



- 1. Competition Date** 29 March – 1 April 2018
- 2. Organiser** USA Table Tennis (USATT)  
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- 5. Venue** Broward TTC, 3371 N. University Drive, Davie FL 33024
- 6. Events** **USATT National Ranking Tournament for Youth**  
**Junior Boys + Girls (born after 1.1.2000), Cadet Boys + Girls (born after 1.1.2003),**  
**Mini-Cadet Boys + Girls (born after 1.1.2005), Hopes Boys + Girls (born after 1.1.2006)**  
Each player, with the exception of the Juniors, can start theoretically and maximally in two different age categories, but it have to be two consecutive age categories, for example Mini-Cadet and Cadet.  
Two guaranteed places on TTTeam USA will be awarded to the top 2 finishers in Juniors, Cadets & Mini-Cadets.  
Top 24 finishers per gender in all four age categories will get points for the USATT Annual Points Ranking.
- 7. Eligibility** Only athletes eligible, according to the rules and regulations of the ITTF, to represent the USA at Continental and World title events will be eligible for the USATT National Ranking Tournament and TTTeam USA.  
Only USATT members in good standing of USATT may participate.
- 8. Prizes**
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|-------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Juniors     | 1 <sup>st</sup> place \$750                    | 2 <sup>nd</sup> place \$375 | 3 <sup>rd</sup> place \$200 | 4 <sup>th</sup> place \$100 |
| Cadets      | 1 <sup>st</sup> place \$500                    | 2 <sup>nd</sup> place \$250 | 3 <sup>rd</sup> place \$125 | 4 <sup>th</sup> place \$75  |
| Mini-Cadets | 1 <sup>st</sup> - 4 <sup>th</sup> place awards |                             |                             |                             |
| Hopes       | 1 <sup>st</sup> - 4 <sup>th</sup> place awards |                             |                             |                             |
- Checks will be send out by USATT after the tournament by mail.
- 9. Qualified Players** The top sixteen (16) players of each gender based on USATT rating as of February 2, 2018, will automatically advance to the main draw, all others participate in the qualification event.
- 10. Entry Fee** \$250 USD per player for the USATT National Ranking Tournament
- 11. Format of play** The qualification will be played as Single elimination best of 5 games and eight (8) players will advance. Twenty-four (24) players of each gender will play in the main draw best of 5 games.  
For stage 1 of the main draw players will be divided into 4 groups of six (6). For stage 2 (placement round), the participants play each four matches for the places 1 to 24 in a modified KO system.  
In total each player in the main draw will play 9 matches.  
If there will be less than 24 participants in an age category, the format of play may be changed.
- 12. General Schedule**
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| March 29 | Hopes / Cadets Qualification + Top 24 + Consolation; Mini-Cadets / Juniors Qualification (best 32) |
| March 30 | Hopes / Cadets Top 24 + Consolation; Mini-Cadets / Juniors Qualification + Consolation             |
| March 31 | Mini-Cadets / Juniors Top 24 + Consolation   |
| April 1  | Mini-Cadets / Juniors Top 24   |



### 13. Seeding

Seeding will be based on USATT rating as of March 26, 2018.

### 14. Draw

Will be held on 28 March 2018

### 15. Equipment

Tables: Butterfly Centrefold 25      Number: 16      Color: blue  
Balls: Nittaku 40+ Premium 3\*

### 16. Hospitality

For hotel suggestions contact Carlos Zeller by E-mail: [cze9359656@aol.com](mailto:cze9359656@aol.com)

### 17. Entries

Entries need to be done online no later than **March 15, 2018**.  
For entries and payments use the link to the USATT National Ranking Tournament under:  
<https://omnipong.com/T-tourney.asp?t=8&Region=7>

The sixteen (16) players listed are qualified for the main draw based on their rating as of February 2. The five (5) players listed as substitutes are the first alternates for the main draw based on their rating as of February 2. All other substitutes placed in the main draw will be based on USATT rating as of March 15.

**All players must confirm their entry online.**

#### Juniors:

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Rachel Sung            | 1. Kanak Jha              |
| 2. Amy Wang               | 2. Sharon Alguetti        |
| 3. Crystal Wang           | 3. Nikhil Kumar           |
| 4. Grace Yang             | 4. Jack Wang              |
| 5. Lavanya Maruthapandian | 5. Victor Liu             |
| 6. Tiffany Ke             | 6. Gal Alguetti           |
| 7. Rachel Yang            | 7. Michael Tran           |
| 8. Tia Hsieh              | 8. Nicholas Tio           |
| 9. Ayane Saito            | 9. Jonathan Li            |
| 10. Ava Fu                | 10. Steven Gong           |
| 11. Swathi Giri           | 11. Tianming Xie          |
| 12. Emilie Lin            | 12. William Bai           |
| 13. Angie Tan             | 13. Jayden Zhou           |
| 14. Sabrina Zhu           | 14. Michael Wolski        |
| 15. Angela Zhang          | 15. Prasiddha Parthsarthy |
| 16. Estee Ackerman        | 16. Mudit Mahajan         |

#### Substitutes:

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|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1. Joanna Sung  | 1. Ted Li          |
| 2. Katie Chen   | 2. Sid Naresh      |
| 3. Faith Tung   | 3. Aditya Godhwani |
| 4. Sarah Jalli  | 4. Ali Khatami     |
| 5. Sarika Ahire | 5. Renny Gong      |

#### Cadets:

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|---------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Rachel Sung            | 1. Nikhil Kumar    |
| 2. Lavanya Maruthapandian | 2. Jayden Zhou     |
| 3. Tiffany Ke             | 3. Mudit Mahajan   |
| 4. Rachel Yang            | 4. Ted Li          |
| 5. Tia Hsieh              | 5. Sid Naresh      |
| 6. Ayane Saito            | 6. Aditya Godhwani |
| 7. Ava Fu                 | 7. Len Yang        |
| 8. Swathi Giri            | 8. Sahil Puri      |
| 9. Angie Tan              | 9. Jonathan Qin    |
| 10. Sabrina Zhu           | 10. Alexander Wu   |
| 11. Joanna Sung           | 11. Aziz Zarehbin  |
| 12. Katie Chen            | 12. Ethan Ruan     |
| 13. Faith Tung            | 13. Shawn Fong     |
| 14. Sarah Jalli           | 14. Matthew Lu     |
| 15. Sarika Ahire          | 15. Kai Zarehbin   |
| 16. Emilie Yin            | 16. Daniel NG      |



Substitutes:

1. Anastasia Wang
2. Faith Hu
3. Tina Chen
4. Linda Shu
5. Saanvi Srivasta

1. Ryan Dabbs
2. Nandan Naresh
3. Nathan Wu
4. Ved Sheth
5. William Huang

**Mini-Cadets:**

1. Swathi Giri
2. Sarah Jalli
3. Faith Hu
4. Linda Shu
5. Stacy Nguyen
6. Emily Tan
7. Natalie Chan
8. Sally Moyland
9. Nicole Deng
10. Ann-Ping Shangguan
11. Ivy Liu
12. Emily Quan
13. Katherine Fang
14. Purvi Soni
15. Muskan Gupta
16. Kayla Goodwin

1. Jayden Zhou
2. Ted Li
3. Aziz Zarehbin
4. Nandan Naresh
5. Ved Sheth
6. Steven Tan
7. Aneesh Raghavan
8. Daniel Stepanyuk
9. Avi Gupta
10. Robert Sun
11. Andrew Yang
12. Daniel Tran
13. Ethan Liu
14. Ryan Wu
15. Alexander Yang
16. Jensen Feng

Substitutes:

1. Isha Bajpai
2. Angelica Arellano
3. Marjolaine Encabo
4. Amanda Qu
5. Maria Tran

1. Keenan Zhu
2. Cody Wang
3. Taran Tummala
4. Charlie Wang
5. Ainish Dassarma

**Hopes:**

1. Sarah Jalli
2. Faith Hu
3. Emily Tan
4. Natalie Chan
5. Sally Moyland
6. Nicole Deng
7. Ann-Ping Shangguan
8. Ivy Liu
9. Emily Quan
10. Purvi Soni
11. Muskan Gupta
12. Kayla Goodwin
13. Isha Bajpai
14. Angelica Arellano
15. Marjolaine Encabo
16. Hannah Song

1. Nandan Naresh
2. Avi Gupta
3. Robert Sun
4. Andrew Yang
5. Daniel Tran
6. Ryan Wu
7. Jensen Feng
8. Keenan Zhou
9. Charlie Wang
10. Ainish Dassarma
11. Darryl Tsao
12. Raghav Thiruvallur
13. Connor Lee
14. Jason Li
15. Victor Xie
16. Stanley Hsu

Substitutes:

1. Ava Sun
2. Kayleigh Cui
3. Isabella Xu
4. Rory Liu
5. Michelle Kang

1. Revant Kasichainula
2. Jackson Beaver
3. Calvin Huynh
4. Adrian Yang
5. Patryk Zyworonek

**18. Cancellations**

There will be no cancellations accepted.



**19. Defaults:**

By defaulting a match or an event after the draw is done, for whatever reason, USATT has to assume that this athlete is no longer able to take part in the further event and also throughout the entire tournament. It will not be accepted that a match or an event is defaulted, but then the athlete starts again later in the same event or other events at the same tournament. The whole tournament will be finished at this point for this athlete. There is a potential injury / sickness exception that would allow an athlete to default from an event and still be allowed to continue in the tournament in other event. Exceptions will be decided individually and are based on submitting an official attestation of a doctor confirming that there is an injury or illness that will allow to continue playing (for example the next day in another event).

**19. Racket Controls:**

If racket control includes official test for VOC, miniRAE devices will be used according to the ITTF decision. In this case, players will be invited to voluntarily tests their rackets before competition starts.  
The ITTF Equipment Committee strongly recommends all players to make certain that new coverings are aired 72 hours before use.

**20. Motion & picture:**

By entering the event, players agree to abide by all USATT rules and by the rules and regulations of the Organizing Committee. All individual players agree under the auspices of USATT and its agents in all matters concerning television coverage to be video internet webcasting, motion picture and photographic coverage of any kind. Participants release all rights, or rights held by their agents or sponsors, in all matters relating to television and web casting coverage, video and motion picture coverage, and photographic coverage of any any kind. A participant's refusal of above listed coverage may be subject to suspension or dismissal from the competition.