

## **Tuesday Ladder 2019**

The Committee has responded to the anomalies in the current Tuesday Ladder competition. For 2019 the Tuesday Ladder will be run as follows.

The positions in the Ladder will be determined by Ladder Points, 10 points for the pair that come top in the Upper Section down to 1 point for the pair that come 10<sup>th</sup>.

The pair that come top in the Lower Section receive 8 points down to 1 point for the pair that come 8<sup>th</sup>.

The positions in The Ladder are determined by a pair's best EIGHT scores in the last 12 months. Totals from less than eight events still count to the ranking position. Should pairs have an equal number of points the position of these pairs will be determined by their points total over the preceding 12 months. If they are still equal the position is determined by the pairs result in the preceding month. If there are pairs still level The Director will decide who plays in the top section.

The Ladder will be run in two sections in January 2019 [assuming there are enough tables]. The Upper Section will be the 10 pairs with the highest accumulated points from their best 8 [or less than 8] events in the last year.

Only one section will be run if there are less than ten tables

The Ladder will 'roll' forward each month with one month's scores dropping off as the new month is added.

The winners of the competition will be the pair on top at the end of December. A pair can be top with results from less than eight events.

New pairs will have to start in The Lower section, they could accumulate enough Ladder points after four months [4x8] to enter the Upper Section and if they win the next four months would be top with 72 points!