The **Invicta Open** is back...

At the Sports Centre at the University of Kent at Canterbury on Saturday 15th and Sunday 16th March 2003

The Invicta is now in its 24th year, and has developed from a small provincial competition to a truly international event, usually drawing around 30 overseas entries from The Netherlands, Belgium, France and others. It has earned an enviable reputation as a hard-fought but friendly competition with an excellent atmosphere. This year we're back at one of the best venues in the open circuit. The centre boasts excellent lighting, a good floor, P.A. system and spectator facilities. The sports area is big enough for all events to be held in the same hall. Refreshments will be available from the newly-built cafeteria in the centre.

N/L	Saturday 15th March 2003Men's EpeeWomen's Epee	Check in Opens 09:00 10:00	Closes 09:30 10:30
	Men's Sabre Women's Sabre	11:00 11:00	11:30 11:30
	Sunday 16th March 2003	Check in Opens	Closes
	Men's Foil	09:00	09:30
	Women's Foil	10:00	10:30
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Entry Fee: 2.00 (one weapon) £18.00 (two weapons) Entries from fencers travelling from overseas are free

Late entries £5.00 extra

Payable to: Tenterden Swords Fencing Club

Closing Date: 1st March 2003 **Entries to:** John Hyde, 8 Heather Drive, St Michael's, Tenterden, Kent, TN30 6PL

Prizes: Medals will be awarded to the top 8 at each event, prizes to the top 4. Additional trophies will be awarded to the top veteran (40 and over) and Under-20 in the Foil events.

Notes: Late entries will be accepted at the organisers' discretion. BFA membership, or your national equivalent, is compulsory - cards will be checked, but BFA membership will be available on the day if required.

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ENTRY FORM			
Invicta Open: 15/16.03.03			
Event(s)			
Entry Fee			
Please Tick: U20* Vet(40+)* *At 1/1/2003			
Name			
Address			
Tel			
ClubBFA No			
SAE for acceptance slip map hotel info			
I accept that the organisers cannot be held responsible for any accident, loss or damage sustained at the tournament.			
Signed (Parent or guardian if under 18)			

The competition is sponsored by Blades, who will provide a comprehensive equipment stall and armoury service. Advance orders can be placed - contact Graham Forster at:

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