



Regional Premiership and Championship Pre-Season Tournament 2024

Sunday September 15th 2024, 9.30am to 4.30pm

Keep up to date with fixtures, results and the league table during the day here:

<https://www.westberrieshockey.co.uk/wlhctournament2024>

Welcome

& thank you for entering our tournament

Below is an outline to the day and hopefully some useful information.

Venue

Clifton College Sports Ground
Abbots Leigh
Bristol
BS8 3QD

Registration

- Registration in the main table by the pitches 1 and 2 at **9.10am**. All teams to attend.
- Please could **2** representatives from your club register your team and collect information.
- These 2 contacts will be your clubs contact throughout the day.
- Please could your team umpire please also register themselves at the desk in the morning as well.

Matches

- It is single league round robin tournament. There is a total of eight matches for each team. Each match is **20mins** long.
- The first games will start promptly at **9:30am**. Full playing schedule is listed later in this document.
- **Please bring home and away shirts** as there will be some clashes of kit. Playing kit for each match is listed in the playing schedule. First named team will wear home kit.
- **We will run central timing** for the games to prevent any games slipping. Games will start and stop on a hooter. We have planned a tight schedule to ensure as much hockey playing time as possible.
- It is each team's responsibility to be on the pitch and ready to start their games when the hooter goes.
- If a team is not on the pitch within **5 minutes** of the starting hooter they will concede the game.
- In the result of an injury the timing will not be stopped. If the injury occurs towards the end of the game carrying into the final whistle, the result will stand as at time of injury. (Hopefully this will not need to happen!)
- Usual rules apply as does point scoring for a win/draw/loss.

Hockey Supplier – The Stick Club

- There will be a hockey retailer running a stall at the event selling sticks, shoes and other hockey equipment. They are the Stick Club from Cheltenham (<https://thestickclub.co.uk/>).
- **You can order from them in advance or ask them to bring specific equipment for you to try out. To do this then please email them in advance of the tournament on: contact@thestickclub.co.uk**

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Food & Drink

- There is a bar on site serving drinks all day but there will **be no food available** to purchase on site. **Please bring food with you.**

Supporters

- We hope the day will prove successful and if you would like to bring supporters/family along then please do.
- We're a family friendly club. There are grass areas next to the pitches and which is protected by fences so please feel free to bring scooters, mini hockey sticks and balls, and other such toys!

Additional Information

- Free parking is available on site.
- We are looking to arrange for all the changing rooms to open for teams to use
- Toilets are located in the changing rooms, on the end of the changing room block and in the club house 100m from the pitches.
- In the event of bad weather you are welcome to bring a tent to store kit and remain sheltered.

Teams

	Team	Home Colours	Away Colours
1	Cheltenham HC	Black and White	White
2	Clifton Robinsons HC	Navy Blue	White
3	Firebrands HC	Red \ Black	White \ Black
4	Gwent HC	Orange	White
5	Howardians LHC	Black and Pink	-
6	Old Bristolians HC	Maroon and White	Blue
7	Redland LHC	Green	Red Shirts
8	Swindon HC	Orange	-
9	Taunton Vale HC	Blue \ white	White \ Red
10	Westberries LHC	Red \ Navy	White
11	Whitchurch Saints HC	Blue \ Blue	White \ Red
12	Yate HC	Navy Blue	White



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Playing Schedule (20 minutes ONE way, 5 minutes between games to allow players and umpires to transfer between pitches)

9.10am – Team Registration at Main Desk (see first page for more details)

	Pitch 1			Pitch 2			Pitch 3		
Time	Team 1	v	Team 2	Team 1	v	Team 2	Team 1	v	Team 2
9:30 AM	Gwent HC	v	Whitchurch HC	Clifton Robinsons HC	v	Cheltenham HC	Howardians LHC	v	Old Bristolians HC
9:55 AM	Firebrands HC	v	Gwent HC	Swindon HC	v	Whitchurch HC	Taunton Vale HC	v	Westberries LHC
10:20 AM	Howardians LHC	v	Clifton Robinsons HC	Old Bristolians HC	v	Redland LHC	Westberries LHC	v	Yate HC
10:45 AM	Whitchurch HC	v	Cheltenham HC	Redland LHC	v	Firebrands HC	Gwent HC	v	Swindon HC
11:10 AM	Howardians LHC	v	Cheltenham HC	Clifton Robinsons HC	v	Yate HC	Old Bristolians HC	v	Taunton Vale HC
11:35 AM	Howardians LHC	v	Whitchurch HC	Redland LHC	v	Swindon HC	Westberries LHC	v	Gwent HC
12:00 PM	Cheltenham HC	v	Firebrands HC	Yate HC	v	Taunton Vale HC	Bye	v	Bye
12:25 PM	Swindon HC	v	Clifton Robinsons HC	Westberries LHC	v	Howardians LHC	Whitchurch HC	v	Old Bristolians HC
12:50 PM	Cheltenham HC	v	Taunton Vale HC	Yate HC	v	Redland LHC	Bye	v	Bye
1:15 PM	Firebrands HC	v	Old Bristolians HC	Gwent HC	v	Howardians LHC	Whitchurch HC	v	Clifton Robinsons HC
1:40 PM	Yate HC	v	Old Bristolians HC	Redland LHC	v	Gwent HC	Cheltenham HC	v	Westberries LHC
2:05 PM	Firebrands HC	v	Yate HC	Taunton Vale HC	v	Clifton Robinsons HC	Swindon HC	v	Howardians LHC
2:30 PM	Clifton Robinsons HC	v	Firebrands HC	Old Bristolians HC	v	Westberries LHC	Whitchurch HC	v	Redland LHC
2:55 PM	Swindon HC	v	Yate HC	Gwent HC	v	Taunton Vale HC	Bye	v	Bye
3:20 PM	Old Bristolians HC	v	Cheltenham HC	Firebrands HC	v	Howardians LHC	Redland LHC	v	Westberries LHC
3:45 PM	Yate HC	v	Whitchurch HC	Taunton Vale HC	v	Swindon HC	Clifton Robinsons HC	v	Redland LHC
4:10 PM	Taunton Vale HC	v	Firebrands HC	Westberries LHC	v	Swindon HC	Cheltenham HC	v	Gwent HC

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