

# *The Scottish Open*

The 2012 Scottish Open will take place in the Normandy Cosmopolitan Hotel, Inchinnan Road , Renfrew on Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th February 2012.

This is a BDO Invitation list event and is open to all players who are eligible to play in the Winmau World Masters and the Lakeside World Professional Championships and also carries ranking points in the WDF World and BDO Grand Prix ranking systems.

Entry fees are Men's Singles £11.00 and Women's Singles £8.00. £2.00 of every Singles entry goes as a levy to the World Darts Federation.

Closing date for entries is 31st January 2012 and all entries should be sent to Scottish Darts Association, 4 Burns Road, Glenrothes, Fife KY6 1EB with all cheques/postal orders made payable to the "Scottish Darts Association"

**Accommodation** As the Normandy Hotel is already fully booked we have negotiated a special rate for the Erskine Bridge Hotel. Rate for Friday and Saturday will be £31.50 pppn sharing and Sunday will be £21.00 pppn sharing with a single supplement of £15.00 pppn. To receive this rate please call Carol McPherson on 0141-812-8505

A free bus service will operate between hotels during the event.

**Times will be on display in the foyer of each Hotel**

Prize monies are as below:-

	<u>Men's Singles</u>	<u>Women's Singles</u>
1st	£2250	£800
2nd	£1000	£350
3rd joint	£ 400	£125
5th joint	£ 125	£ 60
9th joint	£ 60	£ 30
17th joint	£ 30	

This year's Men's Singles will revert to being played in two sessions, session one from 10.00am to 15.30pm, and session two from 16.00pm to 21.30pm. Both sessions will play down to last 16.

Men's Singles will be the best of five legs of 501 in early rounds, best of seven legs in semi-finals and best of nine legs in the final. Players will 'Bull up' in deciding leg if required.

This year's Women's Singles will again be played in two sessions, session one from 10.00am to 15.30pm, and session two from 16.00pm to 21.30pm. Both sessions will play down to last 4

Women's Singles will be the best of five legs of 501 in early rounds, best of seven legs in semi-finals and final. Players will 'Bull up' in deciding leg if required.

The Scottish Open Doubles will be played on Sunday 19th February and entries, £10.00 for Men's Doubles and £8.00 for Women's Doubles, will be taken up to 18.00pm on Saturday 19th February. There will be a £2000 prize fund guaranteed, to cover both events.

All stage finals approx. 18.00pm on Sunday 19th February 2012

Once again we will be running our ever popular warm-up competition on the Friday evening at the Normandy Cosmopolitan. This year's warm-up event will again be a Mixed Triples competition. Entries will be accepted (£7.50 per trio) on the night up to 7.30pm. The event is a relaxed and enjoyable one -a great way to kick off your weekend!