

# GAMBLER<sup>®</sup>

## PROFESSIONAL TABLE TENNIS

Gambler Competitor Open ● Monroe, NC

2 Star Tournament ● May 16-17, 2020

**Sponsor:** Zeropong

**Location:** Dickerson Recreation Center, 899 N Johnson St., Monroe, NC

**Directions:** <https://goo.gl/maps/bw8FXte66DWC82Gd6>

**Inquiries:** Tom Kueneman - [events@gamblertt.com](mailto:events@gamblertt.com)

**Eligibility:** Entrants must be USATT members, or purchase USATT membership or tournament pass. Only players in good standing with USATT allowed.

**To Enter:** Online registration via Omni-Pong with payment including all appropriate USATT fees. <https://omnipong.com/t-tourney.asp>

**Start Time:** Facility opens at 8:00 a.m. Saturday & Sunday / Check in 1/2 hr before your 1st match.

**Registration Deadline:** May 14, 2020

**Terms:** Only prepaid entries accepted / No refunds, including no shows

**Officials:** Tournament Referee - Bill Englebreth, NU/CR  
Tournament Director- Tom Kueneman

**Equipment:** Only approved USATT equipment will be used - 8 DHS T1223 tables w/ Donic nets; good lighting & conditions; 3 star white Gambler P40+ balls; Flooring is rubber mat over tile; Air conditioning!

**Clothing:** Darker colors recommended; no white/light shirts; rubber soled shoes only. Players must follow all USATT tournament dress code regulations.

**Rules:** USATT sanctioned tournament; all USATT regulations apply. Unrated players will not advance to Class A, but may advance to Classes B, C, and D.

**Events Format:** (all matches 3/5 to 11 points) Limit: 32 players per event.

Preliminary round = 8 groups of 4 RR / all players advance.

1st place in preliminary round advance to Class A single elimination with 3/4 match, except the Open Class A will be progressive elimination;

2nd place in preliminary round advance to Class B single elimination with 3/4 match;

3rd place in preliminary round advance to Class C single elimination with 3/4 match;

4th place in preliminary round advance to Class D single elimination with 3/4 match.

The tournament director and referee reserve the right to modify the format.

**Gambler Bounty:** If a player wins 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place in Class A using Gambler rubbers or a Gambler blade, they will receive a bounty of \$75 on top of the prize money for that category.

**Minimum Ratings:** Open, 1800 minimum rating; U2250, 1600 minimum rating

**Cost:** \$30 per event

**Cancellation Deadline:** Midnight on May 15, 2020. After this time all entries will be calculated into the prize payouts.

<b>Prizes:</b>	<b>Open</b>	<b>U2250</b>	<b>U2000</b>	<b>U1750</b>
<b>Day</b>	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
<b>Start Time</b>	9 a.m.	1 p.m.	9 a.m.	1 p.m.
1st place Class A	\$750	\$300	\$300	\$200
2nd place Class A	\$300	\$200	\$200	\$100
3rd place Class A	\$200	\$100	\$100	\$50
4th place Class A	\$100	-	-	-
5th place Class A	\$75	-	-	-
1st, 2nd, 3rd Class B	Trophies	Trophies	Trophies	Trophies
1st, 2nd, 3rd Class C	Medals	Medals	Medals	Medals
1st, 2nd, 3rd Class D	Medals	Medals	Medals	Medals

## Event Fees:

Number of Events x \$30 ea.	
USATT membership renewal (\$75 adult/yr; \$90 family/yr; \$45 junior/yr; \$45 college/yr)	
1 time \$20 tournament pass	
Optional Donation to TT Team USA National Program	
<b>TOTAL</b>	

### **Lodging for the Gambler Competitor Open - May 2020**

Our partner hotel for out of town players is the Hampton Inn Charlotte/Monroe which is only 6 minutes from the Dickerson Recreation Center. Rooms for May 15-17 are \$99 for a king with a pull out or \$104 for 2 queen beds. Rooms can be booked by calling the hotel at 704-220-2200 and using the group code **GTT** or online using this link: [https://secure3.hilton.com/en\\_US/hp/reservation/book.htm?inputModule=HOTEL&ctyhocn=MNONCHX&spec\\_plan=CHHGTT&arrival=20200515&departure=20200517&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT](https://secure3.hilton.com/en_US/hp/reservation/book.htm?inputModule=HOTEL&ctyhocn=MNONCHX&spec_plan=CHHGTT&arrival=20200515&departure=20200517&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT)



#### **Amenities include the following:**

- Hot Buffet Style Breakfast
- Complimentary 24/7 coffee, tea, and hot chocolate every day for all guests
- Complimentary Cookies in the lobby after 3 pm every day for all guests
- Microwave and mini fridge in all of the rooms
- Fitness Center
- 24/7 Business Center
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- In room coffee
- Seasonal opened Outdoor Pool (9:00am – 10:00pm)
- Complimentary on-site parking
- Valet Laundry (Mon-Fri only)
- Mini Market (open 24/7)

**All of our out of town players staying at the Hampton Inn will also receive a Gambler welcome bag with a value of approximately \$20!**

If you have any questions please email us at [events@gamblerTT.com](mailto:events@gamblerTT.com) or call/text 833-888-PONG (7664)

By my participation, I hereby relieve the sponsors: USATT, Zeropong, Gambler, the Dickerson Recreation Center and the tournament directors, officials, and sponsors of any liability for injury to myself and/or property damage or loss. I agree to comply with all decisions of the tournament officials and abide by all USATT regulations.

Participant \_\_\_\_\_