Carolina International Table Tennis Academy

North Carolina Asian Americans Alliance

Cary Open Table Tennis Championships — Presented by NCAA/CITTA $10,000 Prize Money

USATT 2-STAR SANCTION APPLICATION PENDING | SATURDAY-SUNDAY, MARCH 6-7, 2027 | $10,000 IN CASH PRIZES, PLUS TROPHIES & MEDALS! | REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FEB. 28, 2027

VENUE & EQUIPMENT

Herbert C. Young Community Center, 101 Wilkinson Avenue, Cary, NC 27513 (USA)
Host: CITTA - Carolina International Table Tennis Academy / NCAAA - North Carolina Asian Americans Alliance. Tables: 10 on Saturday, 16 on Sunday (Butterfly Centerfold 25 tables). Balls: Butterfly R40+.

FEES

Event fees: $ _____
Administration and USATT Rating Fees: $10/player + $3/player
USATT Membership (if needed) - Silver $50/year or Tournament Pass $20: $ _____
Optional Donation to the USA National Team: $ _____
TOTAL: $ _____
Administrative and rating fees are charged once per player, plus selected event fees. Cary Residents Singles: $20 all-in, no administrative or rating fee. Doubles: $60/team + $13 per player not entered in singles ($73/team if one partner plays singles; $86/team if neither does).

KEY PERSONS

Organizer: NCAAA/CITTA | Tournament Director: Di Yu
Tournament Referee: Michael Levene (Certified Referee)
Contact: 732-857-9059 | cittacademy2022@gmail.com

COMPETITION FORMAT & GENERAL POLICIES

FORMAT: Round robin followed by single elimination. Cary Residents Singles is best of three games; all other events are best of five games (first to win three). Each game is to 11 points, win by two.
Registration closes February 28, 2027. Check in at least 30 minutes before your first event (Saturday check-in 8:15-8:45 AM; Sunday 7:30-8:15 AM). Refunds: full refund if you cancel before February 28, 2027; no refunds after February 28, 2027.

REGISTRATION & ELIGIBILITY

Rated events require a USATT Silver membership ($50/year) or a USATT Tournament Pass ($20); the Cary Residents Singles is exempt. USATT ratings published as of February 28, 2027 determine rating-event eligibility. U1000: rating below 1000. U1900: rating below 1900. Open Singles: no rating limit. U4500 Doubles: combined partner ratings below 4500. Cary Residents Singles: Cary residents only (proof of Cary address at registration), no rating limit, non-rated event.
Unrated players may enter any event (subject to referee-assessed rating for eligibility and seeding), but per USATT tournament regulations, unrated players cannot advance out of round-robin groups in rating-restricted events (U1000, U1900, U4500 Doubles) unless holding a verifiable foreign/ITTF rating. Unrated players may advance and win awards in Open Singles, Cary Residents Singles, and the Sunday Giant Round Robin (seeded at the referee's discretion).

Select / Event	Start / Limit	Fee	1st	2nd	3rd (tied)
[ ] U1000 Singles	Sat 9:00 AM 20 players	$35	$100 cash	$50 cash	$25 cash ea.
[ ] U1900 Singles	Sat 9:00 AM 20 players	$45	$300 cash	$150 cash	$75 cash ea.
[ ] U4500 Doubles	Sat 11:00 AM 16 teams	$60/team	$350 cash/team	$175 cash/team	$70 cash/team
[ ] Open Singles	Sat 1:30 PM 32 players	$60	$400 cash	$200 cash	$100 cash ea.
[ ] Cary Residents Singles	Sat 4:30 PM 16 players	$20 all-in	$50 cash	$30 cash	$10 cash ea.
[ ] Giant Round Robin	Sun 8:30 AM 80 players	$85	By division A-E - see Special Awards (right)		

Check each event you wish to enter. U1000 and U1900 start at the same time - enter only one. Each event champion and runner-up receive a trophy; tied third place receives a bronze medal (doubles: per player). Saturday cash prizes total $2,365. Total awards: $10,000 cash, plus trophies and medals.

PAYMENT & ONLINE REGISTRATION

Online registration: OmniPong.com and StadiumTT.com
Payment: online via OmniPong/StadiumTT registration; Zelle to cittacademy2022@gmail.com; Venmo to 732-857-9059
Include player name and selected events in the payment memo.

SPECIAL AWARDS - SUNDAY GIANT ROUND ROBIN

All 80 players advance by preliminary group finish into Divisions A-E (16 players each) for a second round robin and semifinals/finals in each division.
A: $3,000 / $1,500 / $575 ea. tied 3rd (total $5,650)
B: $400 / $200 / $80 ea. ($760) C: $250 / $125 / $62.50 ea. ($500)
D: $150 / $100 / $40 ea. ($330) E: $100 / $50 / $22.50 ea. ($195)
Best Female Player Award: $200 - to the highest-finishing female player in the Sunday Giant Round Robin (division first, then place); may be combined with division prize money. Sunday prizes total $7,435 + $200 = $7,635.
Prize winners of $600 or more must complete IRS Form W-9 before payout.

PLAYER ENTRY FORM

FULL NAME _____
USATT ID _____ RATING _____
DATE OF BIRTH _____ GENDER _____
EMAIL _____
PHONE _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY / STATE / ZIP _____
DOUBLES PARTNER (IF APPLICABLE) _____
DOUBLES PARTNER USATT ID _____
DOUBLES PARTNER RATING _____

USATT SAFE SPORT PROTOCOL & LIABILITY RELEASE

[ ] I understand USATT's Safe Sport Policy including the organization's Coaching Policy, which requires that all adults who are engaged in serving as an in-tournament match coach for a Minor Athlete, including a parent coaching his or her own child, at a USATT Sanctioned Tournament must be fully Safe Sport Compliant, which includes completing SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for SafeSport every year and undergoing a criminal background screen every two years.
[ ] I understand that, pursuant to USATT's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy, all participants at USATT Sanctioned Tournaments who are over the age of 18 and have regular contact with or authority over minor athletes must complete annual SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for SafeSport.
More information on USATT's Safe Sport Policy is available at: https://www.usatt.org/athlete-resources/safesport.
I hereby release all staff, sponsors, USATT, and Carolina International Table Tennis Academy (CITTA) from any and all claims, actions, or demands for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by my person or property. I assume full risk and responsibility for my participation in this event. I will abide by all USATT regulations and decisions of tournament officials.
PLAYER SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____
PARENT / GUARDIAN (UNDER 18) _____ DATE _____

PHOTO & VIDEO PERMISSION

[ ] I CONSENT [ ] I DO NOT CONSENT
I authorize CITTA to use identifiable event photographs and video of me/my child for tournament coverage and CITTA promotion on its website, social media, and printed materials, without compensation. This choice is voluntary and does not affect participation. For anyone under 18, a parent/legal guardian must sign.
Participant name: _____
Adult participant / parent / guardian signature: _____ Date: _____