



# BRITISH FENCING THE ENGLAND TROPHY WOMEN'S SABRE FIE "A" GRADE



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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 rules for entries to A-grade events.

Please note – the event hotel and venue are in south London. They are approximately 3 miles apart. Transport to central London from either takes 30 minutes by train. See options below.

1) **Date:** Friday 24<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2012

2) **Venue:** Crystal Palace National Sports Centre,  
Ledington Road,  
London, SE19 2BB

The nearest station is Crystal Palace, a 5-minute walk from the venue.

Crystal Palace station is served by both London Victoria and London Bridge stations in central London. The journey from either is approximately 30 minutes.

3) **Organisers:** British Fencing.

4) **Entries:** Entries must be made via the FIE web-site

5) **Entry Fee:** The entry fee of €60.00 or £50.00 must be paid on arrival.

6) **Formula:** The competition will be fenced according to the official FIE formula.

7) <b>Programme:</b>	Thursday	18.00	Weapon Control opens at the venue.
		21.00	Weapon Control closes at the venue.
	Friday:	10.00	Weapon Control opens at the venue.
		13.00	Latest time for reporting.
		13.00	Referees Meeting.
		14.00	Start of poules.
	Saturday:	09.15	Last 64 Tableau
		15.30	<b>Drinks reception - All fencers and officials are invited</b>
		16.00	Gala Final

Sunday: Corble Cup Women's Sabre Team World Cup: please see separate information sheet on FIE calendar.

8) **Doping:** Control will be carried out.

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.

11) **Referees:** Referees will be designated by the FIE and British Fencing. Countries are not required to provide referees.

12) **Accommodation:** Booking accommodation is the responsibility of the visiting teams. British Fencing cannot book hotels for delegations.

Special rates have been negotiated at the main event hotel that is situated in Croydon, approximately 3 miles from the venue:

The Croydon Park Hotel (4\*), 7 Altyre Road, Croydon, Surrey, CR9 5AA.

Single rooms are £105.00 per night bed and breakfast and twin rooms are £127.00 (£63.50 per person) per night bed and breakfast. The hotel has a swimming pool and leisure centre.

The Croydon Park Hotel is a 3-minute walk from East Croydon station. East Croydon is served by both London Victoria and London Bridge stations in central London. The journey from either is approximately 30 minutes.

Alternatively we can offer teams rooms at Crystal Palace Lodge. The Lodge is situated on site at the fencing venue. The lodge offers very basic dormitory style accommodation but offers the convenience of being on site.

Small flat type units are available that have a twin room and one single with a shared shower room. Prices start from £48.50 per person for bed and breakfast. Dinner is available from £12.00 per person but must be pre booked with Sportworks at the time of booking accommodation.

**To make a reservation please ring Gary Hargraves at Sportworks Logistics on +44 (0) 114 209 6214 and quote Accommodations England Trophy or e-mail: [gary@sportworksuk.com](mailto:gary@sportworksuk.com)**

- 13) **Transport:** A shuttle will run between the Croydon Park Hotel and the venue before and after the event for those competitors who book accommodation with Sportworks. A timetable will be placed in the hotel foyer. Timings may change so make sure you check daily.
- 14) **Transport:** A coach will depart from the Croydon Park Hotel to Heathrow and Gatwick after all competitors (staying at the hotel) have returned from the venue. This must be booked in advance with the representative from Sportworks and will only run if numbers are sufficient.

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