

FESTIVAL OF BILLIARDS

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“On behalf of myself and the whole Team at Talbot Hotel Carlow, we would like to take this opportunity to welcome all the participants and attendees of the World Matchplay Short-Format Billiards Championship 2026.

We are delighted to be the Host Hotel in conjunction with the Snooker & Billiards Academy and hope you enjoy your visit to Talbot Hotel Carlow”

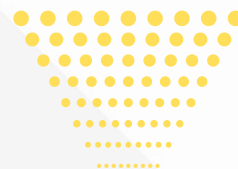
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Welcome

Message from IBSF President



Dear IBSF members, players, technical team, fans, and sports enthusiasts, it is my pleasure to welcome you all to Carlow, Ireland, for the 2026 IBSF World Billiards Championship.



I extend my gratitude to Snooker & Billiards Ireland (SBI) for its commitment and generosity in hosting this edition of the IBSF World Billiards Championship from April 24th to 29th, 2026. SBI has consistently supported IBSF events, and we deeply appreciate their efforts.

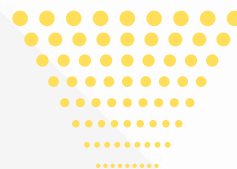
I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all our supporters and sponsors, with special recognition to our valued IBSF sponsors: Xingpai for tables, Aramith for balls, and Strachan for cloth.

Once again, I warmly welcome you all and hope you enjoy the sport you love.

Mubarak Al Khayarin
IBSF President

Welcome

Message from SBI President & IBSF Vice President



On behalf of Snooker and Billiards Ireland (SBI) and the International Billiards and Snooker Federation (IBSF), I wish to extend a very warm C  ad M  le F  ilte to all players, officials, referees, and supporters to Ireland and to Carlow for this fantastic Festival of Billiards. It is a great honour for me on behalf of the IBSF to acknowledge the great work that has been carried out by Snooker & Billiards Ireland (SBI) in hosting these championships and providing this magnificent playing arena.



As President of SBI I must acknowledge how very proud we are of the facilities we have here in Carlow and wish to acknowledge all the support Sport Ireland has given us to establish this academy of excellence. I am sure the players will enjoy the great playing conditions.

I hope the many visitors to Carlow will take time to visit the many interesting attractions in both Carlow and Laois.

A very big thanks must be given to both Carlow and Laois Co. Councils who have generously supported this Festival of Billiards.

I would also like to thank the IBSF sponsors, Xingpai for the Tables and Strachan for the Cloth and Saluc for the balls.

I would especially like to mention and thank all the volunteers who are always willing to be of assistance.

It would not be possible to stage any tournament without a tournament team and referees and I thank them for their dedication and commitment.

I hope everyone will enjoy their stay in Carlow and I look forward to other IBSF World Championships being staged in Carlow sometime in the future.

Yours in Sport,
JAMES LEACY
President SBI
Vice - President IBSF

Welcome

Message from SBI Chairman



Dear friends,

It is my honour to welcome back the Billiards World Championships to Carlow. To those of you returning and those of you coming here for the first time, I wish you all the very best as you endeavour to become a World Champion. The centre of excellence here in Carlow is the envy of most governing bodies around the world, you will see for yourself that the facilities and conditions here will bring out the very best in each and everyone of you.



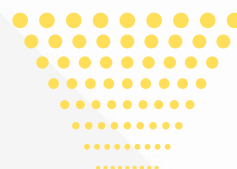
My committee have worked tirelessly to make sure your stay here is an experience of a lifetime. The festival of billiards is now in its second year and we will continue to make it bigger and better. Enjoy your time here, play well, take time to meet up with old friends and of course making new connections along the way.

Play well friends and Céad Mile Fáilte.

Tommy O Donoghue
SBI Chairman

Welcome

Message from WBL Director



I cannot believe it is 12 months since I sat down to write some words of welcome to last year's events. How quickly this past year has gone! It has been an eventful year but also an unsettling one with unrest in many parts of the world.

Hopefully our return to Carlow and the wonderful SBI Academy of Excellence will offer some much needed respite as the world's finest players assemble to compete once again in the beautiful game of billiards over the WBL and IBSF events.

I am so proud that Ireland is, once again, staging the World Matchplay Championships – its home since 2022. The feedback we have received from players who have travelled from all over the world has filled me with great joy. It appears that the food, culture, conversation and great competition have combined to make the annual visit to Carlow a memorable one.



As everyone who plays the beautiful game knows, it is getting harder and harder to find venues with top class tables and playing conditions and so we are most grateful to Snooker Billiards Ireland for not only hosting us here, but also their very kind sponsorship as well. Indeed without sponsorship, we at WBL could not put on tournaments like these. Therefore I want to thank Macao Casino for their continued support this year, and also to Sammin Engineering who, once again, have continued as sponsors of the Irish Open. I'm especially delighted to see Paul Sammin, who has been in intensive training all year, returning as a competitor in that event!

We are continuing to invest in our streaming coverage with Sam Jones and TYP and this year Sam has had to move from Yorkshire to the big smoke of London due to his ever increasing workload in all cue sports.

I am thrilled once again to have Brendan Devlin as our head referee. His meticulous attention to detail and his dedication to making things run smoothly enables me to breathe more easily over what can be a challenging 8 days! Also a huge thank you goes to all our referees, particularly those who have travelled from across the globe to be here.

We have tried to make our opening ceremony for the Macao Casino Matchplay a memorable one and the wonderful Talbot Hotel – our home from home in Carlow has pulled out all the stops once again. Our thanks as always to manager Daniel McCarthy and his fantastic staff for the tremendous welcome they have given to all competitors and officials alike.

So this year I hope you will all join us on Sunday April 19th at 8pm for a night of music and Irish dance with old friends guitar virtuoso Pat Coldrick, the Dargan School of Irish Dance, yours truly and some special guests! There will be a complimentary buffet of finger food on hand as well so no need to venture outside the Talbot that night!

It promises to be a wonderful 8 days of world class competitive billiards, so I hope you all enjoy yourselves and leave Ireland enriched by your experiences here.

Aonghus McAnally
WBL Director

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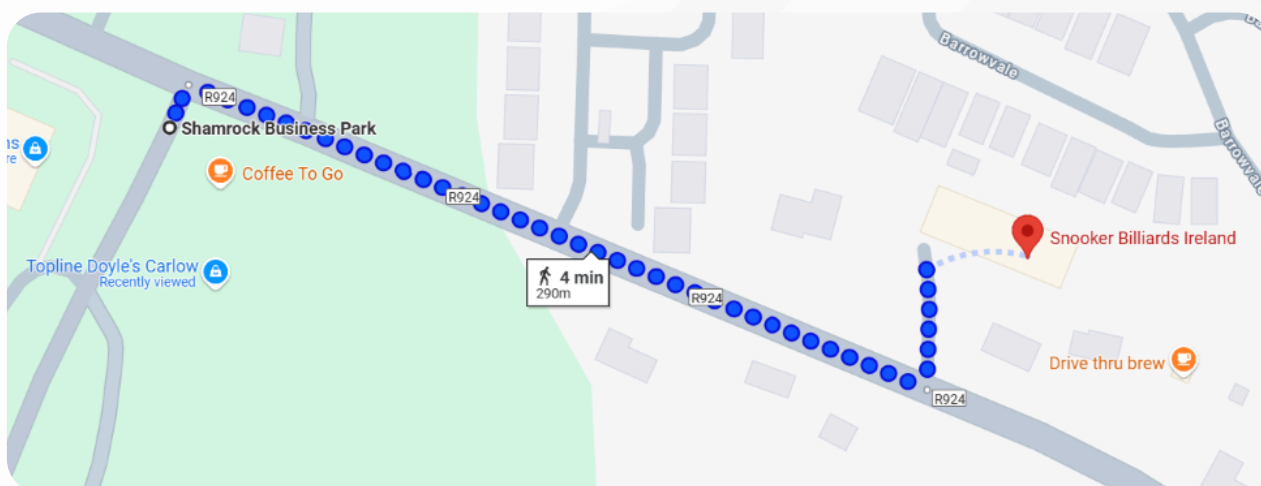


2 Weeks of World Class Billiards!

SBI is pleased to invite you once again to the “*Festival of Billiards*”, a remarkable event showcasing top-tier talent and thrilling matches from various nations around the globe. Featuring the likes of current IBSF World Champion Sourav Kothari, 2025 World Matchplay Champion David Causier, 8th time National Long-Up Champion Aidan Murray, and 6th time National Long-Up Champion Wayne Doyle, this festival is sure to be one to remember.

Entry is Free to all Spectators!

Parking on site is very limited but free parking can be found a short 4-minute walk away at the Shamrock Business Park. The town is serviced by two local bus routes. CW2 stops in the business park beside the Talbot Hotel and goes directly to the centre of town.



Schedule of Events



April 17th – 19th | Sammin Engineering Irish Open

Format: Timed

- All the matches in the group round: Timed 60 minutes
- Last 32: Timed 60 minutes
- Last 16 up to and including Final: Timed 90 minutes

April 20th – 24th | Macau Casino WBL World Matchplay Championships

Format: Games

- All the matches in the group round: all best of 5 games 100 up
- Last 32: Best of 7 | Last 16: Best of 9 | Quarter Finals: Best of 11
- Semi-Finals: Best of 13
- Final: Best of 15

April 24th – 28th | IBSF World Billiards C'ship

Format: Timed

- All the matches in the group round: Timed 90 minutes
- All the matches from knockout up to Quarter Finals: Timed 120 minutes
- Semi-Finals: Timed 150 minutes
- Final: Timed 180 minutes

Irish Open

Meet the Players

NAME	COUNTRY	NAME	COUNTRY	NAME	COUNTRY
David Causier	England	Peter Tankard	Australia	Joe Doheny	Ireland
Robert Hall	England	Mike Griffiths	England	Subrat Das	India
Peter Sheehan	England	Carl Walter Steiner	Austria	Stuart Gordan	England
Darren Clark	England	Aidan Murray	Ireland	Larry Drennan	Ireland
Martin Goodwill	England	Alan Shepherd	Scotland	John McIntuire	Northern Ireland
Jonathan Marwood	England	Akhilesh Mohan	France	Mike Russell	England
Chris Coumbe	England	Dom Halligan	Northern Ireland	Lloyd Myers	Ireland
Robert Marshall	England	Mark Downing	England	Annette Newman	Ireland
Ryan Mears	England	Shrikrishna Suri	India	Keith McCreedy	Northern Ireland
Christian Kirk	England	Mark Hill	England	Mhairi Mackay	Scotland
Terry Azor	England	Rupesh Shah	India	Ciaran Doyle	Ireland
Wayne Doyle	Ireland	Calum Hossack	Scotland	Paul Lindsay	Northern Ireland
Phil Johnson	England	Alastair McDonald	Northern Ireland	Paul Sammin	Ireland
Karthik Ramaswar	Singapore	Patrick Stegmeier	Austria	Darren Ryan	Ireland
Paul McGowan	Scotland	Ashok Shandilya	India	Spare Player A	
Terry McAdam	England	Siddharth Parikh	India	Srinu Katipogu	India
Rishabh Thakkar	India	Martin Schmidt	Austria		
Chris Taylor	England	Peter Stanyer	Wales		

WBL Matchplay

Meet the Players

NAME	COUNTRY	NAME	COUNTRY	NAME	COUNTRY
David Causier	England	Paul McGowan	Scotland	Patrick Stegmeier	Austria
Peter Gilchrist	Singapore	Terry McAdam	England	Ashok Shandilya	India
Robert Hall	England	Rishabh Thakkar	India	Siddharth Parikh	India
Peter Sheehan	England	Chris Taylor	England	Martin Schmidt	Austria
Darren Clark	England	Peter Tankard	Australia	Steve Hassack	England
Martin Goodwill	England	Mike Griffiths	England	Peter Stanyer	Wales
Dhruv Sitwala	India	Carl Walter Steiner	Austria	Joe Doheny	Ireland
Jonathan Marwood	England	Sourav Kothari	India	Subrat Das	India
Chris Coumbe	England	Aidan Murray	Ireland	Charlie Kane	Scotland
Robert Marshall	England	Alan Shepherd	Scotland	Mike Russell	England
Ryan Mears	England	Akhilesh Mohan	France	Josh McLachlan	Scotland
Christian Kirk	Northern Ireland	Pankaj Advani	India	Alok Kumar	India
Terry Azor	England	Mark Downing	England	Keith McCready	Northern Ireland
Wayne Doyle	Ireland	Daniel Locke	England	Mhairi Mackay	Scotland
Dhvaj Haria	India	Mark Hill	England	Spare Player A	
Phil Johnson	England	Rupesh Shah	India	Srinu Katipogu	India
Karthik Ramaswamy	Singapore	Calum Hossack	Scotland		

IBSF World C'ship

Meet the Players

NAME	COUNTRY	NAME	COUNTRY
Peter Tankard	Australia	Srinu Kotipogu	India
Carl Walter Steiner	Austria	Dhvaj Haria	India
Martin Goodwill	England	Rishabh Thakkar	India
Mike Russell	England	Siddharth Parikh	India
Mark Hill	England	Shrikrishna Suryanarayanan	India
Peter Sheehan	England	Jagadesh Bhuvaneshwaran	India
David Causier	England	Ciaran Doyle	Ireland
Robert Hall	England	Aidan Murray	Ireland
Akhilesh Mohan	France	Wayne Doyle	Ireland
Sourav Kothari	India	Joe Doheny	Ireland
Pankaj Advani	India	Aonghus McAnally	Ireland
Dhruv Sitwala	India	Chenji Ratnavel	Isle of Man
Rafath Habib	India	Michael Crook	Isle of Man
Subrat Das	India	Peter Gilchrist	Singapore
Rupesh Shah	India	Baek Minhu	South Korea
Alok Kumar	India	Hwang Chulho	South Korea

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The Sport

What is Billiards?

English Billiards, called simply Billiards in the United Kingdom and in many former British colonies, is a cue sport that combines the aspects of carom billiards and pool. Two cue balls (one white and one yellow) and a red object ball are used. Each player or team uses a different cue ball. It is played on a billiards table with the same dimensions as one used for snooker and points are scored for cannons and pocketing the balls.

Balls and Table:

There are three balls. They are the same size as snooker balls (52.5 mm or 2+1/16 in with a tolerance of 0.05 mm) and they must weigh the same to a tolerance of 0.5 g within a set.

The balls are designated as:

- White – the cue ball for player 1, and an object ball for player 2
- Yellow – the cue ball for player 2, and an object ball for player 1 (historically a white ball with spots was used)
- Red – an object ball for both players

The billiard table used has the same dimensions as in snooker, and in many venues, both games are played on the same equipment.

Beginning the Game:

To see who will be the starting player, players perform a lag, where both simultaneously hit a cue ball up the table, bouncing it off the top cushion so that it returns to baulk (the first quarter-length of the table). The player who gets their ball closer to the baulk cushion can now choose which cue ball they want to use during the game and to break or let the opponent break.

The red ball is placed on the spot at the top of the table (same as the black spot in snooker) and the first player begins by playing in-hand from the "D" behind the baulk line. The other cue ball remains off the table until the opponent's first turn, when they play in hand from the "D".

Scoring:

Points are awarded as follows:

- Cannon – striking the cue ball so that it hits, in any order, the other cue ball and the red ball on the same shot: 2 points.
- Winning hazard (or potting, in snooker terms) – striking another ball with one's cue ball so that the red enters a pocket: 3 points; or striking another ball with one's cue ball so that the other cue ball enters a pocket: 2 points.
- Losing hazard (in-off in snooker terms) – striking one's cue ball so that it hits another ball and then enters a pocket: 3 points if the red ball was hit first; 2 points if the other cue ball was hit first; 2 points if the red and the other cue ball are hit simultaneously.

Combinations of the above may all be scored on the same shot. The most that can be scored in a single shot is therefore 10 – the red and the other cue ball are both potted via a cannon (the red must be struck first), and the cue ball is also potted, making a losing hazard off the red.

The winner is determined by a player reaching a fixed number of points set at the start of the game, or by which player is leading at the end of a timed game.

Irish Open

Group Stage

Player	Pld	Matches		For	Points			
		Wins	%		Against	Aggr	Avg Diff	
GROUP A								SHOW MATCHES
1 David Causier (1)	4	4	100%	2594	234	2360	590	
2 Carl Walter Steiner (42)	4	3	75%	638	1122	-484	-121	
3 Alastair McDonald (78)	4	2	50%	718	806	-88	-22	
4 Mark Hill (70)	4	1	25%	407	922	-515	-129	
5 Mhairi Mackay (326)	4	0	0%	212	1485	-1273	-318	
GROUP B								SHOW MATCHES
1 Robert Hall (3)	3	3	100%	1484	264	1220	407	
2 Mike Griffiths (41)	3	2	67%	531	831	-300	-100	
3 Patrick Stegmeier (79)	3	1	33%	508	813	-305	-102	
4 Paul Sammin (455)	3	0	0%	290	905	-615	-205	
GROUP C								SHOW MATCHES
1 Siddharth Parikh (93)	4	4	100%	1429	438	991	248	
2 Peter Sheehan (4)	4	3	75%	1697	823	874	219	
3 Keith McCreedy (313)	4	2	50%	810	1097	-287	-72	
4 Darren Ryan (740)	4	1	25%	479	1307	-828	-207	
5 Peter Tankard (38)	4	0	0%	533	1283	-750	-188	
GROUP D								SHOW MATCHES
1 Darren Clark (5)	3	3	100%	928	325	603	201	
2 Chris Taylor (36)	3	2	67%	847	428	419	140	
3 Larry Drennan (167)	3	1	33%	427	764	-337	-112	
4 John McIntyre (205)	3	0	0%	204	889	-685	-228	
GROUP E								SHOW MATCHES
1 Rishabh Thakkar (30)	4	4	100%	1035	388	647	162	
2 Martin Goodwill (6)	4	3	75%	896	468	428	107	
3 Paul Lindsay (358)	4	2	50%	711	854	-143	-36	
4 Lloyd Myers (230)	4	1	25%	530	957	-427	-107	
5 Mark Downing (66)	4	0	0%	378	883	-505	-126	
GROUP F								SHOW MATCHES
1 Ashok Shandilya (92)	3	3	100%	932	359	573	191	
2 Jonathan Marwood (8)	3	2	67%	924	391	533	178	
3 Terry McAdam (27)	3	1	33%	405	703	-298	-99	
4 Claran Doyle (353)	3	0	0%	209	1017	-808	-269	

































Irish Open

Group Stage

GROUP G								SHOW MATCHES
1	Chris Coumbe (9)	4	4	100%	1131	365	766	192
2	Stewart Gordon (161)	4	3	75%	835	593	242	61
3	Akhilesh Mohan (52)	4	2	50%	486	686	-200	-50
4	Paul McGowan (26)	4	1	25%	679	739	-60	-15
5	Annette Newman (263)	4	0	0%	284	1032	-748	-187
GROUP H								SHOW MATCHES
1	Martin Schmidt (97)	4	4	100%	802	646	156	39
2	Robert Marshall (10)	4	3	75%	1151	523	628	157
3	Karthik Ramaswamy (25)	4	2	50%	725	713	12	3
4	Srinu Katipogu (740)	4	1	25%	566	877	-311	-78
5	Joe Doheny (130)	4	0	0%	548	1033	-485	-121
GROUP I								SHOW MATCHES
1	Phil Johnson (23)	4	4	100%	1033	564	469	117
2	Aidan Murray (48)	4	3	75%	925	516	409	102
3	Ryan Mears (11)	4	2	50%	954	632	322	81
4	Dom Halligan (60)	4	1	25%	697	939	-242	-61
5	Dan Carroll (740)	4	0	0%	286	1244	-958	-240
GROUP J								SHOW MATCHES
1	Wayne Doyle (16)	3	3	100%	1279	183	1096	365
2	Ross Doyle (559)	3	2	67%	525	663	-138	-46
3	Calum Hossack (77)	3	1	33%	462	657	-195	-65
4	Martin Foley (740)	3	0	0%	164	927	-763	-254
GROUP K								SHOW MATCHES
1	Mike Russell (227)	4	4	100%	2089	237	1852	463
2	Christian Kirk (13)	4	3	75%	1049	1011	38	10
3	Subrat Das (157)	4	2	50%	733	1101	-368	-92
4	Peter Stanyer (128)	4	1	25%	492	1335	-843	-211
5	Terry Azor (14)	4	0	0%	501	1180	-679	-170

















Irish Open

Last 32

LAST32				
 David Causier	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Stewart Gordon	170	-	253	Christian Kirk  (60)
 Rishabh Thakkar (118, 60)	280	-	87	Ryan Mears 
 Ashok Shandilya	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Siddharth Parikh	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Robert Marshall (83, 183)	412	-	116	Mike Griffiths 
 Aidan Murray (90)	268	-	120	Chris Taylor  (62)
 Wayne Doyle	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Robert Hall	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Peter Sheehan (56, 123, 73)	361	-	197	Jonathan Marwood  (60, 53)
 Martin Schmidt (56)	146	-	153	Ross Doyle 
 Darren Clark	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Chris Coumbe	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 
 Phil Johnson	130	-	265	Karthik Ramaswamy  (58, 63)
 Martin Goodwill (75)	198	-	129	Carl Walter Steiner 
 Mike Russell	0	-	0	-BYE- -BYE- 

Irish Open



Last 16



LAST16				
 David Causier (243, 168, 155, 61unf)	770	-	222	Christian Kirk  (50, 78)
 Rishabh Thakkar (61)	229	-	361	Ashok Shandilya  (60, 114, 76)
 Siddharth Parikh (63, 184)	332	-	336	Robert Marshall  (50, 57, 77)
 Aidan Murray (65)	238	-	381	Wayne Doyle  (143, 66, 62)
 Robert Hall (55, 94, 126, 502unf)	814	-	184	Peter Sheehan  (87, 88)
 Ross Doyle (68)	199	-	480	Darren Clark  (57, 59, 84, 55)
 Chris Coumbe (55)	241	-	280	Karthik Ramaswamy  (76)
 Martin Goodwill	178	-	646	Mike Russell  (126, 279, 119)

Irish Open



Quarters - Final

QUARTER



 David Causier 943 - 205 Ashok Shandilya 
(149, 517, 79, 83) (77)



 Robert Marshall 590 - 103 Wayne Doyle 
(114, 80, 86, 109)

 Robert Hall 429 - 301 Darren Clark 
(197, 63, 72) (102)


 Karthik Ramaswamy 84 - 945 Mike Russell 
(216, 128, 481, 100)

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 David Causier 1059 - 205 Robert Marshall 
(415, 285, 288, 57) (70, 64, 53)


























 Robert Hall 738 - 256 Mike Russell 
(207, 87, 263, 111) (52, 92)

FINAL

 David Causier 702 - 355 Robert Hall 
(307, 284, 63unf) (65, 148, 106)


























WBL Matchplay

Group Stage

Player	Pld	Wins	%	For	Against	Aggr	Avg Diff	% Won	Ave pts diff
GROUP A SHOW MATCHES									
 David Causier (1)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Karthik Ramaswamy (25)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Terry McAdam (27)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Ashok Shandilya (92)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Martin Schmidt (97)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
GROUP B SHOW MATCHES									
 Peter Gilchrist (2)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Paul McGowan (26)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Patrick Stegmeier (79)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Siddharth Parikh (93)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Srinu Katipogu (740)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
GROUP C SHOW MATCHES									
 Robert Hall (3)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Phil Johnson (23)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Rishabh Thakkar (30)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Calum Hossack (77)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Peter Stanyer (128)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
GROUP D SHOW MATCHES									
 Peter Sheehan (4)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Chris Taylor (36)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Rupesh Shah (74)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Joe Doheny (130)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Alok Kumar (288)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
GROUP E SHOW MATCHES									
 Darren Clark (5)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Dhvaj Haria (17)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Peter Tankard (38)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Mark Hill (70)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	
 Charlie Kane (206)	0	0	0%	0	0	0		0%	

WBL Matchplay

Group Stage

GROUP F							SHOW MATCHES
 Martin Goodwill (6)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Wayne Doyle (16)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Mike Griffiths (41)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Shrikrishna Suri (67)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Mike Russell (227)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
GROUP G							SHOW MATCHES
 Dhruv Sitwala (7)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Terry Azor (14)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Carl Walter Steiner (42)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Daniel Locke (68)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Josh Mclachlan (285)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
GROUP H							SHOW MATCHES
 Jonathan Marwood (8)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Christian Kirk (13)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Sourav Kothari (43)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Mark Downing (66)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Mhairi Mackay (326)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
GROUP I							SHOW MATCHES
 Chris Coumbe (9)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Aidan Murray (48)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Pankaj Advani (56)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Steve Hassack (103)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Keith Mccready (313)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
GROUP J							SHOW MATCHES
 Robert Marshall (10)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Ryan Mears (11)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Alan Shepherd (51)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Akhilesh Mohan (52)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%
 Subrat Das (157)	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0%

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Group Stage

Group A							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Sourav Kothari	India	0	0	0	0	0
2	Martin Goodwill	England	0	0	0	0	0
3	Akhilesh Mohan	France	0	0	0	0	0
4	Hwang Chulho	South Korea	0	0	0	0	0
Group B							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Pankaj Advani	India	0	0	0	0	0
2	Baek Minhu	South Korea	0	0	0	0	0
3	Mark Hill	England	0	0	0	0	0
4	Michael Crook	Isle of Man	0	0	0	0	0
Group C							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Dhruv Sitwala	India	0	0	0	0	0
2	Alok Kumar	India	0	0	0	0	0
3	Aonghus McAnally	Ireland	0	0	0	0	0
4	Carl-Walter Steiner	Austria	0	0	0	0	0
Group D							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	David Causier	England	0	0	0	0	0
2	Rafath Habib	India	0	0	0	0	0
3	Subrat Das	India	0	0	0	0	0
4	Ciaran Doyle	Ireland	0	0	0	0	0

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Group Stage

Group E							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Robert Hall	England	0	0	0	0	0
2	Rupesh Shah	India	0	0	0	0	0
3	Rishabh Thakkar	India	0	0	0	0	0
4	Peter Tankard	Australia	0	0	0	0	0
Group F							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Peter Sheehan	England	0	0	0	0	0
2	Shrikrishna Suryanarayanan	India	0	0	0	0	0
3	Jagadesh Bhuvaneshwaran	India	0	0	0	0	0
4	Joe Doheny	Ireland	0	0	0	0	0
Group G							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Dhvaj Haria	India	0	0	0	0	0
2	Mike Russell	England	0	0	0	0	0
3	Srinu Kotipogu	India	0	0	0	0	0
4	Aidan Murray	Ireland	0	0	0	0	0
Group H							
	Player name	Country	MP	MW	PP	PL	PD
1	Peter Gilchrist	Singapore	0	0	0	0	0
2	Siddharth Parikh	India	0	0	0	0	0
3	Wayne Doyle	Ireland	0	0	0	0	0
4	Chenji Ratnavel	Isle of Man	0	0	0	0	0

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Christian Fock	Austria
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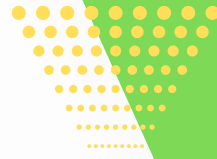
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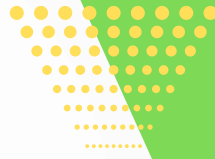
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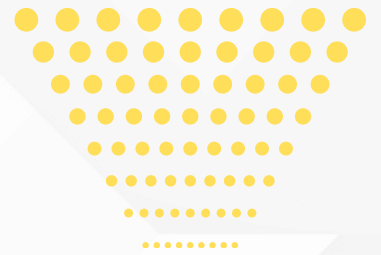


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