

**WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP OF PING PONG**

**AMERICAS QUALIFICATION EVENT**

**SAN ANTONIO TABLE TENNIS CLUB**

Saturday December 7th



**ELIGIBILITY:** The tournament is Open to everybody that is a citizen or a permanent resident of a country in North or South America

**DATE AND TIME:** December 7<sup>th</sup> 2019, 9:30am

**SYSTEM:** 6 players round robin, top 3 players advance to the knock-out stage. All the matches are played **BEST OF 3 GAMES RACE TO 15**, except the final which will be best of 5 games.

**SUDDEN DEATH RULE:** If a game gets tied at 14-14 there will be **NO DEUCES**, whoever wins the point takes the game.

**DOUBLE POINT RULE:** A double point ball can be played once during each match by each player. Each player can choose to play their double point ball at any time on their service when their score is 12 points or less.

**SEEDING:** USATT Rating will be used to seed US Players. Non-US players will be seeded based on their last performance in WCPP Worlds or Qualification Events.

**RACKETS:** The rackets will be provided by the organizers. When players change sides between games they have to switch the rackets between them. The rackets provided by the organizers may not leave the court.

**PRIZES:** The winner of the main draw will qualify for the World Championships of Ping Pong in London (25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> January 2020). If sufficient numbers are achieved, the runner-up will also qualify.

**PRIZE MONEY:** 1<sup>st</sup> place **\$300+ flight ticket** to London for the Worlds (if the sponsorship funds are enough to cover the ticket) , **\$200** for the 2<sup>nd</sup> place, **\$100** for the semi-finalist

**VENUE:** **San Antonio Table Tennis Club** , 16675 Huebner Rd, San Antonio TX 78248

**TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:** VLAD FARCAS (657) 253-6695

**ENTRY FEE:** \$15

**SIGN-UP:** Sign-ups will be available through OmniPong or pay the entry through PayPal at [vladutt00@gmail.com](mailto:vladutt00@gmail.com) mentioning your name, email address, country and shirt size.

**FIRST 20 PEOPLE TO SIGN UP RECIVE FREE TOURNAMENT TSHIRT !!**

**EVERYBODY USES THE SAME RACKET, EVERYBODY HAS THE SAME CHANCE TO WIN THE TICKET TO LONDON!!**

