# Trent on Track Rulebook

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# **Event Details**

#### 1.1 - Trent on Track

Trent on Track is a Trackmania LAN, taking place in the University of Staffordshire's Esports Arena. The event is being run in collaboration between British & Irish Trackmania, and JunoFoxi. 8 teams will compete in a double elimination bracket, 2v2 format.

#### 1.2.1 - Schedule - Dates

Registration Opens: Saturday 22nd February 2025
Map Release: Saturday 22nd February 2025
Tickets Available: Saturday 22nd February 2025

Qualifier 1: Sunday 16th March 2025 Qualifier 2: Sunday 23th March 2025

LAN Day 1: Saturday 19th April 2025 LAN Day 2: Sunday 20th April 2025

Qualifiers will take place online from 14:00 to 18:00\* GMT

# 1.2.2 - Schedule - Offline Day 1

Players can arrive at the venue beginning from 09:30. There will be a practice room available on-site. If you are using a wheel, or any other peripherals that may require mounting space on the stage stations, please arrive as early as possible within this window so that we can check your setup will fit & work on stage.

All Players are expected to arrive at the venue by 10:15 at the latest. Matches begin at 12:00 and will be played in the following order;

12:00 - Bracket Round 1

<sup>\*</sup>The games will likely finish before 18:00, check the Format section for more details

Match 1 (On Stage) and Match 3 (Off Stage) Played Simultaneously

13:00 - Bracket Round 1 Match 2 (On Stage) and Match 4 (Off stage) Played Simultaneously

14:00 - Lower Bracket Round 1 Match 5 (On Stage)

15:00 - Lower Bracket Round 1 Match 6 (On Stage)

16:00 - UB Semi-Final Match 7 (On Stage)

17:00 - UB Semi-Final Match 8 (On Stage)

# 1.2.3 - Schedule - Offline Day 2

Players can arrive at the venue beginning from 09:30. All Players are expected to arrive at the venue by 10:15 at the latest. Matches begin at 12:00 and will be played in the following order, with all matches being played on stage.

12:00 - Lower Bracket Round 2 Match 9

13:00 - Lower Bracket Round 2 Match 10

14:00 - Winner's Finals Match 11

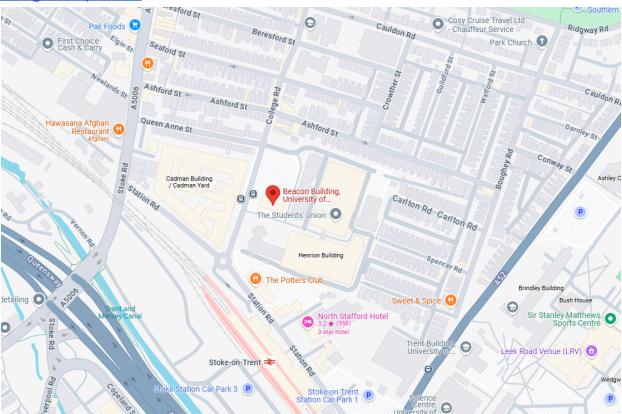
15:00 - Lower Bracket Round 3 Match 12

16:00 - Lower Bracket Finals Match 13 17:00 - Grand Finals Match 14

### 1.3 - Location

Beacon Building, University of Staffordshire.

#### Google Maps Link



### 1.4 - Staff

The following individuals form the head staff of the event, if you have any queries about the event, please contact on these staff members:

JunoFoxi Discord: @tricksterfoxi Padster01 @padster01 Babz @babzify

# **Participation**

# 2.1 - Eligibility

A player is considered eligible to participate if their account has access to Trackmania (2020) Club Edition on PC.

Players and attendees must be at least 16 years of age. Players and attendees under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult while at the event.

Teams must consist of no more and no less than 2 eligible players.

# 2.2 - Registration

Registration will close at 12:00 GMT on the 16th of March 2025. Players can register their duo here: <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/w4JyM5yWsF">https://forms.office.com/e/w4JyM5yWsF</a>

#### 2.3 - Communication

All communication between the staff and the participants will happen via Discord & Twitter. It is the participants' responsibility to follow the rules and any updates. The staff will not be held accountable for any damages incurred by changes to the event if said changes were announced beforehand. In case of a dispute, the staff retain the right to make the final call.

The official communication channels are located at:

Discord: <a href="https://discord.gg/Y3pPyenrB8">https://discord.gg/Y3pPyenrB8</a>

- X/Twitter: x.com/britishirishtm

# **Format**

### 3.1.1 - Match Format - Points

The 2v2 format used in TMWT 2023 will be used for this event.

Teams compete to win on each selected map. Within a given map, points will be handed out each round as follows for players from team A and team B:

Situation	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Team A	Team B
Ace	А	А	В	В	+3	+0
Victory	А	В	А	В	+2	+1
Draw	А	В	В	А	+1	+1

The first team to win the majority of maps wins the match. In the offline finals this will be a best of 5.

# 3.1.2 - Match Format - Pick/Ban

#### **Best of 3 Matches:**

Upper Seed PICK - Map 1

Lower Seed PICK - Map 2

Lower Seed BAN

Upper Seed BAN

Remaining map played last.

#### **Best of 5 Matches:**

Upper Seed PICK - Map 1

Lower Seed PICK - Map 2

Lower Seed PICK - Map 3

Upper Seed PICK - Map 4

Remaining map played last.

# 3.2 - Qualifiers

Both Qualifier Days will use the same format and times.

Matches in the Qualifier Bracket will use the **Best of 3** format defined in **3.1.2.** Matches displayed in the same time slot will be played simultaneously.

14:00-15:00 GMT		15:00-16:00 GMT*			
Timed Rounds (averaged weighted times across duos)		Qualifier Bracket Round 1 (best of 3)			
		Match 1			
lst	Team A	Becomes Seed 1		Seed 1	Winner to
2nd	Team B	Becomes Seed 2	Loser to Lower Bracket R1	VS	Upper Bracket
3rd	Team C	Becomes Seed 3	Brackerki	Seed 8	Rī

4th	Team D	Becomes Seed 4	Match 2		
5th	Team E	Becomes Seed 5		Seed 2	Winner to
6th	Team F	Becomes Seed 6	Loser to Lower  Bracket R1	VS	Upper Bracket
7th	Team G	Becomes Seed 7		Seed 7	R1
8th	Team H	Becomes Seed 8	Match 3		
Top 8 Teams Continue ->				Seed 3	Winner to
9th	Team I	Does not Qualify	Loser to Lower  Bracket R1	VS	Upper Bracket
etc.	etc.		2.23	Seed 6	R1
*Finishing times for matches are likely to be sooner than displayed.		Match 4			
		Loser to Lower Bracket R1	Seed 4 vs	Winner to Upper Bracket	
			Seed 5	R1	

16:00-17:00 GMT*			17:00-18:00 GMT*		
Qualifier Bracket Round 2 (best of 3)			Qualifier Bracket Round 3 (best of 3)		
Match 5, Upper Bracket R1			Match 9, Upper Bracket Round 2		
Loser to Lower Bracket R2	Winner Match 1 vs Winner Match 4	Winner to Upper Bracket R2	Loser Takes 2nd Seed	Winner Match 5 vs Winner Match 6	Winner takes 1st Seed
Match 6, Upper Bracket R1			Match 10, Lower	Bracket R2	
Loser to Lower Bracket R2	Winner Match 2 vs Winner Match 3	Winner to Upper Bracket R2	Loser Does Not Qualify	Loser Match 5 vs Winner Match 8	Winner Takes 3rd or 4th seed**
Match 7 Lower Bracket R1			Match 11, Lower Bracket R2		
Loser Does Not Qualify	Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 4	Winner to Lower Bracket R2	Loser Does Not Qualify	Loser Match 6 vs Winner Match 7	Winner Takes 3rd or 4th Seed**
Match 8 Lower Bracket R1			**3rd seed will be given to the team that has the		
Loser Does Not Qualify	Loser Match 2 vs Loser Match 3	Winner to Lower Bracket R2	fastest average weighted time from <b>before</b> the qualifying bracket stage that wins their Lower Bracket R2 match.		

# 3.3 - Offline Finals

Teams will be seeded into a double elimination bracket by their finishing position in the qualifiers, this will be done as follows:

Seeding determined by Qualifiers				
1st Seed Week 1	Becomes Seed 1			
1st Seed Week 2	Becomes Seed 2			
2nd Seed Week 1	Becomes Seed 3			
2nd Seed Week 2	Becomes Seed 4			
3rd Seed Week 1	Becomes Seed 5			
3rd Seed Week 2	Becomes Seed 6			
4th Seed Week 1	Becomes Seed 7			
4th Seed Week 2	Becomes Seed 8			

Matches will be played with the **Best of 5** format defined in **3.1.2.** Matches with the same time displayed will be played Simultaneously.

Day 1 Matches					
Match 1 - 12:00 On stage			Match 5 Lower Bracket Round 1 - 14:00		
Loser to Lower Bracket R1	Seed 1 vs Seed 8	Winner to Upper Bracket Semi-Final	Loser Eliminated	Loser Match 1 vs Loser Match 4	Winner to Lower Bracket R2
Match 2 - 13:00 Or	n Stage		Match 6 Lower Br	acket Round 1 - 15	:00
Loser to Lower Bracket R1	Seed 2 vs Seed 7	Winner to Upper Bracket Semi-Final	Loser Eliminated	Loser Match 2 vs Loser Match 3	Winner to Lower Bracket R2
Match 3 - 13:00 Off Stage			Match 7, Upper Bracket Semi-Final - 16:00		
Loser to Lower Bracket R1	Seed 3 vs Seed 6	Winner to Upper Bracket Semi-Final	Loser to Lower Bracket R2	Winner Match 1 vs Winner Match 4	Winner to Upper Bracket Final
Match 4 - 12:00 Of	f Stage		Match 8, Upper Bracket Semi-Final - 17:00		
Loser to Lower Bracket R1	Seed 4 vs Seed 5	Winner to Upper Bracket Semi-Final	Loser to Lower Bracket R2	Winner Match 2 vs Winner Match 3	Winner to Upper Bracket Final
Day 2 Matches					
Match 9, Lower Bracket R2 - 12:00			Match 13, Lower Bracket Finals - 16:00		
Loser Eliminated	Loser Match 7 vs Winner Match 6	Winner to Lower Bracket R3	Loser Takes 3rd Place	Loser Match 11 vs Winner Match 12	Winner to Grand Finals
Match 10, Lower Bracket R2 - 13:00			Match 14, Grand Finals - 17:00		

Loser Eliminated	Loser Match 8 vs Winner Match 5	Winner to Lower Bracket R3	Loser Takes 2nd Place	Winner Match 9 vs Winner Match 13	Winner takes 1st Place
Match 11, Upper B	racket Final - 14:00				
Loser to Lower Bracket Finals	Winner Match 7 vs Winner Match 8	Winner to Grand Finals	There will be a priz	re giving ceremony	post finals
Match 12, Lower Bracket R3 - 15:00			(details TBA)		
Loser Eliminated	Winner Match 9 vs Winner Match 8	Winner to Lower Bracket Finals			

The schedule for the bracket can also be found in Section 1.2.2 & 1.2.3.

### **3.4** - Maps

5 maps will be used for Trent-on-Track;

Map Name	<u> </u>
ToT - Perfect Blue ft Agrabou	by linkTM_
ToT - A Flower Of The Ground	by mime.cut
ToT -「Wildfire」ft' Novu	by Navi.wp
ToT - Peeaack	by asse96
ToT - It's Soccer Not Football ft' sq	lc by linhzinho.jr

#### 3.5 - Prize Pool

The minimum Prize Pool for the event will be £600. This amount may increase if more tickets are sold and more donations made.

Prize distribution for the finals will be as follows;

1st: 40% + Wooting 80HE Keyboards

2nd: 30% 3rd: 20% 4th: 10%

Physical prizes will be given out on the day. Prize money will be distributed within 72 hours post-event.

# **Participation Rights**

#### 4.1 - Code of Conduct

Any behaviour that is deemed harmful to (other) participants, event staff or the event itself will lead to disciplinary measures, which may include disqualification from the event. Examples of such harmful behaviour are listed below:

- Refusal to play the assigned match without any valid reason provided;
- Playing under a different username that was not registered (fakenicking);
- Playing under a different flag that player is not representing (fakeflagging);
- Using any 3rd party tools to directly modify the game state and give oneself a disproportionate advantage over other participants (input-altering software such as DXTweak is not considered as modifying the game state and is therefore allowed);
- Deceiving or trying to deceive the participants, staff and/or other people, that are affiliated with the event;
- Match fixing, fake score reporting;
- Use of offensive skins, horns, imagery or sounds.
- Insulting or in any other way harassing the participants, staff and/or other people that are affiliated with the event, in-game or on other platforms (Discord/Twitch/Youtube/X).
- Shortcutting.

# 4.2 - Server Crashes and Events Outside Player Influence

In case of a server crash or any other *force majeure* type of event that prevents the match from continuing, one of the following recovery procedures may be executed:

- a) if the event happened when 0 map points are given, the map will be restarted, else the match will be continued
- b) otherwise, the match is restarted with player scores of the affected match retained.

The event staff reserves the right to alter the recovery procedures and their execution conditions to streamline the recovery.

# 4.3 - Streaming

The following official streams of the offline finals of the event will be available:

English broadcast (stage matches): <a href="twitch.tv/britishirishtm">twitch.tv/britishirishtm</a>
<a href="twitch.tv/britishirishtm">twitch.tv/britishirishtm</a>

French broadcast <u>twitch.tv/TMGGeek</u>

# **Appendix**

# **Appendix A - Useful Links**

Socials

Discord: <a href="https://discord.gg/Y3pPyenrB8">https://discord.gg/Y3pPyenrB8</a>
Twitter: <a href="https://twitter.com/BritishIrishIM">https://twitter.com/BritishIrishIM</a>

YouTube: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/@britishirishtm">https://www.youtube.com/@britishirishtm</a>

Twitch: <a href="https://www.twitch.tv/britishirishtm">https://www.twitch.tv/britishirishtm</a>

**Event Information** 

TMX Map Pack:

https://trackmania.exchange/mappackshow/6160?query=

eCircuitMania Page: Link available soon

Prize pool donations & Tickets:

https://www.universe.com/events/trent-on-track-tickets-TCD9R0

Liquipedia

Trent on Track Liquipedia:

https://liquipedia.net/trackmania/Trent\_on\_Track