

Camrose 2 Trial – Supplementary Conditions of Contest 2021

- An online trial, held on RealBridge if possible, to aid with selection for the Camrose weekend 2 will be held on Friday 15th to Sunday 17th January.
- It will be a trial for teams of 4 and will be based broadly (not exactly) on the principles of the National league. The winning team will be selected and the selection committee will select a third pair at their sole discretion, bearing in mind performances at this and recent trials and other international competitions over the last 2 years.
- It will most likely be for 10 teams (as for the National League). The committee reserves the right to have more or fewer teams if a broad interpretation of National League continuity guidelines cannot sensibly be applied to achieve 10.
- Entry will ultimately be by invitation, but teams who believe that they may have National League continuity qualifications are encouraged to apply for an invitation. All players must be eligible to play for Scotland in the Camrose and be of good standing within the SBU.
- Teams that would have played in the NL Division 1 in 2020 and are unchanged can expect to be accepted.
- Teams with changed personnel may seek an invitation and will be considered assuming that fewer than 10 teams qualify automatically. The Selection committee will have absolute discretion over which of these to invite, and will base this loosely on the continuity guidelines for the National League.
- The trial (assuming 10 teams) will be a full round-robin of 9 matches. Most likely 2 on Friday, 4 on Saturday and 3 on Sunday unless everyone is able to start mid-afternoon on the Friday. These will be either 16 or 14 board matches, dependent on the final number of teams and the starting time.
- Full details of the playing programme will be issued once the number of teams is confirmed.
- Eligible teams should notify their interest and their personnel with the chair of the International Committee – Anne Perkins – by December 1st 2020.
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