

BRITISH FENCING ASSOCIATION THE ENGLAND TROPHY

WOMEN'S SABRE FIE "A" GRADE



The England Trophy is open to all Women Sabreurs, possessing a current FIE Licence, who are selected by their National Federations in accordance with the FIE Quota for entries to A Grade Events.

Please note – the Hotel and Venue are in the South of London. Transport to central London takes 30 minutes by train. (East Croydon to London Victoria takes 20 minutes)

1) **Date:** Saturday and Sunday 3rd and 4th February 2007

2) Venue: Whitgift School,

Sports Centre, Haling Park,

Nottingham Road,

South Croydon, CR2 6YT

The nearest stations are South Croydon and East Croydon. From here take a taxi to Whitgift School.

The nearest airport is London Gatwick and from here take the train to East Croydon and then a taxi.(40 minutes total).

If coming from London Heathrow, take the Piccadilly Under ground line to Hammersmith, change on to the District Line to Victoria and then take the train to East Croydon. The fare from Heathrow to East Croydon is £10. (London Victoria to East Croydon is 20 minutes)

By car, from the M25 take either Junction 6 and then follow the A22 to Purley or take Junction 7 and take the A23 to Purley.

3) Organisers: British Fencing Association

4) Entries: Entries must be made via the FIE

Please remember entries must include the names of officials and referees (With 5-9 fencers 1 FIE Referee must be sent, 10 or more fencers requires 2 FIE Referees) in accordance with FIE requirements

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- 5) Entry Fee: The entry fee may be paid as £15, €20, \$25 (USA)
- **6) Formula:** The competition will be fenced according to the official FIE formula.

14.00h

7)	Programme:	Friday	19.00h	Weapon Control opens at Croydon Hilton Hotel
			22.00h	Weapon Control closes at Croydon Hilton Hotel
		Saturday:	10.00h	Weapon Control opens at Venue
			13.00h	Latest time for reporting.
			13.45h	Referees Meeting
			14.00h	Start of pools.
		Sunday:	09.15h	Last 64 Tableau

8) Doping: Control will be carried out.

Gala Final

- **9) Publicity**: The FIE Publicity Code will be strictly enforced.
- **10**) **FIE Rules**: The Competition will run in accordance with the FIE Rules for Competitions. The Directoire Technique will, however, reserve the right to decide, without right of appeal, on any issues not covered by the FIE Rules or by these Rules.
- **Referees:** Each country is required to send referees in accordance with FIE requirements. The names of referees, together with their FIE Category, must appear on the entry form.
- 12) Accommodation: Booking accommodation is the responsibility of the visiting teams. The British Fencing Association cannot book hotels for delegations.

Special rates have been negotiated at the Event Hotel:

Hilton Croydon, Waddon Way, Purley Way, Croydon, Surrey, CR9 4HH.

Tel 00 44 (0) 208 680 3000 Fax 00 44 (0) 208 681 6171 www.hilton.co.uk/croydon

Singles are £55 per night bed and breakfast and twins are £65 per night bed and breakfast. The hotel has a swimming pool and leisure centre.

Please ask for <u>GROUP RESERVATIONS</u> and then quote FEN 020307 when making your reservation.

14) Transport:

A shuttle will run between the Croydon Hilton Hotel and the Venue, before and after the event.

After the Final on the Sunday, a bus will leave for Gatwick and Heathrow Airports if requested by delegations.

Transport arrangements are being handled by WGT Sport.

15) Organiser:

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