



Malta Junior Table Tennis International Open  
**ITTF JUNIOR CIRCUIT EVENT**  
Cottonera Sports Complex Malta 12-15 Mar 2009



# PROSPECTUS

**1. Competition Dates:** 12 MAR 2009 / 15 MAR 2009  
Training camp information is issued separately

**2. Organizer:**  
1 Malta Table Tennis Association  
2 158/2 Strada Santa Lucia  
3 Valletta, Malta  
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**3. Tournament Director:** David Azzopardi (Director Malta School Sports Federation)  
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**4. ITTF Competition Manager:** Raul Calin  
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**5. ITTF Int. Referee:** Mr. Andreas Giorgiou  
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**5. Venue:**  
1 Cottonera Sports Complex  
2 Cottonera Avenue  
3 Cospicua BML 9020, Malta  
*Tel:* +356 21660647  
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*E-mail:* [kms@sportmalta.org.mt](mailto:kms@sportmalta.org.mt)

**6. Events:**

1 Junior Boys' Singles	7 Cadet Boys' Singles
2 Junior Girls' Singles	8 Cadet Girls' Singles
3 Junior Boys' Team	9 Cadet Boys' Team
4 Junior Girls' Team	10 Cadet Girls' Team
5 Junior Boys' Doubles	11
6 Junior Girls' Doubles	12

**7. Eligibility:** Players born on or after 1st January 1991 may participate in junior events of the Malta Junior Table Tennis International Open 2009. 1st/Jan/1994 for cadets.

**8. Format of play:** JBS and JGS will be played according to the ITTF JC Directives

- 1 Team Events: Cup System (AvsX, BvsY, Double, AvsY, BvsX).
- 2 The competition will be played in two stages. Round robin groups and KO
- 3 All matches best of five games
- 4 Doubles events will be played in KO system. All matches best out of 5 games.

**9. Seeding list:** According to the last available ITTF World Junior Ranking

**10. Jury Meeting:** Will be held on 11 MAR 2009 at: 19 00 in:  
(in one of the hotels for accomodation, to be informed through the ITTF website)



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## 11. Equipment:

Tables: Joola Olympic Number: 12 Colour: Blue  
 Practice hall tables: Joola Olympic Number: 5 Colour: Blue  
 Balls: Butterfly Super Selected \*\*\* White  
 Floor: Mondo Sport Flooring (synthetic) - Blue colour

## 12. Prize money:

(to be paid on site)

Total: 5100 USD  
 Applicable taxes: 0

Break down:

	Winner	Runner-Up	Semi-Finalist
1 JBS	600	300	150 x 2
2 JGS	600	300	150 x 2
3 JBD	500	250	
4 JGD	500	250	
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**Note: All winners, runner-up and semi-finalist must attend the award ceremony in sport clothes to receive the prize money.**

## 13. Hospitality:

Option 1: Dolmen Hotel (4 stars \*\*\*\*)

Address: Bugibba Malta

Tel: +356 23552355

E-mail: events@dolmen.com.mt

Single room per person per day:	€ 100	EUR
Double room per person per day:	€ 80	EUR
Triple room per person per day:	€ 75	EUR
Cuadruple room per person per day:	€ 70	EUR

Option 2: Bella Vista Hotel (3 stars \*\*\*)

Address: Bugibba Malta

Tel: +356 21570591

E-mail: info@bellavista.com.mt

Single room per person per day:	€ 80	EUR
Double room per person per day:	€ 70	EUR
Triple room per person per day:	€ 65	EUR
Cuadruple room per person per day:	€ 60	EUR

**Note: Entry fee is included if using the hospitality packages 1 or 2**

Option 3: We do not require neither accommodation nor transportation

We will only pay the entry fee fixed for 2009 events on :

**100 EUR** for players and **50 EUR** for coaches and medical staff

## 14. Schedule:

Will be confirmed through the ITTF website. [www.ittf.com](http://www.ittf.com)

## 15. Entries:

Each ITTF affiliated Association is granted with up to 6 boys and 6 girls and up to 2 teams per event. Therefore, up to 12 entries may be accepted by gender and age category IF THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES ALLOWS THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE TO DO THAT. The decision will be taken immediately after the date of the final entry deadline.  
 The Host Association is granted with the double of entries per event.



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The entries must be sent to the Organising Committee **AND** to the ITTF **Competition Manager**, PREFERABLY BY E-MAIL:

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**16. Cancellations:**

"Sport cancellations" (nothing to do with hotel arrangements) are accepted till 10/MAR at 12:00 hours (noon). After that time, Penalty Policy will be applied.

**17. Changes:**

Changes in players' entries are accepted till the cancellation deadline. After that time, no changes on players' entries nor in team compositions are accepted. If cancellations occurs from that time till the time of the draws and are directly notified to the ITTF Competition Manager, the Jury may decide to accept merging the remaining players (i.e. if one player from team "A" and one player of team "B" of the Association XXX cancel their participation **BEFORE** the draw is made but after the Cancellation deadline, the Jury may accept to merge the remaining players of Team "A" and "B" in one team.). The same applies for doubles.

**18. Visas:**

If you need a visa, please contact the Organization as soon as possible, so we can assist you with the visa process.

**19. Racket Controls:**

According to the ITTF Board of Directors decision, as of 1st January 2008 the ITTF will implement at youth events a new racket control programme and protocol, using the Enez instruments to ensure that all rackets used by players are free of harmful volatile solvents (see the rules in the ITTF Handbook 2007-2008: 3.2.4.1 and 3.2.4.2).

Players will be invited to voluntary tests before the competition starts. The ITTF Equipment Committee strongly recommends all players to make certain that new coverings are aired 72 hours before use

**20. Deadlines:**

Preliminary Entry Form	<b>25 JAN 2009</b>
Final Entry Form	<b>10 FEB 2009</b>
Travel Details:	<b>15 FEB 2009</b>
Changes in nominations:	<b>10 MAR 2009</b>

*We look forward to meet you in Malta!*

