



## ENGLAND SELECTIONS 2026 –IBTF World Freestyle & Rhythmic Championships – France 2026

**DATE:** During the National Championships 2-4 May 2026 (Specific timing to be advised)

**VENUE:** K2 Crawley

**Selected Athletes MUST compete at the UTE Open competition (27-28 June 2026)**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING DATES/DEADLINES:**

- 30<sup>th</sup> November -** CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES – NO EXCEPTIONS  
recently expired) EMAIL COPY OF PASSPORT – SHOWING BOTH PAGES (only needed if not given last year or  
HEAD AND SHOULDERS PHOTO OF EACH ATHLETE (only needed if not given last year)  
SIGNED COPY OF CONTRACT
- 31<sup>st</sup> December -** Payment of selection entries
- 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026-** £200 Deposit for hotel booking (Will be refunded if not selected)
- 5<sup>th</sup> May -** NON-REFUNDABLE additional DEPOSIT of £300 per ATHLETE TO BE PAID upon Selection
- 14<sup>th</sup> June -** BALANCE OF TRIP COSTS – NO EXCEPTIONS.

**Please allow £800-£1,000 per trip. This includes travel, hotel accommodation (half board), hotel/arena transfers, entry fees, judge's costs etc. Please only submit your entry if you can commit to the deadlines.**

**Invoices will be sent out to Club Leaders during May. Information regarding TOTAL costs for the trip will be made available mid-May, once numbers are confirmed. Final payments will be due no later than 14<sup>th</sup> June 2026.**

**NO additional time can be or will be granted to any of the deadlines above, so please ensure that all parents and athletes are aware of these obligations.**

**Links for athletes & coaches selected to complete their forms will be available on the website once confirmed.**

**Date of Competition:**

**IBTF World Championships**

**Paris**

**5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> August 2026**

**Chaperones are provided by the England Squad. Travel to and from the country of competition will be arranged and advised by the England Squad Manager. Travel during the competition (to and from the hotel and venue will be provided). The hotels operate a stay and play policy and will be arranged by the England Squad Manager – this applies to ALL athletes and coaches to allow accurate numbers and arrangement of entry passes.**

**Parents/Others may also pay the fixed fee (TBC) to be included on the England Squad trip upon payment of the deposits as previously listed. They will need to arrange their own entry tickets for the competition.**

**All payments for entries and deposits MUST be sent to the following account:**

**England Baton Twirling Squad**

**NATWEST**

**Sort Code: 55-70-34**

**Account No: 87764822**

**Please contact me if you need any further information or clarification on any of these points.**

**Many thanks**

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