

# **Liberty tournament No4 – March 2026 – organised by Romford Scrabble Club**

## **7 ABSP Rated games - DATE: 14<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

**VENUE:** Gidea Park Methodist Church, 398 Brentwood Road, Gidea Park, Essex, RM2 6DH

**TRAVEL:** Gidea Park station on the Elizabeth Line is a 5-minute walk away.

There is some parking at the playing venue (about 15 cars till 17:30) and limited street parking nearby.

**ACCESSIBILITY:** The venue is accessible to wheelchair users and Gidea Park Station has lifts on the platforms.

**COST:** The entry fee is £21 (same as 2025). Non ABSP members £23. We are limiting numbers to 60 maximum and require **full payment** to secure entry on the database. Please note £2.50 from each entry fee will be retained by Romford Scrabble Club.

**REFRESHMENTS:** will be available throughout the day on a self-serve basis. Lunch is not included. However, there are pubs, shops and cafes nearby.

**PRIZES:** Cash prizes for top 3 in Division A, top 2 in Division B & C, plus ratings prizes.

**FORMAT:** 7 games ABSP rated — 25 minutes per person per game.

Division A will be an **OPEN DIVISION** with 5 POINT PENALTY PER WORD. Players with a rating of 140 and above will be in Division A. All other divisions will be FREE CHALLENGE. Please let us know in advance if you wish to play up in A.

**PAYMENT:** Please pay by bank transfer using these details.

Account name: Romford Scrabble Club Sort Code: 30-97-13      Account no: 03999095

Please use your surname as the payment reference and text Fazile Zahir 07553509550 to confirm receipt.

Full payment by 7<sup>th</sup> March 2026 but please be aware that the event will be first come, first served! Please note that the organisers reserve the right to refuse applications for entry, to change the size of the playing groups as necessary and to place unrated players at their discretion.

**TIMETABLE:** Registration 08.45— 09:05. First game starts promptly at 09:15. We start early as prizegiving must be completed by 17:15.

### **SATURDAY**

GAME 1      9:15-10:05

GAME 2      10:05-10:55

GAME 3      10:55-11:45

GAME 4      11:45–12:35

Lunch 12:35-13:15

GAME 5      13:15–14:05

GAME 6      14:05-14:55

GAME 7      14:55-15.45

GAME 8      15:45 –16:35

**Prizes -**

**16:45 – 17:15**

**PLAYER DETAILS:** please send the following information to [fazilez@hotmail.com](mailto:fazilez@hotmail.com)

Please note we require a parent or guardian to accompany a minor.

**If Fazile has your details from a previous tournament no need to resubmit**

Name..... Telephone ..... Email  
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ABSP member ..... YES/ NO ABSP membership no .....

Emergency contact name and tel. no (in case of emergencies) .....

If you are unable to attend on the day or are likely to be late it is imperative that you contact Derek Bower (tel: 07940 040798) as soon as possible.

**If possible please bring playing equipment with you.** Players are asked to ensure that all playing equipment is in a clean condition.

GENERAL INFO: Fazile Zahir (Faz) tel: 07553 509550 email: [fazilez@hotmail.com](mailto:fazilez@hotmail.com)

ABSP Membership: Membership for 2026 is CURRENTLY £12 for online membership. If you would like to join, or to receive further information, please write to the Membership Secretary, Nuala O'Rourke, Membership Secretary, 22 Kestrel Road, Oakham, Rutland LE15 6BU or join by Paypal on [www.absp.org.uk](http://www.absp.org.uk)

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