



East Ribble District Travelling Gavel Rules:

1. To claim the gavel there must be either:

- a) The Master and at least three subscribing members of the claiming Lodge or
- b) A minimum of seven subscribing Members of the claiming Lodge

2. If two Lodges make a claim at the same Meeting the Lodge with the most subscribing members in attendance, that also meets the criteria above, wins the Gavel.

Should there be a tie, a coin toss will take place by the holding Lodge WM/Master in the Chair.

3. The Gavel cannot be reclaimed by a Lodge for a minimum period of three months, excluding July and August.

4. The Gavel cannot be claimed at any Lodge Installation Meeting.

Rules amended
March 2023

