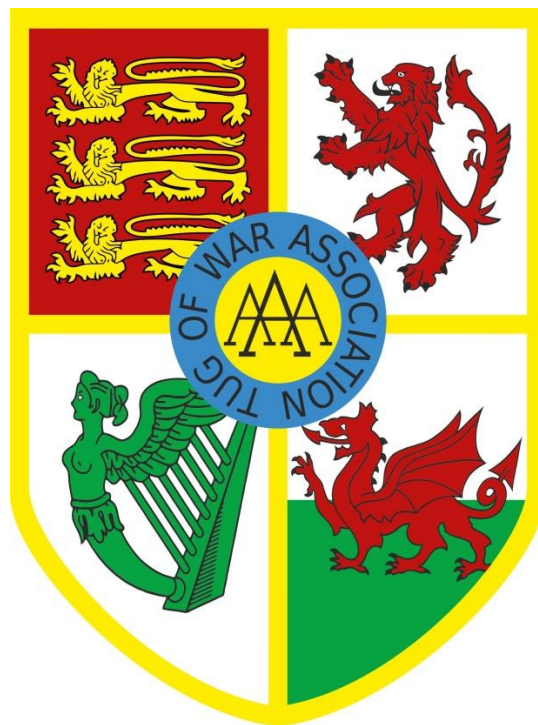




TWIF Congress 2024

University of Nottingham, England
12th-13th April



Dear fellow delegates,

On behalf of the English Tug of War Association and TWIF, I would like to invite you to attend Congress 2024.

Venue: Orchard Park Hotel, Beeston Lane, Nottingham, England NG7 2RJ

This will be the official hotel of the 2025 European Championships.



The University of Nottingham will be the venue of the European Championships, World Junior and World Under 23 Championships 2025.

Located in the heart of England, we are able to provide the accommodation and competition field all in one location.

About The Orchard Hotel

This contemporary 4-star hotel features accessible rooftop terraces, green roofs and free Wi-Fi in all areas. Opened in 2012, The Orchard Hotel & Restaurant has a Brasserie-style restaurant and bar. With floor-to-ceiling windows, all rooms come with bespoke furniture and unique decor throughout. The eco-friendly bathrooms have water pebbles fitted, which helps to conserve water usage. The mezzanine level on the 1st floor provides a terrace for al fresco drinks and dining. Two additional rooftop gardens provide superb views of the landscaped University Park Campus. The Orchard Hotel & Restaurant is located less than a mile from Wollaton Hall and the city's Natural History Museum. The magnificent 17th-century Nottingham Castle is just over 2 miles away.

Accommodation Prices for 3 nights (11th,12th,13th April 2024):

Single occupancy room £100 per night Double/twin occupancy room £120 per night

This includes bed and breakfast.

Accommodation can be booked directly with the Orchard Hotel through the following link email: orchard.reservations@nottinghamvenues.com or telephone +44 (0)115 8760900. When booking quote 'tug of war'

Note: The Orchard Hotels reservations office is open Monday to Friday 09:00hrs and 17:00hrs. Rooms are payable at the time of booking and are non-transferable and non-refundable.

Please book before 1st March 2024 to guarantee the prices quoted.

The offer includes the participation at the congress, a tour of the accommodation, pulling ground and facilities.

On Saturday evening the English Tug of War Association invites you a Gala Evening dinner in the Trent Building.

Travelling to Nottingham:

Via Air – To East Midland Airport (EMA) from the airport there is a regular shuttle **Skylink** bus into Nottingham that stops outside the University (UN02 paddling pool)

<https://www.trentbarton.co.uk/services/skylinknottingham>

Via Air – To Birmingham Airport (BHX) from the airport take the free monorail to Birmingham International Train Station. From there, take the train to Birmingham New Street Station and then on to Nottingham.

<https://www.thetrainline.com> Download the app and tickets can be bought on arrival. Search for Birmingham International to Nottingham.

Via Air – To Manchester Airport (MAN) from there take the train from the airport into Manchester Piccadilly and then on to Nottingham.

<https://www.thetrainline.com> Download the app and tickets can be bought on arrival. Search for Manchester Airport to Nottingham.

Via Air to any London Airport – You will need to get from the airport to London St. Pancras International train station where you can take the train direct to Nottingham.

Heathrow via train and/or underground (tube) to St. Pancras International

<https://www.thetrainline.com> Search for Heathrow to Nottingham.

Gatwick via train direct to St. Pancras International <https://www.thetrainline.com> Search for Gatwick Airport to Nottingham.

It is usually cheaper for train tickets to be bought in advance of your journey.

Transport can be arranged from Nottingham Train Station to the Hotel.

Driving: If you intend to drive to the venue, use the postcode NG7 2RJ. Free parking is available at the hotel.

Yours Sincerely,

Gavin Corden

International Representative