changing and hot shower facilities.
- Car parking:** an extensive free car park is available at the venue.
- Practice:** there will be no separate practice facilities. Competitors may be permitted to practise on tables not in use at the discretion of the Referee.
- Admission:** there will be no charge for admission.
- Doping control tests** may take place
- Public address:** all matches will be announced on the public address system. Scheduled times for all matches will be displayed.
- Trophies:** will be presented to all winners and runners-up in the main events and consolation events.
- Accommodation:** details of hotel accommodation near to the venue are available from Mrs. Jacquie Lovell on 01344 884331.

DIRECTIONS TO VENUE

Exit M4 at J6 (Slough Central);
Take A355 North towards Slough;
At first roundabout, turn left into
Cippenham Lane; the Westgate
School is about 3/4 mile down
Cippenham Lane on right.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

Saturday
10.00 – Senior Events' Groups
13.00 – Senior Events' Knockout

Sunday
10.00 – Veteran Events' Groups
13.00 – Veteran Events' Knockout

Cippenham Series – Senior 2 & Veterans 2 2-Star Open Championships

Please complete this form in BLOCK CAPITALS using a ball point pen. A separate entry form must be completed by each player and sent to the entries secretary Mr. Steve Smith, 119 Willenhall Street, Darlaston, West Midlands, WS10 8HW to reach him not later than 19th February 2010. All entrants should ensure that they have read the regulations that apply to this tournament.

Full name:	
If not affiliated to ETTA Ltd., name of National Association:	
ETTA Player Licence number*:	

*If you do not have a current Player Licence you must pay a Single Tournament Licence Fee as detailed below.

Address:			
Postcode:		Telephone no:	
Email address:			
County of affiliation:		Date of birth:	

Event	Tick	Fee	Amount
Men's Singles (inc. ETTA levy)		£7.00	
Women's Singles (inc. ETTA levy)		£7.00	
Veteran Men's Singles (inc. ETTA levy)		£7.00	
Veteran Women's Singles (inc. ETTA levy)		£7.00	
ETTA Combined Tournament / Computer Ranking Fee	✓	£1.25	£1.25
Single Tournament Licence Fee (see below)			

Cheques etc. should be made payable to **Cippenham TTC**.

Please enclose a **stamped addressed envelope** for notifying you of the time of your first match.

Total:

Single Tournament Licence Fees for 2009/10 are: Senior £7.00; Junior £3.50; Cadet £3.00

All events are part of the 2009/10 Cippenham Series. Information on the structure of the Series and its prize fund is available on Cippenham TTC's website www.cippenhamttc.co.uk.

I undertake:

- to observe the regulations of the tournament;
- to abide by the decisions of the Referee;
- to fulfil the schedule of play arranged for me unless prevented by circumstances beyond my control and accepted as such by the Referee.

**I agree to the above information
being stored on computer system**

*(A) I do not wish to receive items from non-table tennis organisations

*(B) I do not wish to receive items from table tennis organisations

*(C) I do not wish to receive items from the ETTA

* Delete as appropriate

Signed
