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**FORWARD INFORMATION re INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS**

 **Lincoln IBC – 22nd April – 27th April 2025**

**P**lease see below the playing times for the above championships. As usual we start with the Ladies Harry Carver Team Competition on Tuesday 22nd April and the individual competitions will start on Wednesday 23rdApril There will be four three hourly sessions on days 1 and 2 for the individual competitions and five sessions of two and a half hours on days 3, and 4 with at least one on the Sunday prior to the Derbyshire Final .The Eversley will be played on Sunday 13th April. Unfortunately this will mean all triples matches are played on the first two days but it is the only way that we can avoid duplications and fit in the matches to be played by those bowlers who have qualified in two=35, three=17, four=5 and two in five competitions. Every effort has been made to avoid duplications, however, should there be one which affects the schedule, it may be necessary to bring in a very late session. It follows that some of you will have to play continuously if you keep winning and I hope those affected appreciate the problem.

In view of this, if you have not already notified me of any substitutes, please do not nominate anyone who is already playing in another competition if it affects the schedule. Play will commence each day at 9.30 in the individual events.

 **All competitors must accept that the championship committee have the right to change playing times whenever it proves absolutely necessary. Should any alterations be required prior to Lincoln then competitors will be notified**. **Some players will be required to play on the same rink more than once although not on the same day.**

**Please note that because of all the duplications if results do not go our way there may be another late session on the Saturday and possibly 2 sessions on the Sunday**

DRUG ABUSE IN SPORT Anyone taking prescribed drugs should obtain a Doctor’s Certificate to that effect and present it to the Secretary at the commencement of the Championships. Ref Rule 4 DRUG ABUSE IN SPORT – page 38 of the 2024 Yearbook.

# Dave Woods

Secretary

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| **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **Colleen & John Gooch Trophy (Under “25 Open Singles)** | **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **Federation Plate (Men’s Singles)** |
| A | Sat | 12. 00 | 1 | Humberside | v | Derbyshire | A | Thur | 3. 30 | 1 | Nottinghamshire | v | Norfolk |
| B | Sat | 9. 30 | 1 | Nottinghamshire | v | Norfolk | B | Thur | 12. 30 | 1 | Hunts | v | Humberside |
| C | Sat | 9. 30 | 1 | Lincs | v | Northants | C | Wed | 6. 30 | 1 | Derbyshire | v | Lincs |
| D | Fri | 7. 30 | 1 | Suffolk | v | North Essex | D | Wed | 6. 30 | 1 | Cleveland | v | Durham |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | E | Thur | 9. 30 | 1 | Suffolk | v | Northumberland |
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| F | Sat | 12. 00 | 2 | Durham | v | North Cambs | F | Thur | 3. 30 | 2 | Northants | v | Winner of E |
| G | Sat | 12. 00 | 2 | Hunts | v | Northumberland | G | Thur | 12. 30 | 2 | North Cambs | v | North Essex |
| H | Sat | 2. 30 | 2 | Winner of D | v | Winner of A | H | Thur | 9. 30 | 2 | Winner of C | v | Winner of D |
| J | Sat | 12. 00 | 2 | Winner of B | v | Winner of C | J | Fri | 7. 30 | 2 | Winner of B | v | Winner of A |
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| X | Sat | 5.00 | S-F | Winner of J | v | Winner of G | X | Sat | 9. 30 | S-F | Winner of F | v | Winner of J |
| Y | Sat | 5. 00 | S-F | Winner of H | v | Winner of F | Y | Sat | 9. 30 | S-F | Winner of G | v | Winner of H |
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| Z | Sun | 9. 30 | Final | Winner of X | V | Winner of Y | Z | Sat | 5, 00 | Final | Winner of X | v | Winner of Y |

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| **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **Northamptonshire Trophy (Mens Sen Singles)** | **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **Fred Fossitt Trophy (Mens Pairs)** |
| A | Fri | 5. 00 | 1 | Suffolk | v | Norfolk | A | Fri | 9. 30 | 1 | Durham | v | Nottinghamshire |
| B | Fri | 7. 30 | 1 | Nottinghamshire | v | Durham | B | Thur | 6. 30 | 1 | Northants | v | Cleveland |
| C | Fri | 7. 30 | 1 | North Cambs | v | Humberside | C | Fri | 9. 30 | 1 | North Cambs | v | North Essex |
| D | Fri | 7. 30 | 1 | North Essex | v | Cleveland | D | Fri | 12.00 | 1 | Suffolk | v | Derbyshire |
| E | Fri | 5. 00 | 1 | Lincs | v | Northumberland | E | Fri | 9.30 | 1 | Hunts | v | Northumberland |
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| F | Sat | 12.00 | 2 | Derbyshire | v | Winner of D | F | Fri | 2. 30 | 2 | Norfolk | v | Winner of A |
| G | Sat | 2. 30 | 2 | Winner of B | v | Northants | G | Fri | 5. 00 | 2 | Winner of D | v | Lincs |
| H | Sat | 9. 30 | 2 | Hunts | v | Winner of C | H | Fri | 2. 30 | 2 | Humberside | v | Winner of E |
| J | Sat | 9. 30 | 2 | Winner of A | v | Winner of E | J | Fri | 2. 30 | 2 | Winner of C | v | Winner of B |
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| X | Sat | 2. 30 | S-F | Winner of F | v | Winner of J | X | Sat | 12. 00 | S-F | Winner of F | v | Winner of G |
| Y | Sat | 5. 00 | S-F | Winner of G | v | Winner of H | Y | Sat | 12. 00 | S-F | Winner of J | v | Winner of H |
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| Z | Sun | 9. 30 | Final | Winner of X | v | Winner of Y | Z | Sun |  9. 30 | Final | Winner of X | v | Winner of Y |

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| **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **Jubilee Trophy (Men’s Rinks)** | **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **Northumberland Trophy (Mixed Pairs)** |
| A | Wed | 9. 30 | 1 | Humberside | v | North Essex | A | Thurs | 3. 30 | 1 | North Essex | v | Suffolk |
| B | Wed | 9. 30 | 1 | Northumberland | v | Suffolk | B | Thurs | 12. 30 | 1 | Northants | v | Northumberland |
| C | Wed | 9. 30 | 1 | North Cambs | v | Derbyshire | C | Thurs | 3. 30 | 1 | Nottinghamshire | v | Lincs |
| D | Wed | 9. 30 | 1 | Lincs | v | Cleveland | D | Thurs | 3. 30 | 1 | Derbyshire | v | Norfolk |
| E | Wed | 12. 30 | 1 | Durham | v | Nottinghamshire | E | Thurs | 3. 30 | 1 | North Cambs | v | Durham |
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| F | Wed | 3. 30 | 2 | Northants | v | Winner of D | F | Fri | 9. 30 | 2 | Humbershire | v | Winner of E |
| G | Wed | 3. 30 | 2 | Winner of B | v | Hunts | G | Fri | 9. 30 | 2 | Winner of B | v | Hunts |
| H | Wed | 3. 30 | 2 | Winner of E | v | Winner of A | H | Fri | 9. 30 | 2 | Cleveland | v | Winner of A |
| J | Wed | 3. 30 | 2 | Norfolk | v | Winner of C | J | Fri | 9. 30 | 2 | Winner of D | v | Winner of C |
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| X | Thur | 12. 30 | S-F | Winner of J | v | Winner of H | X | Fri | 5. 00 | S-F | Winner of J | v | Winner of G |
| Y | THur | 12. 30 | S-F | Winner of F | v | Winner of G | Y | Fri | 5. 00 | S-F | Winner of H | v | Winner of F |
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| Z | Thur |  6. 30 | Final | Winner of X | v | Winner of Y | Z | Sat | 5. 00 | Final | Winner of X | v | Winner of Y |

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| **Tie** | **Day** | **Time** | **Rnd** | **The Thompson Trophy (Mixed Rinks)** |
| A | Wed | 12. 30 | 1 | Northumberland | v | North Essex |
| B | Wed | 12. 30 | 1 | North Cambs | v | Humbershire |
| C | Wed | 12. 30 | 1 | Durham | v | Nottinghamshire |
| D | Wed | 12. 30 | 1 | Derbyshire | v | Northants |
| E | Wed | 12. 30 | 1 | Cleveland | v | Hunts |
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| F | Wed | 6. 30 | 2 | Norfolk | v | Lincs |
| G | Wed | 6. 30 | 2 | Winner of A | v | Winner of B |
| H | Wed | 6. 30 | 2 | Winner of C | v | Winner of E |
| J | Wed | 6. 30 | 2 | Suffolk | v | Winner of D |
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| X | Thur | 9. 30 | S-F | Winner of H | v | Winner of G |
| Y | Thur | 9. 30 | S-F | Winner of F | v | Winner of J |
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| z | Thur | 6. 30 |  | Winner of X | v | Winner of Y |