



BVF National Age Group Championships 2026 Competition in Foil, Epee, Sabre

Venue: Harvey Hadden Sports Village
Wigman Road
Nottingham
NG8 4PB

Final Timetable: Foil and Sabre: Saturday 21st March 2026

Men's and Women's Foil 1 & 2 check in closes at 08:30
Men's and Women's Sabre 3 & 4 check in closes at 08:45
Men's and Women's Foil 3 & 4 check in closes at 12:30
Men's and Women's Sabre 1 & 2 check in closes at 12:30

Epee: Sunday 22nd March 2026

Men's Epee 1 & 2 and Women's Epee 3 & 4 check in closes at 08:30
Men's Epee 3 & 4 and Women's Epee 1 & 2 check in closes at 12:30

Format: The following format may change if the numbers planned for differ from those on the day:

Category - Foil	Format
Men Category 1	1 round of poules of 6/7 then DE
Men Category 2	1 round of poules of 6/7 then DE
Men Category 3	1 round of poules of 6/7 then DE
Men Category 4	Poule unique 1 round to 5 hits
Women Category 1	Poule unique 2 rounds to 5 hits
Women Category 2	Poule unique 2 rounds to 5 hits
Women Category 3	Poule unique 2 rounds to 5 hits
Women Category 4	Poule unique 1 round to 5 hits
Category - Epee	
Men Category 1	1 round of poules of 5/6 then DE
Men Category 2	1 round of poules of 6/7 then DE
Men Category 3	1 round of poules of 6/7 then DE
Men Category 4	1 round of poules of 6/7 then DE
Women Category 1	Poule unique 1 round to 5
Women Category 2	Poule unique 1 round to 5
Women Category 3	Poule unique 1 round to 5
Women Category 4	Poule unique 1 round to 5
Category - Sabre	
Men Category 1	Poule unique 2 rounds to 5 hits
Men Category 2	1 round of poules of 8 then DE
Men Category 3	1 round of poules of 7 then DE
Men Category 4	Poule unique 1 round to 5 hits
Women Category 1	Merged with Cat 2

Women Category 2	Poule unique to 9 then split out
Women Category 3	Poule unique 2 rounds to 5 hits
Women Category 4	Poule unique 2 rounds to 5 hits

Equipment: Section C in Appendix 1 of [British Fencing Approved Safety Guidelines](#).
There will be an armoury service on site.

Referees: Provided by the Organisers. We aim to avoid self-refereeing, but this may be required in some unavoidable circumstances

Closing Date: 6 March 2026.

Organiser: Naomi Donaldson naomihlee@googlemail.com
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Accommodation: [Travelodge Wollaton Park](#) 11 mins drive from the venue
[Premier Inn Nottingham West Hotel](#) 12 mins drive from the venue
Many other hotels in the local area