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1951 Wellington Table Tennis CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

(Authorised by the New Zealand Table Tennis Association)

To be held from

Friday, 17th August, to Friday, 24th August

at the

Winter Show, John Street

and

St. Thomas's Hall, Riddiford Street

Entries close Thursday, 9th August, at 5 p.m.

PROGRAMME

Friday, August 17 Girls' Doubles (under 18); Boys' Doubles (under 18); Mixed Doubles (under 18); Junior Boys' Doubles (under 16)—at St. Thomas's Hall.

WINTER SHOW

Monday, August 20 Men's Singles (Open); Men's Singles (Third Grade).

Tuesday, August 21 Ladies' Singles (Open); Men's Singles (Second Grade); Ladies' Singles and Doubles (Third Grade); Men's Doubles (Third Grade).

Wednesday, August 22 Mixed Doubles (Open); Men's Plate; Ladies' Singles and Doubles (Second Grade); Men's Doubles (Second Grade); Mixed Doubles (Third Grade).

Thursday, August 23 Men's Doubles (Open); Ladies' Doubles (Open); Mixed Doubles (Second Grade); Junior Girls' Singles and Doubles (under 16); Junior Boys' Singles (under 16); Girls' Singles (under 18); Boys' Singles (under 18).

Friday, August 24 Finals of Open Championship Events.

Please forward Entry, ENCLOSING FEES, to the Hon. Secretary:

MR. A. CROSS,
82 Yule Street, Kilbirnie, E.3.

CONDITIONS OF PLAY.

1. All matches will be played under the rules of the New Zealand Table Tennis Association.
2. The Halex 3-Star ball will be used.
3. Players must wear Dark Clothing in all matches; tennis shoes must be worn. The Committee reserves the right to scratch any player who does not conform to these requirements.
4. The Committee reserves the right to seed the draw.
5. No player who has previously won a lower-grade title shall be eligible to enter in that event.
6. Men's and Ladies' Singles (Open) and Men's Doubles (Open) will be best of five advantage games of 21 points up; all other Championship events will be the best of three advantage games of 21 points up.
7. Play shall be continuous from the first service until the match be concluded, provided that when necessitated by circumstances not within the control of the players, the Umpire may suspend play for such period as he may consider necessary. Play shall never be suspended for the purpose of allowing a player to recover his strength or his wind. The Umpire shall be the sole judge of intentional delay, and after giving due warning he may disqualify the offender.
8. The referee's decision in any dispute on a point of law is final. The decision of the umpire on a point of fact is final.
9. The amount of back play is 15 feet and the side play 9 feet.
10. The Tournament Manager and Referee is Mr. T. S. Williams and the Deputy Tournament Manager and Deputy Referee is Mr. A. S. Meachen.
11. Matches commence at 7 p.m. each night. The Committee reserves the right to scratch any player who arrives late.
12. Competitors must report to the official in charge on arrival each night.
13. Entries must reach the Hon. Secretary (A. Cross, 82 Yule Street, Kilbirnie, E.3.) by 5 p.m. on Thursday, August 9th. **Late entries or entries unaccompanied by the necessary fees will not be accepted.**

THIS PORTION TO BE RETAINED BY THE COMPETITOR.