

**Maximum of 30 players in each event**

**These fun events start with an Open round-robin to put players into their appropriate divisions. This is followed by Divisional round-robins each concluding with Knock Out format to establish Divisional winners/runners-up in both Adult and Junior Challenger events**

**Times of play [approx.]**

**Ballymena Adult and Junior Challenger (born after 30.06.04)**

**Round 1 Open Round Robin**  
10am to 1pm

**Round 2 Divisional Round-Robins**  
1pm to 3pm

**Round 3 Knockout**  
3 pm – 5pm

**Entries:**

Entries can be e-mailed to [n5mcb@btinternet.com](mailto:n5mcb@btinternet.com) or posted to Norman McBride, 91 Moorfields Road, Ballymarlagh, Ballymena BT42 3BU.

**General Notes:**

*Medals & cash prizes will be presented to winners and runners-up in each Division in both Adult and Challenger Events.*

**A return to Table Tennis Event**

**Ballymena Adult &  
Junior Challenger Tournaments  
on Sat. 17<sup>th</sup> September 2022**



*Hosted by*

**Ballymena Table Tennis Club**

*Venue:*

**Ballymena Academy**

**89 Galgorm Road, Ballymena, BT42 1AJ**

*Directions:*

*Ballymena Academy is a five-minute walk from both the Ballymena bus and train stations. Just turn right out of bus/train station and walk till you come to the school entrance on your right. Take first right along driveway and the hall is on the left at the hockey pitch carpark. Entrance at rear of hall. Ample parking available.*

**Closing Date for Entries:**

**Tuesday 13th September 2022**

Entry form to be received by Tues 13<sup>th</sup> September 22

ADULT CHALLENGER SINGLES		
*Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms Entrant's Name:	Phone:	League / Club
Top 20 Senior Players in Irish Ranking list excluded from entering Adult event		
CHALLENGER SINGLES		
*Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms Entrant's Name:	Phone:	Playing experience
Top 15 Junior Boys / Top 8 Cadet Boys in Irish Rankings list and Top 8 Junior Girls / Top 5 Cadet Girls in Irish Ranking list excluded from Challenger event		

JUNIOR CHALLENGER (born after 30.06.04 ]	£10
ADULT CHALLENGER SINGLES (all ages)	£10



**CHEQUES payable to: "Academy Strongtower Table Tennis Club"  
or CASH paid on the day of the Event**

## TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

- Matches will be played according to the current rules.
  - Initially, play in both events will be in an Open Round Robin of 4/5/6, [dependent on size of entry] commencing at 10am.
  - The players will then be placed in Divisional round robins based on where they finished in the Open Round Robin.
  - Round 3 of the competitions will be straight knock-out.
- The referee retains the right to change the format if necessary.**
- All matches shall be the best of five games. All competitors will be required to umpire group/knock out matches, as required.
  - All competitors must report to the control table on arrival and should not leave the hall without first obtaining permission from the Referee. Players absent when called upon to play are liable to be scratched.
  - The referee's decision shall be final on a point of law or in any dispute as to the interpretation thereof. Note: on points of fact the umpire's decision shall be final. Limits to numbers may be required so enter early.
  - It is a condition of entry that players agree to abide by the Code of Conduct of the ITTA.

**Tournament Referee:** N McBride; **Assistant Referee:** A Morgan

**Entry Fee:** £10 per event

Entry forms to be received by Tuesday **13<sup>th</sup> September 2022**

**Entries to: -**

N. McBride, 91 Moorfields Rd, Ballymarlagh, Ballymena, BT42 3BU

**Tel:** 078419 06589

**E-mail:** [n5mcb@btinternet.com](mailto:n5mcb@btinternet.com)

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## JUNIOR CHALLENGER SINGLES

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