



BADMINTON  
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SILVER



MASTERS  
CIRCUIT

**Saturday 12 October &  
Sunday 13 October 2024**

# **The 29th Cumbria Classic Masters Silver**

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## **Venues:**

**Sands Centre**

**The Sands**

**Carlisle, CA1 1JQ**

**University of Cumbria Sports Centre**

**Fusehill Street**

**Carlisle, CA1 2HH**

**EVENTS: Over 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75 & 80**

Saturday - Men's & Women's Singles

Saturday - Men's & Women's Doubles

Sunday - Mixed Doubles

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**Entries Close: 23 September 2024**

# Masters Silver Circuit Tournament Regulations 2024

All tournaments follow the Badminton England 'General Regulations for Tournaments'.

These can be found along with Player FAQs, here:

<https://www.badmintonengland.co.uk/on-court/competitions-faqs/>

Any queries should be made in the first place to the tournament organiser.

## 1) ELIGIBILITY

- a) **AGE.** All players must be the correct age by the first date of the tournament.
- b) **GRADE.** Open to all players. No grade restrictions.
- c) Players may enter only one age group in each event (but may play in a different age group in different events, if otherwise eligible) i.e. Player can enter in a younger age group.
- d) **MEMBERSHIP.** All players (England & non-resident) must have active 'Compete' Membership of Badminton England. More information can be found: <https://www.badmintonengland.co.uk/on-court/competitions-faqs/>
- e) Players may only enter one event in each discipline of a tournament (e.g. Player cannot enter a women's singles and open singles). Player can enter different events in each discipline (e.g. Players can enter open singles and women's doubles).
- f) **PLAYER ENTRY.**
  - i. Players may only enter one event in each discipline of a tournament. (e.g. Player cannot enter a women's singles and open singles).
  - ii. Players can enter different events in each discipline (e.g. Players can enter open singles and women's doubles).
  - iii. Within level doubles, partners must be of the same birth sex. Within mixed doubles, partners must be of different birth sex.

## 2) FORMAT

### a) PLAYING DAYS/EVENTS/ORDER OF PLAY.

2 day tournament offering [Singles, Doubles & Mixed](#). Players can enter **3** events.

Age groups are from over 35s to over 80s, inclusive.

The order of play will be:

Saturday: [All Men's and Women's Singles, and all Men's and Women's Doubles](#).

Sunday: [All Mixed Doubles](#).

### b) START/FINISH.

The estimated start and finishing times for this tournament are:

Saturday: 9:00am – 8:00pm, Sunday: 9:00am and 5:00pm.

NOTE: No competitor shall be obliged to start a match before 9:00am or commence a match after 10:00pm.

- c) **TOURNAMENT STRUCTURE.** The preliminary rounds in all events will be played in groups. The group sizes will depend on the number of entries for each event. The minimum group sizes will be 3, so every player should have a minimum of 2 games in each event entered. This may be subject to the impact withdrawals. Only winners from each group will proceed to a knockout stage. ([Where an event consists of just 3 groups, a 'best runner-up' will also be promoted to the semi-finals](#)). Refunds will be paid 14 days after the last day of the tournament. Contact the tournament organiser if no payment is received within 14 days. Contact details will be on the Overview (home) page of the tournament online.
- d) **SCORING.** Matches will be the best of 3 games to 21 points with extended scoring to 30 points, as outlined within the Laws of Badminton.
- e) **KNOCKUP & INTERVALS.** Knock ups should not exceed 2 minutes. Intervals up to 1 minute are allowed when the lead score reaches 11 points. Intervals up to 2 minutes are allowed between games.
- f) **REST PERIODS.** All players must be offered a minute rest period of 30 minutes following singles and 15 minutes following doubles. Rest periods run from the conclusion of one match to the start of the following match.
- g) **FIRST AID.** A first aid kit should always be available, all members of the tournament committee should know where it is and someone qualified should be available to administer its contents.
- h) **AWARDS.** Prizes will be awarded to winners and runners-up. Glassware for the winners and biscuits for the runners-up.
- i) **ADVICE & COUCHING.** [Permitted during intervals and between points, but must not disrupt play. NOT permitted at this tournament.](#)

## 3) TOURNAMENT REFEREE.

Where the Laws & Regulations do not govern, the Tournament Referee's decisions shall be final in all matters, including high level concerns around health and safety or safeguarding of players, volunteers or staff.

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This Form together with entry fees must be sent to the Tournament Secretary by the closing date shown below.

## PERSONAL DETAILS

Surname:..... Forename:..... Date of Birth:.....

Male  BE Membership Number:        BE Membership numbers are 7 digits long and begin with a 1  
 Female  County you represent:..... This will be used when separating players in the draw

*Players must be a member of Badminton England to compete (excludes Direct Social and No Strings membership). Players who are non- resident to England must register with Badminton England.*

*Players must be in good standing with their National Association at the time of entry.*

Address:.....  
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Postcode:..... Email (print clearly):.....

Telephone - Home:..... Mobile:.....

## ENTRY DETAILS

Event	Enter partner's name IN CAPITALS	Tick to enter										Entry Fee (per person)
		3 5	4 0	4 5	5 0	5 5	6 0	6 5	7 0	7 5	8 0	
Men's Singles		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	£ 20.00
Women's Singles		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	£ 20.00
Men's Doubles		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	£ 20.00
Women's Doubles		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	£ 20.00
Mixed Doubles		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	£ 20.00

Surcharge for late entry (£5.00) £ .....

Players without a Compete Membership (£7.00) £ .....

**Total (cheques payable to Cumbria Badminton Association)** £ .....

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

## PLAYER DECLARATION

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

Date:..... Signature:.....

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