



MIT Winter Open 2013

Table Tennis Tournament

Sunday January 6, 2013
DuPont Gymnasium
Cambridge, MA 02139



EVENT	FORMAT	FEE	START TIME	PRIZE (1st, 2nd)
Open	RR to SE	\$30	12:00 PM	\$200+T, \$100+T
U1900	RR to SE	\$20	10:00 AM	T, T
U1700	RR to SE	\$20	2:00 PM	T, T
U1500	RR to SE	\$20	4:00 PM	T, T
U1300	RR to SE	\$20	12:00 PM	T, T
U1100	RR to SE	\$20	10:00 AM	T, T
U900	RR to SE	\$20	2:00 PM	T, T
Unrated	RR to SE	\$20	4:00 PM	T, T
Open Doubles	RR to SE	\$10 per player	4:00 PM	T, T
U2800 Doubles	RR to SE	\$10 per player	4:00 PM	T, T

Important notes:

- There is a fee of \$5 for registering or paying on site.
- Students get \$5 off the total entry fee (minimum 2 events, see Eligibility section on the back)
- There is \$5 off the total entry fee for players entering 3 events.
- All discounts are effective only before the day of the tournament.

Please complete the form below and send it along with payment to *Pramod Kandel, MIT Student House, 111 Bay State Road, Boston, MA 02215.*

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Please circle the events you want to enter:

Open U1900 U1700 U1500 U1300 U1100 U900 Unrated U2800D OpenD

Name _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Telephone _____
Email _____
Doubles partner (if any) _____

RatingsCentral ID _____
RatingsCentral Rating _____
USATT Rating _____
Home club _____
Birthdate _____
Student? _____
Amount enclosed _____

- Please print neatly using all capitals -

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE: Tournament Director–Pramod Kandel, Tournament Referee–Liang Liung, Tournament Staff – Alvin Jeon, Jessie Zhang, Dilmurat Moldobaev.

EQUIPMENT: 14 Butterfly Tables, White Nittaku Premium 3 Star 40 mm Balls. Only USATT approved equipment will be used. Bring your own racket. Rubber must be USATT or ITTF approved.

ELEGIBILITY: Open to the public. To receive the student discount, you must present a valid student ID when you sign in. You may enter multiple events that have the same start time, as long as you are eligible for those events.

RULES AND CLOTHING: All USATT rules and the USATT dress code apply (see www.usatt.org/rules). One side of your racket must be bright red and the other must be black. **No white shirts.** No black-soled shoes.

HOW TO ENTER: To enter, mail entry form and entry fees to *Pramod Kandel*, 111 Bay State Road, Boston, MA 02215. We accept cash, checks, or money orders. **Make checks payable to “MIT Table Tennis Club”.** You will be registered only after we receive full payment.

DIRECTIONS: *From Boston (off of Massachusetts Ave.),* take Mass. Ave. towards Cambridge. Go over the Harvard Bridge and continue straight on Mass. Ave. 120 Mass. Ave. is on your left side, just before Vassar St. To reach the DuPont gym, you must enter through the Johnson Athletics center (<http://whereis.mit.edu/?mapterms=W34>). Tell the desk worker that you are here for the table tennis tournament, and ask for directions to the DuPont gym, which is connected to the Johnson Athletics center.

From Harvard/Porter Sq. Area, take Mass. Ave. towards Boston. Continue straight on Mass. Ave. 120 Mass. Ave. is on your right side, just after Vassar St. From here, follow the “From Boston” directions to get into the building.

FORMAT AND CHECK IN: All events are RR to SE. Ideally, RR groups will have 4 players per group and top two of each group will advance to the SE stage. However, the tournament committee reserves the right to make changes depending on the number of entries and time constraints. All matches are best-of-five 11-point games, except for the final match in the Open event, which is a best-of-seven 11-point match. **Please check in at the registration desk at least 15 minutes prior to the start time of your first event.** You only need to check in once, even if you have multiple events starting at different times. All decisions of the tournament committee are final.

RATINGS: For the purposes of event eligibility and seeding, we will use your Ratings Central rating or your USATT rating. If you don't have one, you are considered “unrated”, follow the Unrated Players section. All matches will be rated by Stiga World Ratings powered by Ratings Central. Ratings will be available about a week after the tournament at www.ratingscentral.com.

UNRATED PLAYERS: If you do not have a USATT rating or a Ratings Central rating, then you are “unrated”. Unfortunately, unrated players cannot advance to a single-elimination bracket in the rated events even if you win your group. However, you will advance, if you win, in the Open and Unrated events. The purpose of these rules is to make the tournament fair to rated players, while providing the opportunity for unrated players to play rated players. After you play in your first tournament you will become rated and be able to advance in any division that you play in! You do not have to enter the Unrated event, but you must enter at least one singles event other than the Unrated event. We suggest you enter more than one singles event to make your resulting rating more accurate.

CONTACT: All relevant questions to Pramod@mit.edu