



65th Annual Table Tennis Tournament

Atlanta, GA

Saturday, March 7, 2026

Decatur Recreation Center

231 Sycamore Street

Decatur, GA 30030

Phone: 404-377-0494

Sponsored by



Schedule of Events

1. Championship Singles*	5. Women's Singles
2. Class A Singles	6. Novice Singles
3. Class B Singles	7. Championship Doubles
4. Senior Singles	8. Class A Doubles

Check-in time for all events is 8:00 to 8:45 a.m.

Play will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m.

Please notify us if you must cancel or will arrive late.

*All players are eligible for Championship Singles. The fee is included in the basic registration. **To enter Championship Singles, you must circle Event #1 on the Entry Blank.**

**Women may enter any of the events for which they qualify.

Tournament Information

1. The tournament is open to Delta, Delta Connection, former DT and DGS, DCCU, any Delta Subsidiary, former Delta employees and retirees (includes NWA and PAA retirees), and sponsors.
2. Seniors must be at least 45 years old as of the tournament date.
3. Rules of the USATT will govern play. USATT-approved equipment must be used. No sandpaper paddles allowed. **We will use Nittaku Premium 40+ white non-celluloid balls.**
4. Dark, solid-colored clothing is recommended. Rubber-soled shoes must be worn by all players.
5. Awards will be given to first-, second-, and third-place winners in Championship Singles and to first- and second-place winners in all other events. All games will be to 11 points. All matches are best 3 out of 5 games, except the Championship Singles finals, which is best 4 out of 7 games.
6. Players are eligible for Novice Singles if they have never participated in a USATT tournament and have never won a trophy in the Delta tournament.
7. Doubles partners should be listed on the entry blank, if known. However, you may enter without a partner and teams will be formed by the tournament committee prior to the tournament.

8. Entries must be received by Tuesday, March 3, 2026. A reasonable facsimile of the entry blank is acceptable. **IMPORTANT:** Call Keith Armes at 770-756-3850 or email keitharmes@bellsouth.net for further information regarding the tournament or if you have not received your entry acknowledgement by March 4, 2026.
9. Players must check in with the registration desk no later than 8:45 a.m. Please be on time.
10. Tables will be provided and will be for use by tournament entrants only.
11. Players are encouraged to enter events at, or above, their skill level. Winners in an event will be moved up to a higher event the next year they play. Skill levels, from high to low, are Championship, A, B, Novice.
12. The tournament committee reserves the right to move players to a higher bracket event based on skill or a small number of entries for an event.
13. The gym will be available for practice at 8:00 a.m. the day of the tournament.
14. Players: Expect to spend most of the day at the tournament and make travel plans accordingly.
15. All players are eligible to enter Championship Singles at no extra fee, but to do so you **must circle Event #1 on the Entry Blank. This would count toward the maximum four-event limit.**

Location and Facilities

Decatur Recreation Center (231 Sycamore St., Decatur, GA, phone: 404-377-0494) is a spacious gym a block from the Decatur MARTA station that features a natural wood floor. Excellent tables and facilities for spectators are provided. We will use Nittaku Premium 40+ white non-celluloid balls. Free parking is adjacent to the gym in the parking deck behind the Decatur Library. Soft drinks, bottled water, sandwiches, chips, and cookies will be furnished **free** to all players.

Tournament Committee

Keith Armes (director, retired), Don Holden (referee, tournament ops, retired), Charlie Slater (media, tournament ops, retired), Jim Eckert (tournament ops, retired), Anup Gopalakrishnan (tournament ops)

**Please Click on Link Below to Complete Entry Form
Entry Blank Must be Received by Tuesday, March 3, 2026**

<https://tinyurl.com/2026DeltaEntryForm>