

Surrey County Fencing Union
Foil & Sabre Individual Championships

Sunday 27th November 2016

1. Entry form available via: http://www.surreyfencing.com/Entry_Surrey_Foil_Sabre_Indiv.html
Either enter online or post paper form (complete form then print & submit from the above webpage) with cheque, to: Jim Hamilton, 15 Chivenor Grove, Kingston upon Thames, Surrey, KT2 5GE.
Submitting on-line helps greatly. Please pay in advance if possible.
2. Venue: Epsom College, use entrance from Longdown Lane South, near [KT17 4JJ](#).
3. Report By Times (these are "close of report" times):

Individual Foil	09:30
Individual Sabre	13:15 (Any sabreurs still fencing in the foil will be offered a refund).
4. Each event is likely to be mixed men/womens, depending on entry (organisers discretion).
5. BF Cards: Bring evidence of British Fencing membership (email fine). We can pre-check advance entries.
6. Referee: If your club can bring a referee, this will help the smooth running of the competition.
7. Kit: You must bring your kit in good working order and in safe condition. The organiser reserves the right to refuse to allow a fencer to compete in kit he considers unsafe. Plastrons are mandatory. Lamé (electric) mask and wires are required. See p2 of these details for the small print.
8. All fencers must participate in accordance with BF Safety Guidelines (www.BritishFencing.com).
9. Age restriction: fencers must be age 13 years or over before 1st January in the season of the event. The season runs from 1st September to 31st August.
10. Eligibility: See www.SurreyFencing.com homepage.
11. Blade size restrictions: Any size in the range 0 to 5 allowed.
12. Please do bring your own provisions but do not consume or spill sticky drinks in the sports hall. Your entry fee does not include cleaning of the sports hall; we are relying on no one spilling any food or drink.
13. 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. See p2 of these details for the small print.
14. Any changes or announcements will be posted via www.SurreyFencing.com (events calendar).

I wish you a great day of fencing.

Yours,	on behalf of
Ian de Whalley	Dr James Hamilton
SCFU Webmaster	Organiser

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This event will be run per British Fencing governance, rules and guidance, with exceptions (appropriate for a county competition) at the organiser's discretion.

Equipment

Per [BF safety guidance](#) for this category of event:

<i>Jackets</i>	<i>Plastron</i>	<i>Trousers/breeches</i>	<i>Masks</i>	<i>Gloves -sabre only (4)</i>
CEN 1 350 Newtons	CEN 2 800 Newtons	CEN 1 350 Newtons	CEN 1 (350N.bib)(2, 3)	<u>BF Competitions From 1/9/2014 Overall from 1/9/2016 - New FIE glove Specification</u>

(2) All masks must be fitted with safety back straps (ie two methods of attachment). A back strap consists of elastic at least 35mm wide, secured to the mask side mesh at each end, passing UNDER any mask spring piece at the back, and tensioned to keep the mask firmly in place. It must stay fastened and tensioned during fencing

(3) WEF 1/3/2014 transparent visor masks are not allowed.

(4) Glove minimum standard being introduced only for fencing sabre. [...]

Foil mask bib lame required. For this event, foil mask wire not essential if lame makes good contact with jacket (ie inside tabs, at organisers discretion. Preferably use a wire).

Foil and sabre mask wires of any design (clear/white/coloured/curly/straight will be acceptable, at organisers discretion).

Privacy

Please be aware of others privacy if you post information or photographs on the internet. In general, don't post full names (first name and surname) unless you have permission from the individual to do so.

Results posted in the SCFU website may include surnames (and initial if needed). Please inform the organiser if this is not OK.

Youth Fencers

Neither the organisers nor SCFU will be loco-parentis at this event. Please would Youth Fencers (below the age of 18 on the day of the event) nominate a responsible adult and inform the organiser at check-in. A parent or guardian should sign the entry form. It is OK for another team member (18 or over) to accept this role.

At this event photography will be allowed. If you have safeguarding needs, please contact the organiser / the committee's safeguarding officer, Dr James Hamilton; email via SCFU website, committee contact email page.