

A Tournament in the
BADMINTON England
Satellite Circuit



The **Yehlex Cheshire Open** Satellite Tournament

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20/21 February 2010

at
CHESHIRE COUNTY SPORTS CLUB
PLAS NEWTON LANE, CHESTER. CH2 1PR
TEL: 01244 318167

EVENTS

Saturday 20 February 2010
(From 10.00 a.m.)

3 rounds Men's and Ladies Singles 3 Rounds Men's and Ladies Doubles
2 Rounds – Mixed Doubles

Sunday 21 February 2010
(From 10.00 a.m.)

Men's and Ladies Singles Semi-Finals Men's and Ladies Doubles Semi-Finals
Mixed Doubles Quarter Finals and Semi Finals

Finals of all events on 2 Courts.

Prize money of £600 will be distributed

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Cheques should be made payable to: Cheshire County Badminton Association

Entries Close : Saturday 30 January 2010

Satellite Circuit Tournament Conditions

1. The tournament will be run in accordance with the Tournament Regulations of BADMINTON England
2. Competitors must be in good standing with their National Association and members of an organisation affiliated to the BWF.
3. All Competitors should be 16 and over on 1st January 2010.
4. Each host association reserves the right to include up to two wildcards in each event not normally qualifying under the limitations of entries.
5. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry without assigning a reason and to alter or modify the programme in any way it sees fit. Its decision on all matters shall be final.
6. **Entries must be made on the official form and must be received by the Tournament Secretary listed on the prospectus cover, with entry fees, by the stated closing date. Each competitor must send in a separate entry form, doubles entries will not be accepted without an entry from both players.** Competitors wanting a partner should enter "partner wanted" in column 3 on the entry form. If at its discretion the Tournament Committee should accept entries and/or fees after this date, there will be a surcharge of £5.00 per player.
7. WITHDRAWAL. Notification of withdrawal must be given immediately to the Referee by telephone to the number shown overleaf before the tournament starts. Confirmation of any telephone call must be sent in writing to the Tournament Secretary. The Committee may require documentary evidence to support the withdrawal because of injury or illness or for any other reason. Withdrawal during the Tournament must be notified to the Referee. All withdrawals are subject to the Regulations for Tournaments of the Association, and are therefore applicable to an admin fee being deducted. No refund is due if withdrawal is within 36 hours of the start of the tournament.
8. No player/pair shall enter or be entered in two competitions if the published dates of the competitions overlap. A player is deemed to have entered, for the purpose of this regulation, if the entry has been made and not withdrawn on the closing date. Any subsequent withdrawal by a player/pair accepted in the draw of a tournament will not allow the player/pair to enter in any other event with overlapping dates. For the purpose of this regulation match selection will be treated as an event.
9. Competitors must be prepared to play at the times stated for the commencement of each event. Competitors will be advised by post or email of the time they are required for their first match in each event for which their entry has been accepted. If no such notification has been received four days prior to the tournament it is the responsibility of the competitor to enquire from the Referee or Tournament Secretary (see front of the prospectus). Competitors must report to the Referee immediately upon arrival, and must not leave the hall without the Referee's permission, until eliminated from all events. ANY COMPETITOR NOT READY TO PLAY WHEN CALLED UPON WILL BE LIABLE TO BE SCRATCHED. Play shall not take place on days other than those sanctioned and no competitor shall be obliged to commence a match before 9.00 a.m. or after 11.00 p.m. on any such day. Any competitor who is not prepared to play outside these times of play shall be entitled to a refund of the entry fee.
10. The draw will be seeded and rally point scoring will be used. The period for knocking up before any match shall not exceed THREE minutes.

11. CLOTHING.

The BADMINTON England Tournament Regulations for clothing and advertising apply. The decision of the Referee on the suitability of clothing and advertising is final. All clothing must be acceptable badminton sports clothing. Tracksuits may be worn for knocking up only.

12. PRIZE MONEY. The BADMINTON England recommendation for prize money distribution as per the Regulations for Tournaments will apply. Prize money of at least £600 will be distributed:

	Men's Singles	Women's Singles	Men's Doubles (per pair)	Women's Doubles (per pair)	Mixed Doubles (per pair)
Winner	80	80	80	80	80
Runner-Up	40	40	40	40	40

13. THE POINTS SYSTEM:

RANKING POINTS - grade C English National Ranking points will be awarded. The Rankings may be found on the BADMINTON England website.

CIRCUIT POINTS can be scored in all five events at each of the Orbital Circuit Tournaments. In doubles events they can only be scored by a pair, and not by individual players. No substitution will be permitted in doubles pairs. In the event of injury or illness affecting one partner, and the Referee or relevant tournament committee permitting a substitution for that tournament, in accordance with Regulations for Tournaments, the newly constituted pair would score its own circuit points quite separately. Points at each Circuit Tournament will be as follows:

Winner	Runner-Up	Losing Semi-Finalist	Losing Quarter Finalist	Loser Round of 16	Loser Round of 32
180	120	85	60	35	20

CIRCUIT FINALS. The four players in each singles event and the four pairs in each doubles event scoring the highest number of circuit points in the circuit tournaments will qualify for the Circuit Finals. If two or more players or pairs are level on circuit points the place in the circuit final shall be awarded to the player or pair winning the most circuit tournaments in that event. If two or more players or pairs are still level the place shall be awarded to the player/pair finishing in the most runner-up positions in that event; and if still equal losing semi-finalist positions, and so on until the place is decided. If the position cannot be decided by that means the Association will decide.

14. OFFENCES / PENALTIES.

The BADMINTON England Tournament Regulations for offences / penalties apply.

16. DRUG TESTING. To be eligible to participate or assist any participant in any event or activity organised or authorised by or held under the rules of the Association wherever held, you must comply with the current Doping Control Rules of the Association and shall be deemed to have agreed with and consented to these Rules. A copy of these Rules is available by writing to the Association. Random testing for drugs may be conducted at this tournament by agents sanctioned by the Association or the International Badminton Federation. If selected you will be notified in writing. You will also be asked to list any medication you have taken recently. Failure to comply with a request for testing may result in you being subject to the same sanctions as for a positive doping test. You are reminded that some asthma medications require notification in writing to the Medical Officer of the Association prior to participation in any competition. Many proprietary medicines may contain banned substances and you are advised to check these with a pharmacist or medical adviser before you take them.

THE 2009-10 YEHLEX CHESHIRE OPEN SATELLITE CIRCUIT TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

Name of Competitor

Forename and Surname by which you wish to be known in the programme

The Entry Form together with entry fees must be sent to the Tournament Secretary shown on page 1 of this prospectus.

Please enter my name for events as indicated, for which I enclose remittance covering entry fees (PO and cheques to be made payable as indicated on page 1 of prospectus)

Event	Initials of Competitor	Partner's name IN CAPITALS	Fee Per Person
1. Men's Singles			£12.00
2. Women's Singles			£10.00
3. Men's Doubles			£10.00 each
4. Women's Doubles			£10.00 each
5. Mixed Doubles			£10.00 each
(NB: Maximum of 2 events only)		Surcharge (Condition 6)	£
		Total (payable to 'Cheshire County Badminton Association)	£

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS – ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED

I am (i) a playing member of the Badminton Club, affiliated to County BA

and my membership number is , or to the National Badminton Association of

or (ii) an Individual Member of the Association through ON court membership and my ON court membership number is

Are you willing to be a nominated reserve if your entry is not accepted in a particular event, which would mean being present at the advertised time for the commencement of the event? **Yes** **No**

Have you played for a County, Group or Regional team in the current or immediate past season? **Yes** **No**

If so for which County

If you answer 'No' please enter the County for which you are eligible & which you want to be regarded as representing for county seeding

Give recent tournament results and/or other information as to your standard:

Describe your ethnic origin (please tick box)

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|--|--|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> White - British | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed – White & Black Caribbean | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Indian | <input type="checkbox"/> Black - Caribbean | <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White - Irish | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed – White and Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Pakistani | <input type="checkbox"/> Black - African | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Ethnic Group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White - Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Any Other Mixed | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Bangladeshi | <input type="checkbox"/> Black - Other | |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Other | | |

If Other, please state which:

FOR PUBLICITY PURPOSES:

Date of Birth Occupation & Sponsor

NAME AND ADDRESS (PLEASE COMPLETE IN CAPITALS):

Title [Mr, Mrs etc] Forename Surname

Address

Postcode Email

Telephone No. Home Mobile Work

By signing below you confirm that all details are correct and all conditions of entry have been met.

Date

Signature



CHESHIRE COUNTY BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

Would like to thank



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For their contribution towards the running of this tournament