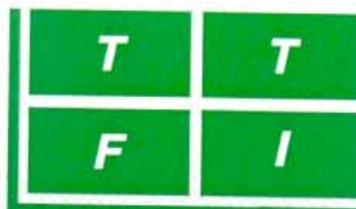




Hyderabad, India, 5th – 7th November 2010

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The Global Junior Circuit Finals at the Birthplace of the Global Junior Programme

India can be regarded as birthplace of the ITTF Global Junior Programme; all of us remember well that introduction of the World Junior Championships was initiated and promoted by the Table Tennis Federation of India.

Undoubtedly their proposal was the green light at the turn of the millennium for the ITTF to start the Global Junior Programme.

The light now shines more brightly than ever; the Global Junior Circuit begins its 10th year in 2011, celebrating a notable anniversary. However, before doing so, the 2010 Junior Circuit Finals will be staged in India from Friday 5th to Sunday 7th November.

Over the years, the road to the Finals has lengthened; it has grown from four tournaments to no less than 25 events!

Now in 2010, the Global Junior Circuit is reaching its zenith with the Finals in India and most certainly one of the original aims has been more than fulfilled.

In 2010, over 90 national associations made an appearance at an ITTF Junior Circuit tournament. Furthermore, over 630 players are named on the ITTF Junior Circuit Standings.

In Hyderabad the leading 16 boys and 16 girls, which must include one representative from each continent and one from the host nation, will be in action.

A decade ago India encouraged a Programme "With the Future in Mind".

The future is bright, the future is Hyderabad.

A warm welcome to India!

Raul Calin
ITTF Global Junior Programme Director

Judit Farago
ITTF Executive Director of Competitions

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- 1. DATES AND PLACE:** 5– 7 November 2010, Hyderabad, India
- 2. EVENTS:** Junior Girls Singles and Junior Boys Singles
- 3. AGES:** Open to **Qualified** players born **on or after 1st January, 1992**

4. OFFICIAL HOTEL: *

Aditya Hometel

Address: Balkampet Road, Ameerpet, Hyderabad - 500 038, India
Tel: +91 (040) 6630 8888
Fax: +91 (040) 6630 8989
Website: <http://www.sarovarhotels.com>

* Note: the hotel will not handle any reservations. Please contact the Organizing Committee.

5. VENUE:

Kotla Vijaya Bhaskar Reddy Indoor Stadium

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6. LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

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10. ENTRIES

There will be sixteen (16) boys and girls participating at the ITTF Global Junior Circuit Finals 2010. The quotas of participation are described below and with the following considerations:

- i. 9 top players in the Final Global Junior Circuit standings (after the Chile Junior Open) are qualified, with the restriction of a maximum of two entries per association and if meeting the criteria of having competed in at least two continents. Should one association have more than two athletes qualified for the ITTF GJC finals, it is the responsibility of that association to make the final selection and enter the athletes accordingly.
- ii. If two players finish with equal points in the GJC Standings, the one with higher points in one event will qualify and in case of equality the next best result in a GJC event will be considered.
- iii. 6 places will be reserved for the best player of each continent (AF, AS, EU, LA, NA and OC) having competed in at least two continents. If no players from a particular continent have competed in two continents, then the spot will be given to the first player in the standings from that continent regardless the number of continents where he/she has played. If a continent has already players qualified through, then this spot will be allocated to the overall GJC point standings.
- iv. 1 place is reserved to the host association as *Wild Card*. If the host has already two or more qualified players by *i)* they have to decide either to enter two of their qualified players or to enter one of them and to use the Wild Card. The limit of two players per gender applies.
- v. **A player cannot participate in both the Global Cadet Challenge and the Global Junior Circuit Finals. If a player is eligible to play both events, must choose which one wants to play before the deadline (5th October).**

11. FORMAT OF PLAY:

FIRST STAGE:

The 16 boys and girls will be drawn in four groups of 4 players each. The draw will be done using the modified snake system (four by four), and players from the same association shall be drawn in different groups.

SECOND STAGE:

A) MAIN DRAW

Winner and runner-up in the groups will advance to the quarter-finals KO stage.

Procedures for the quarter-finals KO stage draw.

- Winner of the group 1 will be **placed** in the position 1 of the main draw
- Winner of the group 2 will be **placed** in the position 8 of the main draw
- Winners of the groups 3-4 will be **drawn** in the positions 4-5
- Runners-up in the groups will be **drawn** in to opposite halves of their group winners, in positions 2, 3, 6 & 7

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- Separation by associations will be applied only after previous restrictions
- Losers in the quarter-finals will continue playing for the position 5
- There will be no matches for positions 3-4 and 7-8

B) CONSOLATION

The remaining players will advance to the second stage consolation.

Procedures for the consolation KO stage draw.

- Players in third position in the groups will be **drawn** in to positions 1, 4, 5 & 8
- Players in fourth position in the groups will be **drawn** in to opposite halves of the players from the same group, in positions 2, 3, 6 & 7
- Separation by associations will be applied only after previous restrictions
- Losers in quarter-finals will continue playing for the position 13
- There will be no matches for positions 11-12 and 15-16

12. SEEDING AND DRAW:

- The **Jury Meeting** will be held on Thursday, 4th November, at 18:00 hours in the Meeting Room in the Venue, followed by the **first stage draw**. The last ITTF World Junior Ranking List available will be used
- The **second stage draws** will be done on Friday 5th November at 19:00 hours at the Meeting Room in the Venue.

13. EQUIPMENT:

OFFICIAL TABLE: **JOOLA 2000-S** (BLUE)
NETS: **JOOLA WM** (BLACK)
OFFICIAL BALL: **BUTTERFLY SUPER SELECTED ***** (WHITE)
FLOORING: **STAG** (RED)

14. OUTLINE PROGRAMME:

Thursday, 4th November

Arrival of all selected athletes and Jury Meeting at 18:00 in the Meeting Room in the Venue

Friday, 5th November

ITTF Global Junior Circuit finals: Groups

Saturday, 6th November

ITTF GJC finals: Quarter-finals, semi-finals and two rounds matches for positions 9-16

Sunday, 7th November

ITTF Global Junior Circuit finals: Finals and Matches for positions 5-6, 9-10 and 13-14

Monday, 8th November

Departure

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15. INVITED PLAYERS:

On 28th September 2010, following the conclusion of the ITTF Junior Circuit – Chile Junior Open, invitations will be sent to the qualified players and to the first 8 reserves. Reserves should not start arrangements for travelling, but shall confirm their interest to participate in order to be contacted in case of absences.

SEE THE IMPORTANT NEXT NOTE: DEADLINES!!

16. DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES:

The **deadline** for confirmation of the participation for QUALIFIED AND 8 TOP RESERVE players is **5th October 2010 at 23:59 hours (GMT time)**.

After that date reserve players will be called. Please fill the attached Entry form and submit to the Global Junior Programme Director by e-mail with copy to the Organizing Committee.

(The deadline for providing travelling details is 10th October)

Please send two copies:

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17. HOSPITALITY:

The ITTF and the Organizing committee will offer free hospitality starting on Thursday, 4th November (dinner), until Monday, 8th November (breakfast), for all qualified players. Accommodation is provided on a double occupancy basis (distribution of players from near associations together) or with their accompanying coaches if expressly requested by the Associations (accommodation for coaches at a charge for extra persons).

Participants will be welcomed at the **Hyderabad** Airport. Please note there is another Hyderabad in Pakistan. Be sure you book tickets to Hyderabad – India (Airport code HYD).

Extra persons/days will be charged as follows:

Hospitality: Accommodation and three meals at the official hotel *

Prices: **US\$ 120 in single room / US\$ 80 in double room (per person/day)**

* Note: the hotel will not handle any reservations. Please contact the Organizing Committee

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18. VISA REQUIREMENTS:

The Organizing Committee will help with the application process for all players/coaches who need visas to be sure they get them on time. Please submit the annex document Entry Form filling the Visa Form together with the scanned passport copy and contact as soon as possible the Organizing Committee if you need a **VISA** for India. Participants must ensure to get the visa prior to the departure to India if it's needed. Visa form has to be submitted together with the entry form before 5th October 2010.

19. AWARDS:

Winners, Runner-up and Semi-finalist will receive medals and the winners will also receive trophies.

20. PRIZE MONEY:

The total Prize Money for the ITTF GJC Finals will be US \$ 36,000 (18,000 for boys and 18,000 for girls) broken down as follows:

POSITION	BOYS	GIRLS
WINNER	3,800	3,800
RUNNER-UP	2,100	2,100
3 RD POSITION (2 PLAYERS)	1,500	1,500
5 TH POSITION	1,250	1,250
6 TH POSITION	1,100	1,100
7 TH POSITION (2 PLAYERS)	950	950
9 TH POSITION	900	900
10 TH POSITION	800	800
11 TH POSITION (2 PLAYERS)	650	650
13 TH POSITION	550	550
14 TH POSITION	500	500
15 TH POSITION (2 PLAYERS)	400	400

Prize Money: will be paid after the event from the ITTF Ottawa office with a 10 % tax deduction, either by international bank cheque or by electronic transfer.

**PLEASE SUBMIT THE ATTACHED OFFICIAL PARTY FORM
AND VISA FORM IF NEEDED NOT LATER THAN
5TH OCTOBER 2010**