



CHAMPIONS BOWL GB

National Finals 2021

29th May – 5th June

FACTSHEET

ACCEPTANCE & MATCH DATES

Referees: **Brenda Stewart** and **Ilge Alpay** (contact details will be communicated on acceptance)

Enter Online: <http://gb.champ-bowl.com> | Entry closing Date: **23 May 2021**

Entry Fee: **£30** (payable on acceptance). Withdrawals allowed with full refund up to entry closing date.

Maximum Events: Players may only compete in their own age category, based on year of birth.

Sat 29 May	Sun 30 May	Mon 31 May	Tue 1 June	Wed 2 June	Thu 3 June	Fri 4 June	Sat 5 June	Sun 6 June
		9 & U (born 2012/2013)						
10 & U (born 2011)								
11 & U (born 2010)								
		12 & U (born 2009)						
				13 & U (born 2008)				
				14 & U (born 2007)				
				15 & U (born 2006)				
				16 & U (born 2005)				

- **10/11&U** events avoid the LTA Grade 2 National Tour tournament at Bradfield College.
- **15/16&U** events overlap with the 16&U LTA Grade 1 National Championships in Surbiton (10 minutes away by car) by one day - but players entered in both tournaments will NOT be required to play at Champions Bowl until 3rd June at the earliest. We will be flexible with our match timings and operate a “bypass” system to enable semi finalists in the National Championships to be lifted out of the Champions Bowl draw and play-off against each-other on Finals Day and compete for a Wild Card into the World Finals.
- Sunday 6th June reserved to complete draws (all age categories) in the event of bad weather or other unexpected reasons for non-completion of earlier rounds.
- Provisional draw-size will be 64.
- The first 28 players to enter ranked top 200 in GB (for their year of birth) will be accepted on a first to enter basis. For all other players, acceptance will be based on a combination of a player’s LTA ranking and UTR on the entry closing date. Up to 4 Wild Cards per draw may be awarded at the Referee’s discretion.
- Entry accepted subject to players and parents agreeing to entry conditions including COVID-safety protocols and code of conduct (to be communicated upon acceptance).

VENUE INFORMATION

Address:

Tennis Avenue School Ltd.
Manor Park
Off Malden Road
New Malden KT3 6AU

Court Surface:

8 x Macadam Hard courts
(other nearby courts may be used
should it be necessary)

Facilities:

- Light refreshments
- Toilets
- Use of indoor spaces
subject to COVID-safety
protocols

MATCHES

Balls: Wilson

- 9&U, 10&U - Green balls (with normal court size)
- 11&U and above - Yellow balls

Match Format:

- All matches non-umpired (players must be familiar playing non-umpired matches).
- 9&U, 10&U and 11&U matches, best of two Fast4 sets with a match tie-break at set-all.
- 12&U and above categories best of three regular sets.
- We reserve the right to alter the times of play and competition format should circumstances dictate.

PRIZES

9&U, 10&U, 11&U, 12&U

- Champions Bowl winners and runners up receive the biggest trophies in British tennis!
- All winners will be offered a full scholarship to **Tennis Avenue School** for a minimum of 1 year (worth £9000).
- All winners will be offered a national level racket sponsorship by **Wilson**.
- All semi-finalists and finalists receive generous goodies and prizes from **Wilson**.
- All winners and runners-up will be invited to travel to the World Finals in Croatia 5th-12th September, represent the GB Champions Bowl team and compete against the respective winners and runners-up of their age category in the other participating nations.
- All winners accepting the invitation to travel to the World Finals will receive £300 towards the travel and accommodation costs, courtesy of **PrizeCrawl**.
- All entrants to the Champions Bowl (including first round players) receive a 25% discount code for **Wilson** products.

13&U, 14&U, 15&U, 16&U

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