Home Nations Series

Northern Ireland Open 2018 12-18 November 2018 – Waterfront Hall, Belfast Provisional Format of Play

Date	Round No	Session Time	Match No TV/Streamed tables	Session Time	Match No
Monday, 12 November	1	10.00 am	48 61	10.00 am	3 4 7 8 9 10
	1	NB 1.00 pm	1 16	NB 1.00 pm	11 14 18 19 22 46
	1	Roll on Roll off	44 28	Roll on Roll off	23 24
	1	NB 4.30 pm	13 2	NB 3.00 pm	
	1	NB 7.00 pm	32 21	NB 7.00 pm	26 29 31 35 36 39
	1	NB 8.00 pm	53 37	NB 8.00 pm	
Tuesday, 13 November	1	10.00 am	30 38	10.00 am	34 40 42 43 47 50
	1	NB 1.00 pm	33 60	NB 1.00 pm	15 41 51 52 54 55
	1	Roll on Roll off	64 49	Roll on Roll off	56 58
	1	NB 4.30 pm	20 27	NB 3.00 pm	
	1	NB 7.00 pm	17 6	NB 7.00 pm	25 45 57 59 62 63
	1	NB 8.00 pm	12 5	NB 8.00 pm	
Wednesday, 14 November	2	10.00 am	2 x Round 2 matches	10.00 am	6 x Round 2 matches
	2	NB 1.00 pm	2 x Round 2 matches	NB 1.00 pm	6 x Round 2 matches
	2	Roll on Roll off	2 x Round 2 matches	Roll on Roll off	2 x Round 2 matches
	2	4.30 pm	2 x Round 2 matches	NB 3.00 pm	2 x Round 2 matches
	2	NB 7.00 pm	2 x Round 2 matches	NB 7.00 pm	4 x Round 2 matches
	2	NB 8.00 pm	2 x Round 2 matches	NB 8.00 pm	
Thursday, 15 November	3	10.00 am	2 x Round 3 matches	10.00 am	6 x Round 3 matches
	3	NB 1.00 pm	2 x Round 3 matches	NB 1.00 pm	4 x Round 3 matches
	3	NB 2.30 pm	2 x Round 3 matches		
	4	NB 7.00 pm	2 x Round 4 matches	NB 7.00 pm	4 x Round 4 matches
	4	NB 8.00 pm	2 x Round 4 matches	NB 8.00 pm	
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Friday, 16 November	QF	12.00 noon	Quarter final		
	QF	NB 2.00 pm	Quarter final		
	QF	NB 7.00 pm	Quarter final x2		
Saturday, 17 November	SF	1.00 pm	Semi Final		
	SF	7.00 pm	Semi Final		
Sunday,	F	1.00 pm	Final		
18 November	F	7.00 pm	Final		

Please note that the second matches on Table 1 (1.00 pm session) will not start before 1.00 pm, and the third match will start 15 minutes after the completion of the second match.

Subject to timings the TD will at his discretion decide if the fourth match of the day remains on TV table 1, or is moved to another table to avoid long delays and waiting times for players, and possible changes to the advertised evening session televised matches.

All other tables will be played on a roll on roll off basis.

All matches on tables 1 & 2 that start will be played to a conclusion regardless of time.

Up to and including Round 4 (Last 16) best of 7 frames (no intervals), QFs best of 9 frames, SFs best of 11 frames and Final best of 17 frames. (8/9)

Friday all QFs will be best of 9 frames, on a roll on roll off basis for the afternoon matches.

The playing schedule for Wed-Sat will be determined the day before and published by the TD.