



# Qualifying school for 2024 World Seniors Snooker Championship

ENTRY PACK- WORLD SENIORS SNOOKER TOUR – 2024 WORLD SENIORS CHAMPIONSHIPS

ENTRIES OPEN MONDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2023 VIA ONLINE ENTRY SYSTEM

Closing Date- FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2024 at 12PM or when the event has 128 confirmed entries.

Dates	<u>Friday 23rd – Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2024</u>
Venue	SBI IRELAND, Graigue, Portlaoise Rd, Carlow, Leinster, Ireland
Entry Fee	£100 payable by online entry system for each event.
Number of Frames	All matches to Quarter Finals Best of 5 Knockout, Roll on Roll off format. Quarter Finals onwards Best of 7 Knockout.
Prize money	<p>The qualifiers at each event will progress to the World Seniors Championship which will be played from the 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. They will be on a minimum £1000 prize money for that event.</p> <p>Losing Semi-finalists in each event      £400</p> <p>Losing Quarter Finalists in each event    £150</p>
Players	All must be over 40 on or before 23 <sup>RD</sup> February 2024
Draw	To be conducted no later than 17 <sup>th</sup> February 2024
Seeding	<p>Based on 128 entries.</p> <p>The top 32 players who enter from the official WSS Ranking list will be seeded into position. Should the event not achieve 128 entries the higher ranked seeds will be placed automatically into the last 64 round and receive a bye in the last 128 round of matches.</p>
Players	Players will need to agree to the terms and condition on entry.
Players Logo	Players can wear two of their own logos, one should be placed on the arm of the shirt. WSS reserves the right to place two logos on each player if they choose.
Brand Exclusion	Solicitors
Dress Code	Full match attire with a bow tie or lounge tie. Collared shirt, tailored trousers with shoes.
Broadcasting	No Broadcasting of this event is planned.

COVID	The plan is to run the event without the requirement for COVID Testing. Should by the time of the event Government determine testing should be required this will be provided at no cost to the player. Players will be required to adhere to any venue policies in place at the time.
The Club	The Club will be open for normal business during this event with no restrictions on guests or entry. The Snooker rooms will be reserved only for tournament play.
Ranking points	A ranking point will be earned for every frame won at the event.
Non playing days	Players are permitted to enter and use the club on non-playing days
Practice Tables	There will be no designated practice tables on site in Carlow, however players will be allocated a 5-minute slot to practice before their first match in their first event at the tournament director's discretion.
Top Up	The organiser reserves the right to top up from a reserve list for any withdrawals that occur after the draw and before the first day's play. The player offered the 'top up' will be in order from a reserve list and they will not know in advance the names of the other players in their group. Should a player withdraw during the event for any reason their next designated opponent would receive a bye.