

British Webserver Team Tournament

The fourth season of the British Webserver Team Tournament will start on 1st January 2017.

The BWSTT is an event organised by the Welsh Correspondence Chess Federation for teams of correspondence chess teams of four players. As there are normally four divisions, the tournament is suitable for chess players of all standards. There are no membership requirements, and teams representing chess clubs, workplaces, or just groups of friends are very welcome to enter.



At least two of the four players must play under the flags of England, Scotland or Wales; for a team to retain their league position from the previous season, at least two of the players must have previously played for the same team. No player may represent more than one team in the same season.

Each division will *normally* consist of seven teams (six games for each player) however the organisers may vary the numbers of teams in each division depending on the number of entries.

The top two teams of each division are promoted; the bottom two teams are relegated; new teams normally enter the lower division; however, the organisers may fill vacancies in the higher divisions with new teams, in this case selection will be by rating.

There are no cash prizes, however each member of the team winning Division One will receive a trophy.

Entries should be sent by email to secretary@welshccf.org.uk entries should include the names and ICCF ID number of each of the four players and the team captain. Players without an ICCF ID number may register at <https://www.iccf.com>

Please send entries no later than **Monday 19th December 2016**.

The entry fee is £20 per team; please send payment via PayPal to treasurer@welshccf.org.uk or by cheque (payable to WCCF) to:

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Promotions and Relegations from Season Three

The following teams have been promoted and relegated from Season Three

Division One

<https://www.iccf.com/event?id=53439>

Champions ICCF Warriors

Sussex Servers and BCCA Griffins are relegated.

Division Two

<https://www.iccf.com/event?id=53441>

Scheming Mind B and Social CCA "A" are promoted.

Natcor A and White Rose B are relegated.

Division Three

<https://www.iccf.com/event?id=53442>

Y Gweilch NiMo and BCCA Sovereigns are promoted.

Civil Service B and Natcor B are relegated.

Division Four

<https://www.iccf.com/event?id=53464>

BCCA Cavaliers and Welsh Irregulars are promoted.

Rules

The rules of the BWSTT are here:

<http://welshccf.org.uk/content/60>

Standard ICCF rules will apply to all games where not covered by the above rules, the time control will be ten moves in 40 days with duplication after 20 days. Each player will have 30 days leave, the end date will be 1st July 2018; games will only be adjudicated at the end date if it is necessary to resolve promotion or relegation issues.

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