

SUMMER RAPIDPLAY TOURNAMENT

a) General

1. This is a four round tournament to be held in June-July 2025
2. There will two rounds at home and two rounds away.
3. Dates will be w/c 2nd June; 16th June; 30th June & 14th July
4. There will be four sections:- Open; U1800; Under 1500; Under 1200.
5. Teams to consist of four players
6. ECF May rapidplay ratings will be used. Standard ratings if no Rapidplay
7. If no published rating an estimate agreed by the Controller to be used.
8. Eligibility for any section will be based on average rating of the four players
9. Teams may be from one club or any group of four players
10. Players can only play for one team in each section but can play in more than one section.

b) Match Arrangements

1. Each player shall play two games against their opponent with alternating colours
2. Time Limit for each game shall be 25 minutes with a 10 second increment per move.
3. In the case of a defaulted game there will be an additional – ½ penalty
4. All games will be ECF rated.
5. Players should be ECF bronze members or above subject to ECF registration rules.
6. Players who are not ECF members and have played no other games can play **seven rapidplay games** without becoming liable to ECF membership fees.
7. The Notts CA will appoint an official to organize this event.

c) Entry details

1. All entries must be received by the Notts CA official by Sunday 25th May
- 2. There is no fee for entering this event**
3. Entries should be sent by e-mail. Entry form is attached.
4. Entries should include details of match captain; venue; start time
5. Any other information (eg access for disabled players) should be included.

d) Post entry

1. A fixture list will be sent to each match captain as soon as possible after closure date.
2. This will be done by e-mail.
3. The format for the tournaments will be dependent on the number of entries
4. The Notts CA reserve the right to combine sections to ensure smooth running.
5. If odd team numbers occur best efforts will be used so every team has 4 matches.

===== **Entry Form** =====

Name of Team Match night.....

Venue..... Competition/s (Delete Open/U-1800,U-1500; U-1200

Captain's details – (name/e-mail/contact no).....

Any further information

Return to Nick London by e-mail please :- nicklondon2222@gmail.com

