



## **MANX ESPORTS TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS RUMBLE ON THE ISLAND**

### **1. General Provisions**

This is a hybrid video game tournament organised by Manx esports. The goal of Manx esports is the development of esports through the facilitation and organisation of competitions (tournaments) and esports events, the education of inexperienced and amateur players, the unification of professional players and teams of the highest level, the creation of equal conditions for all participants and the determination (using exclusively the principles of equal and fair competition) of a champion among players and teams from around the world.

To participate in the tournament and to receive a prize, all players must have accepted the Rules and Regulations.

Tournament details:

- Dates of the Tournament: Schedule on [www.manxesports.com](http://www.manxesports.com)

### **2. How to play the matches**

At the start time you have to be signed into your smash.gg account. Here are the following steps:

- click on the game tournament on the left side of your screen //
- again on the left side click on event schedule //
- then click on view brackets //
- there your bracket / match will be available to click on //
- click on the summary tab //
- click on the check in button //
- your opponent has to do it as well //
- and once you both signed in, click on the chat tab //
- there you will be able to exchange game friend codes, one player will have to set up a private match, use the code so you can get in the same match //
- play the match //
- once it's over, report the score on the summary tab (its just win (W) or lose (L), no point score necessary) //
- your opponent will have to confirm, and once that's done move on to your next match - see in brackets //

### **3. Match set up**

- The match time is 5 minutes - you will have a 15 minutes window to play it (including overtime !) but if you finish earlier no problem.
- As soon as your next match is available (both players identified) you can check in and start playing
- The moment both players are identified, You have 7 minutes to check in that match, otherwise you will be DQd
- Report time after match ends is set to 2 min
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### **4. Communicaitons**

Please use ONLY the smash.gg chat to communicate with your opponent and with us, in order to set up the match, report issues etc. There are a lot of matches going on at the same time, so if you have an issue raised please be patient, we will get to you asap. Only matters wich are raised and discussed on that specific match chat are valid.

You can use our discord channel "manx esports half term tournament" to chat with others, your team members, etc.

## 5. Disputes

Disputes will be brought to attention to one of the tournament / event staff (observer) and will be tried to resolve in the best and fair manner. Final say lies with the head judge / pool captain / event organiser = Manx esports.

We strongly recommend that you record your matches. If you cannot do it via your PC, a capture card or similar - use your cell phone for example. Once the match is over and all is well, just delete the recording and do the next one.

## 6. Observing and Streaming

We will observe random matches at the beginning, asking for permission to be spectator. We will record and stream these matches live on our twitch channel: therealmanxesports

## 7. Rights and obligations of Players

7.1 During the Tournament, the organisers Manx esports's Staff has the right to request, and players are required to provide information about the equipment used by the Players. At its discretion, Manx esports may prohibit the use of any specific Player equipment for reasons related to the safety, effectiveness and fairness of the game in the tournament.

7.2 Players must show sportsmanship and respect for each other and for all Players and Staff of the Tournament from Manx esports. Players at all times during the Tournament must strictly follow all Manx esports's Instructions. Players must play to the maximum of their abilities and capabilities all the time within the framework of the Tournament and avoid any actions incompatible with the principles of sports professionalism, fairness and fair play. If a player behaves inappropriately and / or does not follow these Rules, Manx esports at its sole discretion determines the need for immediate disqualification from the Tournament and depriving a Player of all potential prizes. Manx esports reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to prohibit disqualified Players from participating in any future event organised by Manx esports.

7.3 Behaviour deemed inappropriate and in violation of the Rules includes, but is not limited to:

- Aggressive behaviour towards any other Players, employees and audience;
- Excessive communication during the game. Only expressions of sporting behaviour (for example, "gl", "hf", "gg", "pp") and adequate communication are allowed;
- Fraud (cheating) in any form;
- Using any in-game bugs to get an advantage;
- Participation in any action related to match-fixing (any offers on match fixing received by the player must be immediately transferred to Manx esports);
- Any excessive and/or coaching by the audience for any specific player
- Any behaviour unacceptable to Manx esports;
- Any other violations of these rules

7.4 Manx esports keeps the right to change the tournament format, its date, the prices without further notice and at its sole discretion. Manx esports reserves the right to cancel the event unilaterally, and to propose a reasonable new date for the tournament to take place.

**If you feel at anytime the need to communicate a serious offense towards the rules, you can choose to contact Manx esports directly via a direct message either on discord or via the homepage <https://manxesports.com/contact-us>**

## 8. Copyright

8.1 All property rights (including, without limitation, any rights to marketing, media, software, trademarks and every other intellectual property) associated with the Tournament belong to Manx esports.

8.2 Players must not associate their participation in the Tournament with commerce and must not use any intellectual property rights Manx esports or other relevant owners, as they should not allow third parties to do this without the prior written consent of Manx esports.

8.3 By participating in the Tournament, each Player thereby unconditionally provides Manx esports and its respective licensees, successors and heirs, permission to bring to the general knowledge, broadcast in real time, broadcast, film, photograph and record the player's performances at the Tournament itself and at other events related to the tournament, including the Manx esports SSB Ultimate rules player's name, username (nickname), logo, avatar, player's tag or analogue, voice, quotes, image and other personal characteristics and other information ("Appearance"), as well as the right, but not the obligation, to distribute, engage, bring to to the general public, translate into any language, sublicense or otherwise use such appearance without any additional payments, in whole or in part, in any and all mass media, including, but not exclusively on the internet, as it is now known, and developed in the future, around the world for an unlimited period, for any purpose, including, but not limited to, the right to relay, EST, Tvod rights, Svod rights, Fvod rights and Advod rights, Nvod rights, Mobile rights in order to advertise, marketing and promote the Tournament, Manx esports on its own, its official website and future events.

8.4 Players and their parents or guardians will also acknowledge the following: The tournament / event can be broadcasted online on different social media channels. Pictures and Video footage will be taken during the event. This footage is sole property of Manx esports. This will be for private but also for marketing purposes. It may be difficult to ensure that footage (still and video) in which the player appears will not be used. If there is a conflict with this and the player / player responsible please speak to the organiser.

## **9. Warranties and responsibility**

9.1 Manx esports makes no warranties and hereby declines any warranties, express or implied, regarding any prize provided in connection with the Tournament. In no way limiting the generality of the foregoing and without canceling other agreements that apply to a Player as a participant in a Tournament, Manx esports hereby disclaims all warranties and conditions, whether express, implied, statutory or otherwise, in relation to the game software, the equipment and the operation of the Tournament, including, without limitation, all implied warranties of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, names, offences and their analogues in accordance with the laws of any jurisdiction.

9.2 Manx esports is not responsible for any errors, omissions, interruptions, deletions, defects, delays in operation or transmission, interruptions in communication lines, theft, destruction or unauthorised access to player information accounts or field of play in the game. However, Manx esports is trying to ensure the integrity of the Tournament, but Manx esports is not responsible for the actions of Players in connection with the Tournament, including the Player's attempts to circumvent the Rules or otherwise interfere with the administration, security, honesty, fairness or proper conduct of the Tournament.

## **10. Other**

10.1 Violation of any part of these Rules may, at the sole discretion of Manx esports, to sanction (s) and / or to crediting defeat. All Players must strictly adhere to directions from Manx esports. All decisions and managerial moments of Manx esports are final and binding. Manx esports reserves the right to impose sanctions on any Player at any time and for any reason. The following may apply: warning; disqualification; loss of prize.

10.2 In the event of a right to disqualification applied to any Player, this right may be exercised based on the sole conclusions of Manx esports. Any Player who has decided to refuse to participate in the Tournament and / or has been disqualified will not be admitted to the Tournament again under any condition.

These Rules are governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the UK and the Isle of Man, without the application of any law or conflicting provisions or rules. Any dispute arising out of or in connection with these Rules, including any matter relating to its existence, validity or termination, if such a dispute / issue is not settled between the parties through negotiations, is referred and finally resolved by relevant court of the Isle of Man.

For Manx esports the right remains to change any part of these Rules at any time and / or to cancel the participation of any Player in the Tournament at their own discretion. Updates to the Rules may be published without notifying the Players participating in the Tournament. The format and / or schedule of the Tournament is also subject to change without notice. Manx esports and Tournament referees are allowed to make their own decisions which could go against the Rules in extraordinary situations. Manx esports and Tournament referees are as well allowed to make their own decisions in situations which are not covered by the rules.

10.3 If the player is under the age of 16, a parent / responsible adult / guardian must have read this document and explained to the participant. Players under the age of 16 should be accompanied by a parent / responsible adult / guardian during the competition.

**This Tournament is not a game of chance and cannot be used in any type or form of gambling.**