

2018 USATT Hopes Camp & Tournament

Maryland Table Tennis Center

April 27-29, 2018 • 18761-Q North Frederick Avenue • Gaithersburg, MD 20879

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Talent Development Program



CAMP INFO (Fri-Sat, April 27-28)

- **Eligibility:** Camp is for juniors who are at least relatively advanced, up to age 14.
- **Head Coach:** U.S. National Team Development Coach Pieke Franssen, assisted by U.S. National Team Development Coach & MDTTC Coach Wang Qingliang, USATT Coaching Chair and MDTTC Coach Larry Hodges, and others.
- **Camp & Tournament Committee:** Wen Hsu, Larry Hodges, Jack Huang.
- **Schedule:**
 - **Friday:** 4:30-6:30PM, pizza party at MDTTC 6:30-7:30, 7:30-9:30PM
 - **Saturday:** 12-2:30PM, 5:30-7:30PM

TOURNAMENT INFO (Sun, April 29)

- **Eligibility:** You MUST take part in the camp to be eligible for the Hopes Trials.
- **Hopes Trials:** You must have been born in 2006 or 2007 to be eligible.
- **Rating Events:** Anyone under age 16 is eligible for rating events.
- **Deadline:** 7:30PM Saturday.
- **Tournament Director:** Larry Hodges, larry@larrytt.com
- **Referee:** International Umpire & Certified Referee Paul Kovac.
- **Ratings:** The latest USATT ratings will be used.
- **Rules:** USATT regulations apply. ITTF/USATT approved equipment only.
- **Format:** All events are round robin with 2 players advancing to single elimination.
- **Equipment:** Butterfly tables & nets, white Nittaku Premium 40+ balls, red rubber floors.
- **Membership:** Proof of USATT membership is required, or you may buy a tournament pass for \$20. Memberships and passes may be purchased at the tournament.
- **Directions:** Click "Contact Us" tab at www.mdttc.com - GPS isn't always accurate here.

FEES

- \$125 for Camp and Hopes Trials (Events 1 AND 2, or Events 1 AND 3)
- \$100 for Camp only (Event 1)
- \$20 for one Rating Event (Events 4, 5 or 6) or \$30 for two Rating Events (Events 4 AND 5, or Events 5 AND 6)
- Cash, credit card, or checks payable to MDTTC. No phone entries. No refunds after deadline.

HOTEL Extended Stay America, Gaithersburg, 301-869-9814, www.extendedstayamerica.com.

*** <u>CIRCLE EVENTS you wish to enter</u> *** - Maximum of TWO rating events - lowest eligible ones.						
EVENT	Start	1 st	2 nd	3-4	Eligibility	
1. HOPES Camp	Fri 4:30 PM	—	—	—	Under 16	
2. HOPES Boys RR*	Sun 9:30 AM	medal	medal	medal	Born in 2006 or 2007	
3. HOPES Girls RR*	Sun 9:30 AM	medal	medal	medal	Born in 2006 or 2007	
4. Under 2300 RR	Sun 12:30 PM	\$100	\$50	\$25	Under 16	
5. Under 1900 RR	Sun 2:30 PM	\$75	\$35		Under 16	
6. Under 1500 RR	Sun 12:30 PM	\$50	\$25		Under 16	

*The top finishing Boy and Girl qualifies for the North American Hopes Qualifying Tournament, May 28-June 2, in Canada. Others could be selected in consultation between the USATT National Team Development Coach and the High Performance Director.

NAME _____ USATT# _____ PAYMENT \$ _____

BIRTH DATE _____ USATT RATING _____ CLUB _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ E-Mail _____

SIGNATURE (Parents must sign) _____ DATE _____

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