



# 2026 SPRING OPEN

SATURDAY | APRIL 25, 2026

**HOST:** Northshore Table Tennis Club (NTTC)

**EVENT:** 2026 Spring Open - Non- Sanctioned Tournament with \$625 in Cash Prizes

**DATE:** Saturday | April 25, 2026

**VENUE:** St. Tammany Parish Abita Springs Recreation District #11 Gymnasium  
22517 LA-36, Abita Springs, LA 70420

**PARTICIPANT INFORMATION:**

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CIRCLE ONE: M / F DOB \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

USATT MEMBERSHIP # \_\_\_\_\_ USATT EXPIRATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT USATT RATING\*\* \_\_\_\_\_ Affiliated Club \_\_\_\_\_

*PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION (if participant is under age 18)*

PARENT LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PARENT FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT # \_\_\_\_\_

NO.	EVENT NAME	FORMAT	DAY	TIME	FEE	AWARDS	LIMIT
1	Open Singles – Giant Round Robin	Double RR	SAT	9:00am	\$35	Elite Division: \$300/\$100/\$50/\$25 Trophies "A" Division: \$50/\$25 + Trophies "B" Division: \$50/\$25 + Trophies	40
2	Juniors Under 17	RR	SAT	9:30am	\$10	Trophy/Trophy	12
Event Fees Due							
Total Fees Due (payment of all fees required for registration to be processed)							

**REGISTER ON-LINE AT [www.omnipong.com](http://www.omnipong.com)**  
*(The official tournament software of the USATT)*

**ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all players. Memberships are available if you want to join USATT.

**NON-SANCTION:** This tournament is a Non-Sanction. A USATT membership is NOT required for entry into events.

**MAIL: Entry form and check or money order payable to.**

Northshore TTC C/O Fadi Qamar 67733 Ring Neck Dove Drive.

Covington, LA 70433

Cell (985)264-0063

Email: fadi.qamar59@gmail.com

Online Registration and PayPal Payments can be made through Omnipong.com

**CLUB INFO:** [www.facebook.com/NorthshoreTTC/](http://www.facebook.com/NorthshoreTTC/)

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** All entries must be received no later than midnight on April 18. Late entries may be accepted only at the discretion of the Tournament Director.

**Tournament Director: Fadi Qamar**

**FORMAT FOR ALL EVENTS:**

- The final number of groups of each event will depend on the number of entries and will be adjusted by the Tournament Director as needed.
- Double-Round Robin event. 1st Round: Players will be grouped using the "snake" system per USATT Tournament Guide. 2nd Round: All players will advance to Elite, A, B, Divisions, depending upon the Win/Loss records and number of players.
- Round-robin (RR) groups will be formed for the first rounds of all events. So each player is assured of multiple matches in the first round. And The top two from each group will advance into a single-elimination playoff.
- Ties will be broken in accordance with the USATT Tournament Guide. All games to 11 or win by 2 and all matches will be best out of 5 games

**General Tournament Information**

**Schedule:**

The Northshore TTC will be open for warm-up on Saturday, April 25 at 8:00 am and play will begin at 9:00 am sharp on Saturday. Players must register no later than 30 minutes prior to the start time. Players who are not on time may be defaulted and/or replaced by alternate players.

**Event Limitations:**

The tournament has a limited number of players allowed for each event. Complete entries with payment are processed in the order received. Once an event is full (based on a target number set at the discretion of the Tournament Director), that event will be closed and no further entries accepted. Entering early will give you a better chance of getting into an event before it is full.

**Waitlists:**

If an event is full and you would like to be put on a waitlist, you need to email the tournament director (fadi.qamar59@gmail.com) and he will put you on the waitlist for the event(s) for which you would like to register.

If a position opens up, he will contact you by phone or email and you will have 24 hours to pay your entry fee(s). If payment is not received within 24 hours upon notification, your waitlist spot will be forfeited and the next player on the waiting list will be notified.

**Refund Policy:**

- ALL entry fees paid are NON-REFUNDABLE as of Saturday, April 18, 2026.
- Events may be canceled for insufficient entries, or other reasons, at the discretion of the Tournament Director.
- If an event is canceled for any reason, then entry fees will be refunded. Refunds may take up to two weeks.

**No-Show Policy:** Players who are not present at the match start time for any event forfeit their position and entry fees for that event.

**Dress Code:** USATT Dress Code will be enforced in all cases as determined by the Tournament Referee. No white shirts or shorts will be allowed. Non-marking athletic shoes must be worn.

**Rules:**

All USATT regulations apply and all participants must abide by the decisions of the tournament staff and officials. If ejected due to violations of any USATT or Northshore TTC rules, the player will default automatically and no fee refunds will be issued. Players that default a match or matches for non-health related reasons may not be eligible for prizes.

**Equipment:**

All USATT regulations apply. Only USATT/ITTF approved equipment will be used. There will be 10 barriered 15 ft x 30 ft courts. The Northshore TTC has rubber flooring (Strata-Sports Granulated Rubber/Polyurethane Pad), high ceilings, and excellent lighting ~400-500 LUX. Balls will be white Nittaku 3-Star 40+. The tables are Joola DX30.



**RACKETS:**

Must be ITTF/USATT approved, with one side black and the other in any contrasting ITTF/USATT-approved color.

**Required USATT Statements:**

1. Events with insufficient entries may be canceled at the discretion of the tournament director or tournament referee. Fees managed as outlined in the refund policy.
2. If a rating event is canceled, the player will automatically be placed in the next highest rating event (only if applicable based on tournament format).
3. The current USATT rating system will be used to conduct all draws. For players that do not have a USATT rating, an estimated USATT rating will be assigned based upon a recommendation by a coach who knows the player or by visual evaluation of the player by a coach, whenever possible.

**Directions to tournament site:**

From I-12, take exit 65 for LA-59 toward Mandeville/Abita Springs, Turn right onto LA-59 N (signs for Abita Springs), At the traffic circle, take the 1st exit onto LA-36 E, travel 0.6 miles to the Rec Center on your left.