

# CHAMPIONSHIP HANDBOOK

QATAR JUNIOR OPEN 07<sup>th-11th</sup> NOVEMBER 2021

# Venue:

KHALIFA TENNIS & SQUASH COMPLEX MAJLES AL TAAWON STREET,AL DAFNA DOHA, QATAR

Organized by QATAR TENNIS, SQUASH & BADMINTON FEDERATION

## CHAMPIONSHIP ORGANIZATION

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**Championship Referee: TBA** 

#### **Appointed Referees:**

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#### VENUE AND ACCOMMODATION

#### Venue

All matches will be played at the Khalifa International Squash Stadium, Majles Al-Taawon Westbay Aldafna, Doha. Khalifa Complex has 8 single squash courts & 1 all-glass court.

#### **Championship Office**

The Championship Office will be located at Khalifa Tennis & Squash complex and will open from 09:30 to 20:00 from 7<sup>th</sup> –11<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

#### Official Hotel

Name: Dusit Doha hotel

Address: Diplomatic District West Bay Area, Doha, Qatar

## HOTEL RATE

The Special Hotel rate is for EACH room covers 1 shared room with	n breakfast on <b>twin</b>
sharing basis as following:	
( ) Deluxe Room Single QR. 350/- ( ) Non-Smoking	
( ) Deluxe Room Double QR. 450/- ( ) King Bed ( ) Twin Beds (	) Non-Smoking
(Buffet Breakfast, Hotel Transfer to Venue & Entry Visa is Included)	(1  USD = QAR.  3.65)

## Entry Fee

100\$ For All Players if they are not using tournament package.

All players and officials are responsible for all extra cost incurred at the Hotel and the Venue, other than the breakfasts provided by the Hotel on specified dates.

All players/officials must settle the bills for all their personal expenses in the room at the hotel reception before departure.

Prize money:

# **QATAR JUNIOR OPEN 2021**

Position / Age Group Winner Runner up 3rd Place 4th Place	B19	B17	B15	B13					
	1000 700 500 300	1000 700 500 300	700 500 300 200	700 500 300 200					
					5th Place	100	100	100	100
					Total	2600	2600	1800	1800

#### TRAVEL INFORMATION

Most of International flights land in Doha, Qatar at Hamad International Airport.

We are going to provide you a Link which is mandatory for everyone to submit the following.

- 1. Passport copy
- 2. Vaccination Certificate, if Vaccinated.
- 3. Flight details
- 4. Hotel Booking request

#### Other points

- All players will stay at the official hotel
- PCR test upon arrival at the hotel
- Visa will issue for the player + only 1 "parent / coach"
- Will create link for visa and hotel booking.
- Will send to the visa and entry permeation
- PCR test result is must 72hrs prior to your arrival in Doha

# To Obtain Visa

- Submit Visa Application Form QTF Visa\_Ap0plication\_form\_
- Submit your Valid and Clear copy of your passport. (Passport should not exceed more than 6 months expiry date).
- Kindly inform us if you are vaccinated by attaching a Vaccination Certificate.
- Copy of Confirmed Return Ticket.
- Hotel Booking Request (Hotel Booking is Mandatory without Hotel booking confirmation we cannot provide your Visa and Exemption permit, if required)

# Before Travelling to Qatar

- Make sure you have printed out your Valid Visa, Exemption permit, Hotel Booking confirmation provided by Qatar Tennis Federation
- Vaccination Certificate if you are vaccinated.
- PCR Test Result should be 72hrs prior to your arrival to Doha.
- For Latest information please click on the link: https://www.qatarairways.com/en-qa/travel-alerts/COVID-19-update.html

# <u>Upon Arrival Hamad International Airport:</u>

- Make sure you have all the printed documents like Visa, Visa Exemption permit, Online Pre-Registration Confirmation, PCR Test Result, Hotel Booking confirmation & Vaccination Certificate.
- Mandatory to download Ehteraz.
- PCR test is mandatory to be done at the Official Hotel and you must stay
  inside the Hotel room until you get your result. (You will be informed your
  result from our QTF staff, or you will get message from Ministry of Public
  Health Authorities in your registered Doha Local Mobile Number.)
- Estimated daily PCR test at the Official Hotel.

- Passengers coming to Qatar must download Ehteraz app and activate it on their mobile phones upon their arrival at the Port of Entry (PoE). To achieve this, the passenger must obtain the following:
  - Register the Ehteraz app by using your country number, you will receive OTP and complete registration.
  - If your country phone is not active or not in roaming service then, purchase Qatari SIM card from a local telecommunications operator (Ooredoo or Vodafone) at the Airport.
  - Access to the Internet.
  - A smartphone that supports Android 6, newer versions or IOS 13.5 and above.
  - Download the app on the mobile either via Google Play, Apple App Store or from any online search engines.

# CHAMPIONSHIP REGULATIONS The Championships will be run in accordance with the ASF Championship Regulations

#### CLOTHING REGULATIONS

Regulation L of the ASF Championship Regulations shall apply.

#### DOPE TESTING

Dope testing may be carried out in accordance with the WADA Code.

All players are required to complete and sign the Doping Declaration (see attached) acknowledging the WSF's Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations and the Doping rules set out in Regulations E12 - E15 of the ASF Championship Regulations prior to competing in the Championships as part of the accreditation process.

Any players refusing to undergo a doping control and any player found guilty of a doping infraction proven by a positive laboratory test result will be dealt with by the ASF, which shall take disciplinary actions and penalties in accordance with its regulations.

#### **ELIGIBILITY – IMPORTANT!!**

All players and coaches must be WSF registered (SPIN) and their registration must be in good standing at the time of entry and then at the time of actual participation. Players are required to provide their WSF SPIN Number on the ENTRY FORM and valid passport copy which should be submitted on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021.

All Players are required to present the passports to the QSF Technical Delegate by 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021 to confirm eligibility before being permitted to compete.

#### EYEWEAR

In accordance with Regulation G5 of the ASF Championship Regulations, all players under 19 years of age of the Championships are required to wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard) properly over the eyes at all times during practice and match play throughout the Championships.

All junior players under 19 years of age are required to sign the Eyewear Declaration (see attached) acknowledging acceptance and compliance with this requirement prior to competing

in the Championships.

#### FORMAT OF THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Championships will be played in accordance with Regulation Q of the ASF Championship Regulations.

Players are seeded by the Qatar Seeding Committee.

#### FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Several banks close to the Hotel and Venue offer currency exchange. The currency of Qatar is Riyals and the approximate prevailing rate is USD1.00 = Qatar Riyals 3.60

#### Medal Award Ceremony

The official medal award ceremonies will take place on court following the completion of the finals on 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 2021. Medal winners are expected to be available at the venue wearing team tracksuits.

# INDEMNITY & INSURANCE

All participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials SHOULD agree to indemnity and hold the organizing committee, Qatar Squash Federation and Asian Squash Federation free and unaccountable for and against any claims for personal injury, death or property damage, arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in the said tournament.

#### Mail, E-mail, Internet & Telephone Service

### Telephones & Wi-Fi network

Players and officials will not be permitted to use telephones installed in the Championship Office. All calls must be made at your own expense from rooms or public telephones at the hotel or elsewhere. Wi-Fi network would be available at the Venue.

#### Messages

If telephone calls are received but the person cannot be quickly located, a message will be placed on the Information Board. The Organizer does not take any responsibility for messages that are not collected by participants.

#### MEDICAL

First-aid kit will be available on site throughout all sessions of play. In the case of medical emergencies and/or accidents, please report to the Championship Office for assistance and necessary action.

#### NEWS & COMMUNICATION

#### **Information Boards**

Information Boards will be located at the Hotel and the Venue. Participants should consult the Information Boards on a regular basis for updated news.

# OFFICIAL BALL

The Dunlop Revelation Pro XX (double yellow dot) ball will be used or the championships. For matches played at the glass court, Dunlop white ball will be used.

#### PERSONAL BELONGINGS

It is the players' responsibility to keep their own belongings safe and close by while in the Venue. Please DO NOT leave any personal belongings include the squash bags unattended at any time. The Organizer will not be liable or responsible for any loss, theft or damage to your personal belongings.

#### PLAYERS ON COURT

It is the responsibility of each player to be ready to play at the advertised start time of tie.

#### PRACTICE COURTS

Practice courts can be booked at the Championship Office and booking details are at players' desk. For reservation of practice courts prior to the start date of the Championships, please contact Masoud at masoud@qatarsquash.org or +974- 50802172 / Gurshan at gurshan@qatarsquash.org or +974 - 33600991

#### RACKET-STRINGING SERVICE

Racket-stringing service will be provided at the Venue at USD15 (string provided by the customer) and USD30 (customer with no string).

#### RESULTS BOOKLET

At the end of the Championships, a complete set of results will be sent by e-mail to all managers and participating MNAs. Please provide relevant email addresses to the Championship Director.

#### SEEDING OF PLAYERS

The QATAR Seeding Committee will produce the final seeding by no later than **Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2021**. The decision of the QATAR Seeding Committee shall be final.

#### TEAM PHOTOGRAPHS

Teams may have their photograph taken by the official photographer and detail arrangement would be announced during the event.

#### TIN HEIGHT

In accordance with WSF, the tin height for the Doha & Qatar Junior Open Championships shall be 19 inches.

#### **TRANSPORT**

Transport will be provided from Hotel to Venue. Players, coaches and managers participating in the event are eligible to take the transportation.