

Sussex Rankings Rules 2026/27

Ranking Points can be scored by any player eligible for the Sussex Masters as defined in rule 19 of the Competition Rules of the SCBBA Rules 2025.

Separate Men's and Ladies' ranking lists will be kept. A combined list will be used for Sussex Masters qualification, in this combined list any points scored in the Ladies' Inter League One Day event will be removed.

Ranking Points Scoring System:

Singles Competitions – In all matches 1 point is awarded for a leg win and 1 point awarded for the aggregate win; therefore 3 points are awarded in total for each match. In addition, ranking points will be awarded as follows –

- **Men's:** Winner 25 pts, R-up 20 pts, S-Final 15 pts, Q-Final 10 pts, Last 16 5 pts
- **Ladies':** Winner 8 pts, R-up 5 pts, S-Final 2 pts

If a plate competition is run 0.1 points are awarded for each match won. In addition, ranking points will be awarded as follows –

- **Men's:** Winner 4 pts, R-up 2 pts, S-Final 1 pt
- **Ladies':** Winner 1 pt, R-up 0.5 pts

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg in which a player scores 5,000. This starts at 0.1 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored.

NB: No match points are awarded for a W/O or Bye. If a player receives ranking points for reaching the latter stages having not won a match in the competition then half points will be awarded.

Doubles Competitions – In all matches 0.5 points are awarded for a leg win and 0.5 point awarded for the aggregate win; therefore 1.5 points awarded in total for each match. In addition, ranking points will be awarded as follows –

- **Open:** Winner 12 pts, R-up 8 pts, S-Final 5 pts, Q-Final 3 pts
- **Mixed:** Winner 4 pts, R-up 2 pts

If a plate competition is run 0.1 points are awarded for each match won. In addition, ranking points will be awarded as follows –

- **Open:** Winner 2 pts, R-up 1 pts, S-Final 0.5 pt
- **Mixed:** Winner 0.5 pts

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg in which a pair scores 5,000. This starts at 0.1 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored. This is awarded to both players in the pair.

NB: No match points are awarded for a W/O or Bye. If a player receives ranking points for reaching the latter stages having not won a match in the competition then half points will be awarded. If the competition is played in groups points will be adjusted to reflect the number of matches played to reach the latter stages of the competition.

Off The Spot Competition – In group matches 1 point is awarded for a win. In addition, ranking points will be awarded as follows –

- Winner 15 pts, R-up 11 pts, S-Final 8 pts, Q-Final 5 pts, Last 16 3 pts

If a plate competition is run 0.1 points are awarded for each match won. In addition, ranking points will be awarded as follows –

- Winner 2 pts, R-up 1 pt

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg. These start at 0.1 points for 5,000 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored.

NB: No match points are awarded for a W/O or Bye. If a player receives ranking points for reaching the latter stages having not won a match then half points will be awarded.

Inter League Home and Away – Ranking points are awarded for matches won as follows –

- **Division One:** 5 points
- **Division Two:** 3 points

A 1 point bonus will be given for a player winning against the break.

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg. In a leg where the player has the break these start at 0.1 points for 5,000 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored. Against the break 0.1 points are awarded for scoring 4,500 with an additional 0.1 for every extra 2,500 scored.

NB: No points are awarded for a walkover. Points are based on teams playing 10 matches, if this is not the case an adjustment will be applied.

Inter League One Day – In matches played over two legs Ranking points are awarded for aggregate win and legs won as follows –

- **Division One:** 3 points per leg and 4 points for aggregate win
- **Division Two:** 2 points per leg and 2 points for aggregate win
- **Division B/C:** 2 points per leg and 2 points for aggregate win
- **Ladies:** 2 points per leg and 2 points for aggregate win

In matches played over one leg then Ranking points are awarded for legs won as followed –

- **Division One:** 5 points
- **Division Two:** 3 points
- **Division B/C:** 3 points
- **Ladies:** 3 points

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg. These start at 0.1 points for 5,000 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored.

NB: No points are awarded for a walkover, but players will have their individual points adjusted to match the same number of games played in the division. Points are based on players playing 8 legs, if this is not the case an adjustment will be applied.

Watney Mann – For each leg won 1 point is awarded with an additional 0.5 points given for a win against the break.

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg. These start at 0.1 points for 5,000 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored.

NB: No points are awarded for a walkover.

Sussex Team (County Championships) – Ranking points are awarded for legs won as follows –

- **Division One:** 2 points
- **Division Two:** 1.5 points

Score bonuses are awarded for each leg. These start at 0.1 points for 5,000 and increases by 0.1 for every extra 3,000 scored.

NB: No points are awarded for a walkover, but players will have their individual points adjusted to match the same number of games played in the division. Points are based on players playing 5 legs, if this is not the case an adjustment will be applied.