





Uncle Pop Women's World Cup 27 - 29 October 2017, Markham, Canada



# **PROSPECTUS - INFORMATION**

Host Association Table Tennis Canada

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Playing Venue: PANAM Centre

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Prize Money US\$ 150,000

Winner	US\$ 45,000
Runner-up	US\$ 25,000
3rd place	US\$ 15,000
4th place	US\$ 10,000
Places 5 to 8	US\$ 6,000
Places 9 to 16	US\$ 3,250
Places 17 to 20	US\$ 1,250

Prize money will be paid on site at the end of the event with 25% tax deduction.

**Playing system** The tournament shall consist of 2 stages. Round-robin group matches in the first stage,

followed by a K.O. draw to decide the first four positions. See details in the attached

"Qualification and Playing System" document.

Entry closing date Friday 1st September 2017 for those players already qualified

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2017 for all other players

**Default** Players who do not complete the 1st stage of the round robin play for whatever reason will

be considered as "defaulted" and will not be eligible for any prize money.

Draw The Draw for the Group stage will be on Thursday October 26, 2017 during a Welcome

Reception including dinner, a press conference and an Opening Ceremony at the Westin

Prince Toronto at 19:30 local time.

The Draw for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Stage (Main draw) will be on **Friday October 27, 2017** after the

conclusion of the Group stage around 20:30 local time at the venue.

**Press Conference** It is the obligation of ALL players to attend the draws, press conference and opening

ceremony on Thursday October 26, 2017. Players advancing to the knock-out competition

must attend the draw on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2017.

Furthermore, all players will be required to attend personal interviews at the above occasions if requested. If any extra ITTF activity is organized during the event, all players no longer in

the competition should be available to participate if requested.

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Tournament

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**Equipment** Tables: DHS

Balls: DHS D40+
Sports floor: ENLIO (red)

Official Hotel Markham Hilton and Suites

8500 Warden Ave, Markham, ON L6G 1A5

Canada

Tel: +1 (905) 470-8500 Web Link: <u>Markham Hilton</u>

Hospitality

Free hospitality (hotel, meals) will be provided to the players from lunch on October 26, 2017 to breakfast on October 30, 2017. Players traveling more than 5 times zones are entitled to one (1) additional night's accommodation. The official package will start from lunch on October 25, 2017.

For accompanying persons, journalists, etc., the full accommodation is **U\$ 245** per day in a single room and **U\$ 175** per person per day in a twin room, including board, lodging and local transportation.

Information for room bookings regarding number of persons, single/double rooms and arrival/departure date should be provided at the latest by Friday, September 22, 2017 by using the Travel/Accommodation form and sent to Table Tennis Canada (e-mail: unclepop@ttcan.ca)

SPECIAL NOTE: Players traveling more than 5 time zones are invited to arrive in Toronto on October 24 with full hospitality provided from lunch on October 24, 2017 provided they agree to complete one training session (of about one hour) at a selected local club.

Toronto has a large multi-cultural table tennis community with a number of large table tennis clubs. Club members are eager to see world class players train in their clubs. Players are not required to play with local players – interested players, please contact Table Tennis Canada at <a href="mailto:unclepop@ttcan.ca">unclepop@ttcan.ca</a> to indicate their interest and allow Table Tennis Canada time to arrange training at a local club.

Travel

All participants should submit their arrival/departure details by Friday, September 22, 2017 by emailing the Travel/Accommodation form to Table Tennis Canada (e-mail: unclepop@ttcan.ca), Vicky Eleftheriade (vicky@ittf.com) and Karl Jindrak (kjindrak@ittf.com)

Those who submit their details by the deadline will be picked up at **Toronto Pearson** International Airport (YYZ) or at Toronto's City Airport (YTZ).

Participation Confirmation

**Deadline** for confirmation is

Friday, September 1, 2017 (for those players already qualified; Names

published on August 25)

Tuesday, September 19, 2017 (for all other players; Names published on

September 17)

Please send back the confirmation form by e-mail to

Vicky Eleftheriade (vicky@ittf.com) and Karl JINDRAK (kjindrak@ittf.com)

no later than Friday September 1, 2017

Cancellation Deadline

Deadline for cancellation is Friday 29th September 2017

If a player cancels for <u>any reason</u> after that deadline a WR penalty will apply with 100 points deduction. All cancellations, after the cancellation deadline, will

be reported to the Executive Committee for final decision.

**Room Cancelation** 

Deadline for room cancellations is Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2017

If a player or accompanied person will cancel after that deadline the

Association have to pay 245 US\$ cancellation fee per person (even two persons

have shared a room, 2 x 245 US\$ fee has to be paid)







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Miscellaneous

Doping controls shall be carried out in accordance with ITTF Anti Doping rules. Other relevant information such as travel, draw, press conference and practice time will be provided on the ITTF website in the section of "World Events" and "World Cups".

Important Information

Players must have their names printed on the back of their shirts.

Players are not allowed to start the matches if the name is not printed on the

back of their shirts.

Players who finish among the top three (3) positions have an obligation to attend the prize ceremony in sports clothing (Tracksuits) including sports shoes. Players who will not fulfill this obligation will lose their prize money.

ITTF Competition

Manager Vicky Eleftheriade E-mail: vicky@ittf.com

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Referee Sylvia Garro Deputy Referee Joe Fisher









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# Visa requirements

Please, send the scanned photocopy of your passport with the following details without delay, which is required to obtain an official invitation letter for visa purposes

- Name, surname
- Nationality
- Passport Number
- Passport expiry
- Date of birth
- Contact fax or e-mail to receive your invitation letter

to:

Table Tennis Canada email: unclepop@ttcan.ca

# ITTF.com

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# Invitation list for the Uncle Pop 2017 Women's World Cup

Following players in red already confirmed by each NA, following players in black are currently qualified after the conclusion of the ITTF Asian Cup 2017 to the Uncle Pop 2017 Women's World Cup in MARKHAM.

#	WR - August 2017	Player	Capacity
1	1	DING Ning (CHN 1)	World Champion
2	118	MESHREF Dina (EGY)	African Cup Winner
3	3	ZHU Yuling (CHN 2)	Asian Cup Winner
4	73	ZHANG Lily (USA)	Pan Am Cup Winner
5	232	VEGA Paulina (CHI)	Pan Am Cup (2 <sup>nd</sup> player)
6	106	LAY Jian Fang (AUS)	Oceania Cup Winner
7	19	LI Jie (NED)	Europe Cup Winner
8	7	ISHIKAWA Kasumi (JPN 1)	Asian Cup 3 <sup>rd</sup> place (2 <sup>nd</sup> Qualifier)
9	5	HIRANO Miu (JPN 2)	Asian Cup 4 <sup>th</sup> place (3 <sup>rd</sup> Qualifier)
10	27	SOLJA Petrissa (GER 1)	Europe Cup 2 <sup>nd</sup> place (2 <sup>nd</sup> Qualifier)
11	49	WINTER Sabine (GER 2)	Europe Cup 3 <sup>rd</sup> place (3 <sup>rd</sup> Qualifier)
12	22	LIU Jia (AUT)	Continental Cup Qualifier 1
13	32	POTA Georgina (HUN)	Continental Cup Qualifier 2
14	40	CHEN Szu-Yu (TPE 1)	Continental Cup Qualifier 3
15	29	SUH Hyowon (KOR)	Continental Cup Qualifier 4
16	31	DOO Hoi Kem (HKG 1)	Continental Cup Qualifier 5
17	8	CHENG I-Ching (TPE 2)	Continental Cup Qualifier 6
18	36	LEE Ho Ching (HKG 2)	Continental Cup Qualifier 7
19	56	ZHANG Mo (CAN)	Host
20			Wild card

Invitations are addressed according to the Chapter 1 of the attached "Qualification and Playing System" document. Substitutions shall be according to the Chapter 4 of the attached "Qualification and Playing System" document. All according to the World Ranking list **WR No. 8** issued on 1<sup>st</sup> **August 2017**