

International Veteran Table Tennis Championships 2019

Rules and Regulations

1. Organizer

The tournament is jointly organized by Singapore Table Tennis Association (STTA) and Veteran Table Tennis Club Singapore (VTTCs)

2. Vision

Encourage veterans to continue their interest in playing table tennis, keep a healthy living style and maintain their precious friendship.

3. Tournament Date & Time

14, 20 & 21 April 2019 (Sat, Sun)

9.00am to 9.00pm

4. Venue

297-C Lorong 6 Toa Payoh, Singapore 319389

5. Eligibility

Singapore Citizens, Permanent Residents and non-Singaporean are eligible to participate in all events. Male players must be over or equal to 40 years old while female players must be over or equal to 35 years old.

6. Categories

Each participant is only allowed to register for up to **1 Singles, 1 Doubles and 1 Mixed Doubles** event.

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| 1) Men's Singles | (40) | -- age 40+ | (born in or before 1979) |
| 2) Men's Singles | (50) | -- age 50+ | (born in or before 1969) |
| 3) Men's Singles | (60) | -- age 60+ | (born in or before 1959) |
| 4) Men's Singles | (70) | -- age 70+ | (born in or before 1949) |
| 5) Women's Singles | (35) | -- age 35+ | (born in or before 1984) |
| 6) Men's Doubles | (100) | -- combined 100+ | |
| 7) Men's Doubles | (120) | -- combined 120+ | |
| 8) Women's Doubles | (90) | -- combined 90+ | |
| 9) Mixed Doubles | (100) | -- combined 100+ | |

7. Registration

The deadline of registration is 27 March 2019, Thursday, 5.00pm

8. Registration Fee

\$ 12 for Single event and \$24 for Doubles event

9. Registration Method

Cash payment together with the Registration Form(s) can be submitted to the following locations:

9.1 Sin Ten Sports Trading

Blk 109, Lorong 1 Toa Payoh, #01-304, Singapore 310109

Tel : 63567698

9.2 Kingdom PP Sports

Blk 231, Bras Basah Complex, #02-35, Singapore 180231

Tel : 63383640

9.3 GK Table Tennis

Beauty World Centre B1-K16

144 Upper Bukit Timah Road (S) 588177

Tel : 98311597

9.4 Ranking Sports and Music

Blk 231 Bras Basah Complex #03-49/51

Tel. 63368778

10. Dates of Draw and Fixture release

A Draw will be conducted by the competition manger on 1 April 2019 and schedule and fixture will be released on www.vtcs.com on 4 April 2019

11. Competition Format

11.1. Stage 1 - Group Round Robin

All matches will be decided by best of three/five (3/5) games of eleven (11) points. Top 2 players of each group will proceed to the Championship round.

11.2 Stage 2 - Knock-out

All matches will be decided by best of five (5) games of eleven (11) points.

11.3. Registration with less than 8 entries will be scrapped and the registration fee will be refunded.

12. Rules and Regulations

12.1. The tournament shall be run in accordance with the latest rules and regulations of the international Table Tennis Federation (ITTF).

12.2. Players are eligible to participate in an age-group with lower age.

12.3. Both players for Doubles event shall wear clothes of same colour, Players who fail to conform shall be disqualified from that Doubles event.

12.4 No white apparels (shirt and shorts) are allowed.

12.5 Each player can play for one **Singles and Doubles** event only.

13. Table Tennis Ball

3-star 40mm+ white balls shall be used.

14. Umpire

14.1. Players are expected to assist in all the matches.

14.2 All players are urged to play in the spirit of fair play and sportsmanship.

15. Award Presentation

Medals will be awarded to the players of the top 4.

16. Tournament Committee

16.1. A Tournament Committee consist of the Tournament Chairman, Tournament Director and Table Manager will be formed to deal with any matters pertaining to inquiries, appeal and other matters on the spot.

16.2. The decision of this committee on all matters will be final.

17. Punctuality

All matches shall start punctually, there shall be 10 mins grace period

18. Discipline

18.1. Team Managers are responsible for the proper control and good conduct of their players and supporters.

18.2. The organizer reserves the right to take appropriate action including disciplinary against any players or supporters for:

18.2.1. Any misconduct or

18.2.2. Any unreasonable withdrawal from the tournament.

19. Disqualification

19.1. Players will be disqualified in the event of not signing the declaration Form.

19.2. The organizing committee reserves the right to disqualify teams and/or players at its discretion.

20. Supplementary Rule

20.1. The organizing committee reserves the right to interpret or amend the rules and regulations of the tournament at any time without notification.

20.2. Without the official approval from the organizing committee, no fixture amendment will be allowed

20.3. In the event of any dispute arising over any umpire(s), the match shall be played under protest, and the organizing committee shall determine the matter on receipt of the protest in writing, together with the protest fee \$50, within 24 hours after that match. This decision arising from any protest shall be final and there shall be no appeal.

21 . Indemnity

Participants should be sufficiently fit to compete in the event. The organizer is not responsible for any injury or death as a result of participation in the tournament.

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