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# WARWICKSHIRE BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

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April 2012

Dear Player,

As some of you are aware, it has been very difficult this last season to fulfil the commitments for all 4 teams, due to unavailability and lack of players, - mainly ladies.

Also, it has been discovered that a number of players have not paid membership fees, (Nomads fees), and are not affiliated to 'Badminton England' through their clubs. This leaves the 'Warwickshire Badminton Association' in a difficult position and subject to penalty fines.

The Committee have decided, therefore, to change their selection process for next season to ensure that there are enough players to meet the requirements of 3 teams, and that the players selected are, at an early stage, made aware of the season's fixtures and their commitments.

The selection process will involve the following:-

27<sup>th</sup> May 2012 :- Spring Challenge Tournament at Langley School, (entry form attached).

August 2012:- Letters sent out to players which will include:-  
(1) announcement of initial team squad selection;  
(2) a 'Nomads' membership form;  
(3) important dates and information;

Mid September :- Solihull Silver Tournament.

End of September:- Warwickshire Restricted Tournaments.

31<sup>st</sup> October 2012:- Deadline for payment of 'Nomads' fees.  
**(Anyone not having paid by this date will not be selected for further matches until the full payment has been received)**

**N.B.** Players not able to attend on the 27<sup>th</sup> May should contact SUE SPINK in writing to express their interest in being considered for selection.

It is hoped that by having a more formal selection process, the squads will be a true representation of DEDICATED AND COMMITTED PLAYERS.



**WARWICKSHIRE BADMINTON ASSOCIATION  
SPRING CHALLENGE  
27<sup>th</sup> May 2012**



**Langley Secondary School, Kineton Green Road, Olton, Solihull, B92 7ER**

ENTRIES TO: Sue Spink, 54, Cambridge Way, Acocks Green, Birmingham, B27 6SF Tel: 0121 7071722  
e-mail - [aspink2@hotmail.com](mailto:aspink2@hotmail.com)

Please help by **PRINTING** clearly

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

POST CODE \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

D.O.B \_\_\_\_\_ (Only required if born after 1<sup>st</sup> January 1996)

I wish to enter the following events **PLEASE TICK CLEARLY** Closing Entry Date **13<sup>th</sup> May 2012**

EVENT	TICK	EVENT	TICK	EVENT	TICK
MENS DOUBLES (Approx 1.30pm – 5pm)		LADIES DOUBLES (Approx 1.30pm – 5pm)		MIXED (Approx 5pm – 7pm)	
MENS SINGLES (Approx 7pm – 9pm)		LADIES SINGLES (Approx 7pm – 9pm)			

Names will be pulled out of a hat for level and mixed partners on the day. Depending on number of entrants, it is anticipated playing 3-4 matches, each with a different partner. Points will be accrued per match per individual

I enclose the entry fee of **£3.00** per person per event. Cheques should be payable to WBA.

TOTAL FEE £ ..... SIGNED ..... DATE .....

**CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

You are recommended to keep this section

1. Players born after 1<sup>st</sup> January 1996 will only be accepted if space available.
2. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to restrict the entry to that appropriate to the capacity of the venue.
3. Yonex Feather Shuttlecocks will be used throughout.
4. The entry fee will be £3.00 per person per event. Cheques should be made payable to W.B.A.
5. Entry forms and the correct fee should be forwarded to the Tournament Secretary before the entry closing date. Late entries **WILL ONLY** be accepted if numbers permit
6. Details of reporting times will be posted at least 3 days before the event on [badmintonwarwickshire.co.uk](http://badmintonwarwickshire.co.uk). Please contact the Secretary if notification is not received.
7. The entry form is valid for this tournament only.
8. Points will be accrued per match for doubles and mixed events and prizes will be awarded to the person with the highest points in each event.
9. Intending video camera users should seek prior permission from the Tournament Referee.
10. All details contained herein are correct at the time of printing. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to alter these conditions and, in particular, the format of play, as deemed fit.
11. Valid claims for refunds must be made in writing to the Tournament Secretary, no later than 2 weeks after the tournament. Claims made after this date may not be paid.
12. Only players who are eligible to represent Warwickshire can enter this tournament

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