Surrey County Fencing Union

Youth Team Foil Championships

Sunday 3rd July 2016



- 4. Age groups:
 - a. Younger group: all team members 13 or younger on day of event.
 - b. Older group: all team members 17 or younger on day of event.
- 5. British Fencing Membership required. We can e-check from your online entry, provided you enter in advance with the web form. Otherwise bring evidence eg email confirmation.
- 6. Teams of 3 (or 4 if you have a reserve) may enter. Individuals without a team are also welcome we will make up teams on the day, provided there are at least 3 "spare". If there are 1 or 2 fencers left over then they might act as 4th members swapping into another team. Please accept reserves into your team. We might swap around team members on the day to improve the competition. Male+female fence together (teams may be mixed gender).
- 7. Format will be team relay. Overall format will be selected according to entry. If there are few teams in an age category then that will be by pool(s) of teams. If there are many then it will be direct elimination, possibly with consolation event if piste numbers allow.
- 8. Payment: £15/team plus any fees; please first register via the web form then proceed for details.
- 9. Eligibility: Please see <u>www.SurreyFencing.com</u>. This is a Surrey County event, not Region or Open.
- 10. Organisers are not loco-parentis. All children to be supervised by an adult where necessary.
- 11. Please help if you can (volunteers invited) or just pick tape / pack away at the end if you can.
- 12. Referees: If your club can bring a referee, this will help the smooth running of the competition. If clubs wish to reserve a coach for coaching / supervising then please bring additional referees as well. If there are not enough referees then fencers may be asked to referee each other.
- 13. Electric apparatus: We expect to have enough boxes but maybe you can easily have spare spools in a car? If entry is very large and ground is dry then outdoor fencing may be possible for 1st round.
- 14. Kit: You must bring your kit in good working order and in a safe condition per British Fencing guidance. Test foils & body wires beforehand – don't bring suspect kit. The organiser reserves the right to refuse to allow a fencer to compete in kit he considers to be unsafe. CE marked fencing Breeches/trousers, jacket and plastrons are required. Mask bib lamé optional. Blades may be any size (0-5). You may fence others with different blade sizes.
- 15. No Food and drink will be on sale (there may be vending machines but bring water/food).
- 16. Disclaimer: All fencers are reminded that they compete at their own risk. The organisers will take all reasonable care, but do not accept liability for loss or injury, howsoever caused. A parent or guardian must sign the entry form. If you object to photography then consult the organiser before entering.
- 17. Changes, announcements and results will be posted at www.SurreyFencing.com.

I hope we will have a great day of fencing.

Yours.

SCFU Committee Ian de Whalley on behalf of SCFU webmaster **Competition Organisers**