



South African Table Tennis Board  
2019 SA Junior and Senior Championships  
22-28 September 2019  
De Jagers Sport Complex, Oudtshoorn

## PROSPECTUS

**1. Competition Dates:** 22<sup>nd</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019

**2. Organizer:** SOUTH AFRICAN TABLE TENNIS BOARD  
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**5. SATTB Tournament Director:** Mr Rodrique Volkwyn

**6. SATTB Competition Manager:** Mr Thabang Tsheiso

**7. Venue:** De Jagers Sport Complex, 82 Voortrekker Street, Oudtshoorn, 6620

**8. Events:**

1. U13, U15, U18 Junior Boys' Team	8. Senior Women's Singles
2. U13, U15, U18 Junior Girls' Team	9. U13, U15, U18 Junior Boys' Doubles
3. Senior Men's Team	10. U13, U15, U18 Junior Girls' Doubles
4. Senior Women's Team	11. Senior Men's Doubles
5. U13, U15, U18 Junior Boys' Singles	12. Senior Women's Doubles
6. U13, U15, U18 Junior Girls' Singles	13. Senior Mixed Double]
7. Senior Men's Singles	

**9. Eligibility:** Players born on or after 1st January **2006** may participate in **U13 junior** events  
Players born on or after 1st January **2004** may participate in **U15 junior** events  
Players born on or after 1st January **2001** may participate in **U18 junior** events

### 10. System of play Team Events

#### Senior & Junior (U18&U15)

A team shall consist of a maximum of 4 players with an exception of Men who may enter 5 players plus a Team Manager. All matches will be played Best of 5 matches. Team matches will be played to a result: 5 singles A – X; B – Y; C – Z; A – Y; B – X with the participation of 3 Men Players and 3 Women Players in each match (Swaythling Format). The host affiliate and an affiliate with more than 3 senior players (participating in the team events) in the top twenty rankings will be entitled to a B team. No B teams will be allowed in the junior division other than the host affiliate who will be entitled to a B team.

#### Junior 13 & Under

A team shall consist of a maximum of 4 players plus a Team Manager. All matches will be played Best out of 5 matches. Team matches will be played to a result. Four singles matches and one doubles match. A vs X, B vs Y, a doubles, A vs Y, B vs X. (Corbillon Cup Format). An Affiliate may enter only one (1) team in the Inter-Regional Tournament. The host affiliate will be entitled to enter a B team. All Team events will only be staged if 4 or more entries are received and have a boy and a girl team.

#### Playing conditions

All Affiliates and Associate Members must register their Playing Colours with the Board. Alternative playing colours must also be registered in the case of two Affiliates with the same Colour T-shirt participating in the team events. Any player not wearing the correct colours of his/her Affiliate during any Inter-Regional match will automatically forfeit the particular games or match in which he/she has



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contravened this rule. Affiliates must register a male and female team in each category.

## **11. System of play:**

### **Individual Events:**

- a) All Single events (5, 6, 7 & 8) will be played in groups in the 1<sup>st</sup> stage and on a knock-out basis in the 2<sup>nd</sup> stage.
- b) All matches will be played Best of 5 games from the beginning to determine the winners except for the Men in the Semi-finals and finals which will be Best of 7 games.
- c) A player may play in a maximum of two singles events e.g U15 & U18 or seniors, subject to available spaces as determined by the referee and competitions manager.

### **Doubles Events:**

- a) No affiliate shall register more than 2 U13 pairs; 3 U15 pairs; 3 U18 pairs; 3 women pairs and 4 men pairs.
- b) No affiliate shall register more than 6 pairs in the Senior Mixed Doubles.
- c) The double events ( 9-13 ) will be played on a knock-out basis (Best of 5 games) from the beginning to determine the winners.
- d) The host association shall be allowed an increase in the number of pairs and will not exceed the allocation as per the attached player amount.
- e) All doubles events must be played in your respective age categories except for u18 where they have an option to play either in their age category or in the senior event (not both).

## **12. Draw date & Venue**

- a) 16-18 August 2019;
- b) The draw and the seeding will be conducted by the Technical VP, Referee, Deputy Referee & CM in collaboration with the SATTB Ranking System and any person may be present, according to the SATTB rules.

## **13. Jury Meeting:**

- a) Briefing meeting with Jury members on 21 September at 20H00 in the Venue meeting room
- b) Draw confirmation meeting on 21 September 21H00 in the Venue meeting room
- c) Umpires:
  - c1) Umpire Meal Allowance: R100-00 per day
  - c2) Umpires not fulfilling their obligations to the satisfaction of the Referee and Competitions manager may forfeit their meal allowance.
  - c3) Each affiliate must nominate an umpire for the duration of the SA Championships. A penalty fee of R400.00 per day will be paid by affiliates not nominating an umpire. The penalty must be paid with the entry fees on or before the **5<sup>th</sup> August 2019**. Non payment will result in the affiliate's entry forms being excluded from the draw.

## **14. Equipment:**

Tables:	12x Joola Blue
Practice tables:	10 x Joola Blue
Balls:	Xushaofa G40+ 3***
Floor:	Stag Red Terraflex

## **15. Accommodation**

Members are requested to book their accommodation with the establishments directly (list attached).

## **16. Schedule of events:**

- a) Opening Ceremony 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019
- b) Team events: 22-24 September 2019
- c) Open events 24-28 September 2019



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#### 17. Entries

##### Fees:

- i) Team –Juniors: R200-00 per team
- ii) Team – Seniors :R 350-00 per team
- iii) Individual: Juniors R110 per event per person
- iv) Individual: Seniors R180 per event per person

#### 18. Deadlines:

- a) Preliminary Entry Form (entry by numbers): **15<sup>th</sup> July 2019**
- b) Final entry form (entry by name): **05<sup>th</sup> August 2019**
- c) No affiliate will be able to enter any team or individual after the closing date.
- d) *In terms of the Regulations **NO LATE ENTRIES** or substitutions (singles events) can be accepted. In the case of unforeseen circumstances, late entries may be accepted with a fine of 15% of the entry fee. Substitutions will only be allowed in the Doubles Events and only then with valid reasons.*

#### 19. Conditions of entry:

- a) **No entry forms will be accepted for members that have not paid their affiliation fees and are not in good standing with the SATTB.**
- b) **The entry fees must be submitted with the final entry form. Failure to comply will result in the entries being excluded from the draw.**

**20. Racket Controls:** Will be done at the venue

**21. Doping:** Will be done at the venue.