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# The Glasgow Open

**Table Tennis Championships  
Drumchapel High School  
45 Cally Avenue**

**Glasgow G15 7SQ tel: 0141 582 0070  
31st May / 1st June 2014**

**A tournament for disabled players**

**Closing Date 16th May 2014**

**All entries to**

**Terry McLernon MBE Tel: 0141 944 7276**

**Drumchapel Table Tennis Club**

**192a East Drumry Road**

**Glasgow G15 8NS**



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# WELCOME

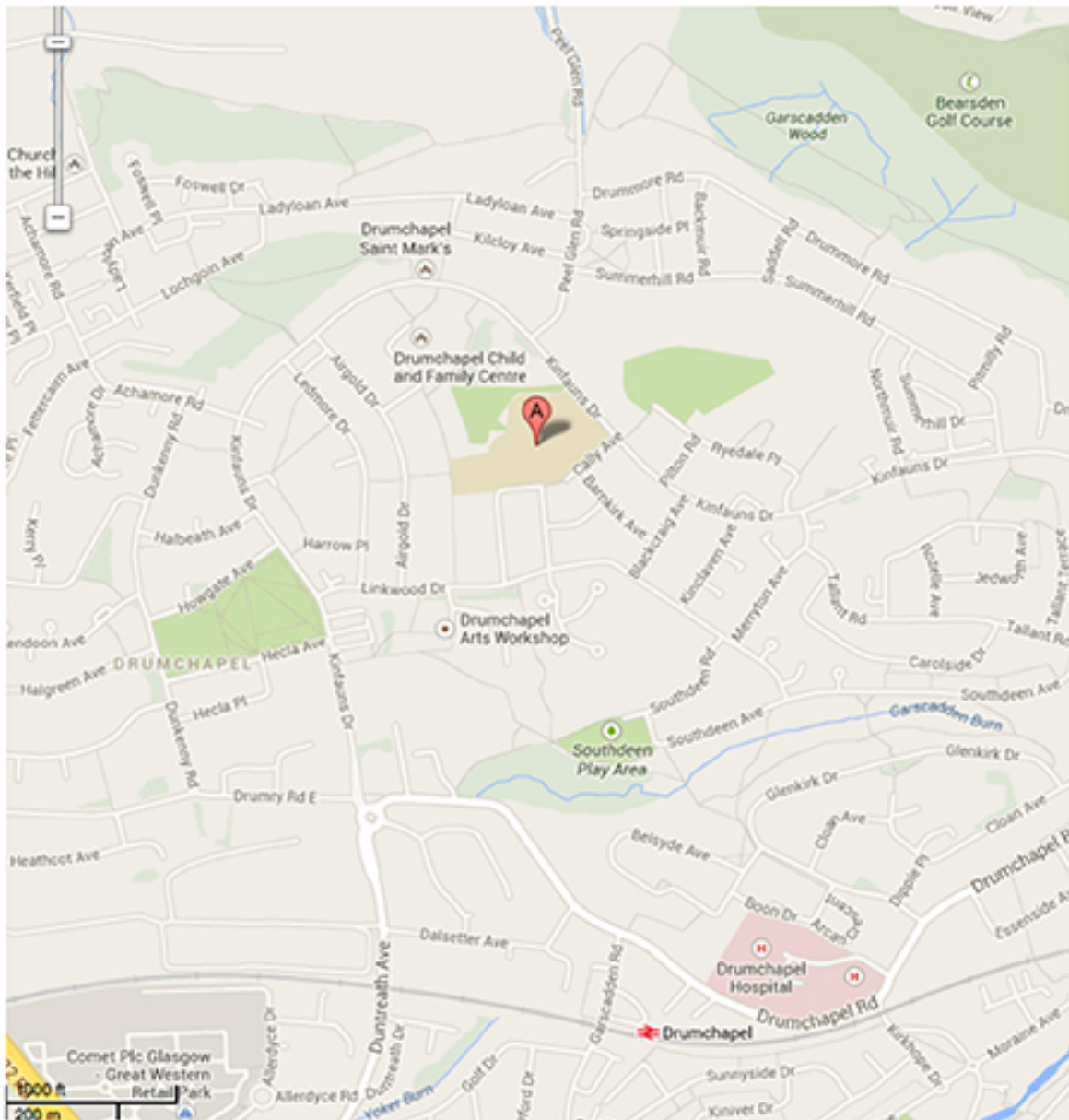
Hello & welcome to the Glasgow Open 2014 for what I'm sure will be an enjoyable and keenly contested table tennis tournament. There have been too many people involved in the organisation of this event to mention individually, but special thanks must be given to our sponsors **Glasgow Life**, **Scottish Disability Sport**, **Sports Council for Glasgow**, **Table Tennis Scotland**, our friends in **BTTAD** for their help and support and **Drumchapel High School** for the use of their magnificent facilities. We also hope that you, the competitors, enjoy our renowned Scottish warmth and hospitality and make the Glasgow Open a regular date in your calendars.



Terry McLernon MBE  
Chairman Table Tennis Scotland

## DIRECTIONS TO Drumchapel High School 45 Cally Avenue Glasgow G15 7SQ

<http://www.yell.com/biz/drumchapel-high-school-glasgow-3078863/>



## **EVENT INFORMATION**

Doubles, juniors and open banded events will each be split into 4 categories.

Women's Wheelchair

Women's Standing

Men's Wheelchair

Men's Standing

If insufficient entries are received, the organisers reserve the right to merge male and female categories. In that case doubles pairings may be mixed, ie male/female. The organisers reserve the right to cancel a banded event if insufficient entries are received. Players would then be placed in the next highest band.

### **1. Doubles**

If you wish to play in the doubles and do not have a partner, please put "wanted" instead of giving the name.

### **2. Junior Singles**

The doubles and junior events will be run at the same time so players cannot play in both. Players who are eligible for the junior event must decide which of the two events – doubles or junior – they wish to play in.

### **3. Open Singles**

There will be three bands. Players may only play in one band but they may elect to play in a higher band if they so wish.

Band A – Players ranked 1 to 12

Band B – Players ranked 13 to 25

Band C – Players ranked outside the top 25

### **4. Class Singles**

Players will play against other players in their Class.

Classes will be split into male and female categories. Organisers reserve the right to merge classes and/or male female categories if insufficient entries are received.

All competitions will be held under the rules of the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF).

## **CLOSING DATE**

Entries should be received by Friday 16th May 2014. No entries will be accepted after that date. Should the number of entries exceed the time we have available for the event, Drumchapel Table Tennis Club reserves the right to decline entries.

The minimum age for entry is 11 years as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2013. Juniors must be under 18 on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2013

## **AWARDS**

Awards will be presented to the winner, finalist and third place of each event. A third place will be awarded to both semi-finalists if there are eight or more entries in that event.

## **ACCOMMODATION**

There are several hotels in the area. Two examples are listed overleaf.

**Premier Inn Bearsden**  
279 Milngavie Road, Glasgow,  
Strathclyde G61 3DQ  
**T: 0871 527 8418\***More info  
**F: 0871 527 8419**

**Premier Inn Milngavie**  
103 Main Street, Milngavie,  
Scotland G62 6JQ  
**T: 0871 527 8428\***More info  
**F: 0871 527 8429**

#### ENTRY FEES

The entry fee is £30.00 per person. Entries will not be accepted without the correct payment.  
Cheques should be made payable to **Drumchapel Table Tennis Club.**

#### VIDEO AND PHOTOGRAPHY

In line with TT Scotland's policy, any person wishing to take photos at the event must register their details with staff on reception. This includes the use of a mobile telephone with photographic or video facility.

TT Scotland may take photographs/recording of you whilst at this event. These images may appear in publicity material or websites. We therefore require all entrants to complete the photography consent section of the entry form.

The organisers will only use images of athletes to promote sport recreation or competition through publicity material, media, contacts or other appropriate means and will not include personal email, postal addresses, telephone or fax numbers.

#### PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME OF EVENTS (Subject to change)

Saturday 31st May	10:00am	Registration
	10.30am	Start Class 1-12 Singles
	11.00am	Junior Event
	3.15pm	Class 1-12 Doubles
	7.15pm	Finish for day 1
Sunday 1st June	9.45am	Open Competition (If necessary completion of the class singles)
	Approx 3.20pm	Trophy presentation of events
	4.00pm	Finish for day 2

All play will initially be on a group basis. Subject to the level of entries and time available it is hoped that, if required, both the winner and runnerup of each group will proceed to a knockout stage.

#### EVENT CONTACT

Please return completed entry forms, with cheque, to  
**Mr Terry McLernon MBE**  
**Drumchapel Table Tennis Club**  
192a East Drumry Road  
Glasgow G15 8NS Tel: 0141 944 7276

## **Classification**

Entry is open to all players with a disability. Players will be grouped into the following classes:

### **Wheelchair users:**

#### **Class One Profiles 1, 2, 4 and 5**

For those with power loss. Elbow and wrist extension is achieved by swinging movements of the shoulder. All trunk movements are achieved by holding on to the wheelchair with the hand, or back of the wheelchair with the elbow bent. For those with poor co-ordination, there are unorthodox arm and trunk movements. A maximum playing-arm score of 45 points for power, range or co-ordination (P,R or C) is allowed.

#### **Class Two Profiles 3 and 6**

For those with power loss. Elbow extension should be possible, but the wrists and hands are weaker. The trunk movements are as in class 1. A maximum playing-arm score of 55 points for power, range or co-ordination is allowed.

#### **Class Three Profiles 7, 8 and 9**

Trunk affected by more than 50% loss of power, range, or co-ordination, or maximum score for playing arm is 68, or non-playing arm unable to hold on to chair and a maximum score of 48 for P,R or C.

#### **Class Four Profile 10**

Trunk movements to increase reach are only possible by using free arm to prop, hold or push at wheelchair or thigh. P,C or R scores for legs are 20 or below

#### **Class Five Profile 11**

Trunk may be bent forward or raised deliberately in sagittal plane without use of arms. Pushing action with legs is allowed. Scores for P,R or C should be below 45 in each leg.

### **Standing**

#### **Class Six Profiles 12, 13, 17 and 31**

Combination of loss of P,R or C in playing arm and legs. Dynamic and static balance moderately impaired.

#### **Class Seven Profiles 21, 22, 26 and 29**

Mainly arm impairment. Maximum score for P,R or C is 60 for arms. If legs are also impaired a score of 68 is allowed.

#### **Class Eight Profiles 14, 18, 19, 20, 27 and 28**

One leg severely impaired, or two legs moderately impaired. Maximum P,R or C score for one impaired leg is 30 and for both impaired legs is 60. For hemiplegics maximum leg score is 40.

#### **Class Nine Profiles 15, 20, 23 and 25 (very minimal)**

One leg impaired. Some people with impairment in both legs may be more suited to this class. Maximum score for P,R or C for one impaired limb is 60 or for both impaired limbs is 68.

#### **Class Ten Profiles 16, 24 and 30**

Impairment of P,R or C in the non-playing arm or in the trunk. Maximum score for arm is 68 and for trunk is 50.

#### **Class Eleven Profile 39**

Learning disability. Players must hold a national or international registration (see below)

#### **Class Twelve Hearing Impairment**

Players who are deaf or have a hearing impairment.

## **CLASSIFICATION/PROFILES**

The International Para Table Tennis Committee classification system will be used.

## **CLASSIFICATION/REGISTRATION FOR PLAYERS WITH A LEARNING DISABILITY**

Players must hold a national or International (INAS) registration. Details and copies of the form are available from the Mencap Sport website at [www.mencap.org.uk/sport](http://www.mencap.org.uk/sport).

**ENTRY FORM    The Glasgow Open**

**Competition Date 31st May & 1st June 2014. Closing Date 16th May 2014**

Please send form back to Terry McLernon MBE, Drumchapel Table Tennis Club,  
192a East Drumry Road, Glasgow G15 8NS

(Please complete one form for each player taking part)

**PLAYER DETAILS**

Player Name		Date of Birth	/ /
Club			
Address		Male or Female	M / F
Telephone	Home	Mobile	
Email			

**ENTRY DETAILS**

Please state which class you will play in: (refer to the classification guide)	
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Which events do you wish to enter (please tick): (see information pack for rules)			
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Doubles		Please state your partner's name	
Open Singles		Please state your band (A, B or C)	
Class Singles		Please state your class	
Junior Singles			

I enclose a cheque payable to Drumchapel TT Club for £30.  
If you would like a receipt, please enclose a SAE.                      YES    NO

**VIDEO/PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT (PLEASE)**                      YES    NO  
Can we use your photograph in printed material and on the Drumchapel TT Club website?

**DECLARATION OF MEDICAL CONDITIONS**

I wish to compete in the Glasgow Open Table Tennis Competition. I understand that Table Tennis Scotland require me to state any known medical conditions and their management.

Known medical condition(s)/medication taken: *(print n/a if there are no medical conditions)*

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**DECLARATION**

SIGNATURE OF PLAYER: .....                      DATE: .....

SIGNATURE of PARENT/GUARDIAN IF UNDER AGE 18: .....