



Plans for the IMLEC 2010, to be held at the Littledown Track of the Bournemouth & District Society of Model Engineers on the 3rd and 4th July 2010 are now well advanced.

Applications for entry into the two-day competition are now being invited.

## IMLEC 2010 ENTRY RULES

1. All 3½" and 5" Gauge coal fired steam locomotives are eligible provided that the driver does not ride upon the locomotive or tender. Previous entry or success in the competition is no bar.
2. The entrant shall be the driver of the locomotive and will be the recipient of any award.
3. Application Forms are available from: IMLEC Entries, B&DSME, 'Graskop' 76, Dewlands Road, Verwood, Dorset BH31 6PN or may be requested by telephone at 01202 822701 or by e-mail at [imlec@graskop.demon.co.uk](mailto:imlec@graskop.demon.co.uk)
4. Each application must be written on the proper form and forwarded in the envelope provided.
5. Applications for entry will only be accepted by post and a ballot will select entrants.
6. Applications to arrive not later than 10<sup>th</sup> March 2010.
7. The draw will take place at the Open Meeting of the Bournemouth & District Society of Model Engineers to be held at Muscliff Community Centre, Shillingstone Drive, Bournemouth on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2010.
8. Envelopes will not be opened until after the draw.
9. The winner of the previous year's IMLEC will be invited to compete and will not be subject to the ballot procedure.
10. Only one entrant will be allowed from each Club/Society. If more than one application is received from any Club/Society, the first drawn will be accepted.
11. Applications are welcomed from persons who are not members of any model engineering organisation.
12. No member of the host society will take part.
13. There will be no entry fee.
14. A reserve list will be drawn up of those not successful in the ballot.
15. Immediately after the draw an Information Pack will be forwarded to the entrants.
16. Start times will be allocated but consideration will be given to specific requests.
17. The winner of the previous year's event may select his starting position provided that the organisers are informed one month before the commencement of the competition.
18. Drivers of 3½" Gauge locomotives may elect to run at the beginning of either day of the competition should they so wish, provided that the organisers are informed one month before the commencement of the Competition.

