

2011 COUNTIES MANUKAU OPEN Table Tennis Championships

To be held on

Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th June

Manurewa Table Tennis Club
Cnr Browns and McVilly Rds
Manurewa

TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

Date	Approximate Times	Events
Saturday 25th	9.00am	B Grade and Over 40 singles
	11.00am	C Grade Singles
	1.00 pm	Open Men's and Women's Singles and Over 50 singles
	3.00pm	Continuation of above plus doubles commence
Sunday 26th	9.00am	Under 15 Singles and doubles
	11.00am	Under 21 Singles and doubles
	1.00pm	Under 13 Singles and doubles
	3.00pm	Under 18 Singles and doubles + continuation of all other events if necessary.

Tournament Officials

Tournament Managers:	Colin Spurdle & Alan Glover
Tournament Secretary:	Kate Fletcher
Referee:	Ivan Moffat

Entries Close Wednesday 22 June 2011

Send Entries with Correct Entry Fees to the CMTTA's Games Secretary
Kate Fletcher, 72 Clark Road, Papakura 2113. (Ph 2991770)
E-mail: ktb_2@yahoo.com

(Please make cheques payable to Counties Manukau Table Tennis Association)

All money to be received before tournament. Non-payment by day of tournament without prior agreement with tournament secretary may result in removal from tournament.

CONDITIONS

EQUIPMENT

- Tables: Blue Tihbar Smash
- Nets: Tihbar
- Ball: Stag 40mm White 3 Star

RULES

- All matches shall be played under the Laws and International Regulations of Table Tennis as adopted by the ITTF and TTNZ

ELIGIBILITY

- Only registered members of TTNZ and players affiliated to ITTF member countries are eligible. TTNZ members **must** quote their membership number and name at time of registration on their entry form.
- Eligibility for age-group events is determined by age as at 31st December **last** for all **Under age events** and as at 31st December **next** for all **Over age events**. Proof of age may be required.
- B Grade: Men and Women – Rating lower than 25 on TTNZ Rating list as at 1st June 2011
- C Grade: Men lower than 100 and Women lower than 60 on TTNZ rating list as at 1st June 2011

ENTRIES

- The correct fees **must** accompany entries. Cheques to be made payable to Counties Manukau Table Tennis.
- The Association reserves the right to refuse any entry and to vary restrictions at its discretion.
- Both players in any doubles pairing must submit separate individual entries for the same doubles event.
- Doubles are any combination of male and females.
- All singles events apart from the Open events are mixed.
- Prize money stated is reliant on a minimum entry number for each event. If minimum entry number is not reached for an event, the prize money may be altered on the day by the tournament managers and secretary.

DRAWS

- Any event with less than 4 singles entries or 3 doubles pairs may be cancelled at the discretion of the association. Players so affected will be entered in the next higher age category if they are not already in that category.
- The right is reserved to make alterations to any draw or the tournament timing.
- We will endeavour if numbers allow, to use group play for all singles events. Either one or two players will qualify from each group into a Knock-out stage.
- Only the Open Men's and Women's Singles Knock-out stage will be best of 7 advantage games up to 11 points. All other events and groups will be best of 5 advantage games up to 11 points.

DRUGS

- The New Zealand Sports Drug Agency reserves the right to conduct random drug testing.

GLUING

- No gluing shall be permitted inside the stadium.

AUTHORITY

- The Tournament Manager reserves the right to vary these conditions, and to exercise control over all activities within the stadium and adjacent areas. This includes the right to default players who fail to respond when called to the table within the published or announced playing session times.
- The Referee and delegated assistants reserve the right to apply and enforce the Laws and International Regulations of Table Tennis as adopted by the ITTF and TTNZ. Their interpretation of these laws and regulations is final.

CLOTHING

- Non Marking sports shoes must be worn
- No caps or other head gear is allowed to be worn
- No white coloured clothing can be worn as we are using white table tennis balls
- No jeans or other inappropriate clothing is allowed to be worn
- The Referee is the sole judge as to what is appropriate clothing

NOTE

Players may enter a maximum of 3 singles events and 5 events in total on Saturday and a maximum of 2 singles events and 4 events in total on Sunday.

