

## EBU Tournament Review

**Event:** Tollemache Qualifier **Date:** 19.11.16 **Venue:** Holiday Inn, BHX  
**TD's:** Gordon Rainsford, Robin Barker, Stuart Davies, Paul Gibbons, Peter Randall  
 Barrie Partridge

### Did you enjoy the event?

**Very much**  **Yes**  **No**

### In principle how likely are you to enter this event again (assuming same format etc)

**Definitely would**  **Probably**  **Unlikely**  **Not**

### Reasons for would not:

Please mark only the aspect of the event which were 'excellent' and those which 'require improvement'

Excellent		Improvement
<input type="text" value="11"/>	<b>Venue</b>	<input type="text" value="5"/>
<input type="text" value="14"/>	<b>Playing conditions</b>	<input type="text" value="3"/>
<input type="text" value="13"/>	<b>Schedule</b>	<input type="text" value="6"/>
<input type="text" value="19"/>	<b>Competition format</b>	<input type="text" value="0"/>
<input type="text" value="18"/>	<b>Directors/Organisation</b>	<input type="text" value="1"/>
<input type="text" value="7"/>	<b>Catering/refreshments</b>	<input type="text" value="7"/>
<input type="text" value="11"/>	<b>Pre-congress service</b>	<input type="text" value="0"/>

### Would you have preferred (choose any which apply):

**Earlier start**  **Earlier finish**  **Longer intervals**

**Later start**  **Later finish**  **Shorter intervals**

**Total Returns**   
**Number of Counties**

### Comments

Schedule not acceptable, playing 40 boards, then break, then 14 boards x3  
 Parking a serious problem with contradictory information from Reception x3  
 Thought the hotel was fine and managed to cope with the large numbers x2  
 A good central location with easy travel from railway station x1  
 Good organisation but some of the TD's grumpy - we are here to enjoy ourselves x1  
 Bridge Overseas has made life easier with booking and holding rooms x1  
 Lighting poor x1  
 Went out for a meal and ended up paying parking charges twice x1  
 Long queues for Reception and dining x1  
 Dinner could be organised better - lay out tables for each county for appropriate numbers x1  
 The second sitting for dinner was late x1  
 Preferred playing upstairs where there was more room x1  
 Hotel poor, always a scramble for food and parking a shambles x1  
 Earlier start Saturday please x1  
 Longer break for dinner needed x1  
 Very enjoyable x1  
 Water coolers required x1  
 Need more options on feedback forms x1