

Championship Handbook

Qatar Junior Open – April 26-28th, 2025

Venue: Khalifa Tennis & Squash Complex

Organized by Qatar Tennis, Squash & Badminton Federation

CHAMPIONSHIP ORGANIZATION

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Championship Referee:

- Omar Al Emadi

Appointed Referees:

- TBC
- TBC

VENUE AND ACCOMMODATION

Venue

All matches will be played at the Khalifa International Tennis & Squash Complex, Majlis Al-Taawon Street, West Bay, Doha. The 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 during tournament dates.

Official Hotel

Name: Dusit Doha Hotel

Address: Diplomatic Area, West Bay. Doha, Qatar

HOTEL RATES

Single room 350 QAR per night. Double room 450 QAR per night.

*Buffet breakfast, hotel transfer to venue & entry visa are included.

(1 USD = QAR. 3.65)

ENTRY FEE

Entry fee is US\$100. Please pay entry fee online when entering the tournament using the following link:

https://gatartennis.store.simplify.com/product/gatar-junior-open-2025

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

All players and officials must settle their bill for their personal expenses in the room with a QTF Representative either at the Hotel or at the Venue. All room bookings must be made by email to salman@qatartennis.org (Deadline date: on or before Thursday, 10th April 2025)

PRIZE MONEY: TOTAL 10,600 QATAR RIYALS

Position / Age Group	B19	B17	B15	B13	B11
Winner	1000	1000	700	700	700
Runner up	700	700	500	500	500
3 rd Place	500	500	300	300	300
4 th Place	300	300	200	200	200
5 th Place	100	100	100	100	100
Total	2600	2600	1800	1800	1800

Prize money payments:

Prizemoney will be paid in cash by the Qatar Squash Federation at the completion of the event.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

The main airport in Doha, Qatar is Hamad International Airport (DOH).

To acquire VISA please go to:

app.qatartennis.org (Select Tournament Name) and provide the following details as mentioned below:

- Passport copy (Validity should not be less than 6 Months)
- *Deadline for submission: on or before Thursday, 10th April 2025.

Travel & Covid-19 Measures:

Entry Requirements: Visitors are no longer required to present a negative Covid-19 PCR or RAT result before travelling to Qatar. There will be no testing or quarantine on arrival.

Other points:

- Visa will be issued for the player + only 1 "parent / coach."

Before Travelling to Qatar

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 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 must be submitted by April 7th 2025.

All Players are required to present their passports to the QSF Technical Delegate by **April 26th 2025** 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 in the Championships are required to wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard) properly over the eyes 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.

CHAMPIONSHIP FORMAT

The Championships will be played in accordance with Regulation Q of the ASF Championship Regulations. Players will be 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 3.65

MEDAL AWARD CEREMONY

The official medal award ceremony will take place on court following the completion of the finals on April 28th 2025 at approximately 7pm. 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.

INTERNET & TELEPHONE SERVICE

Wi-fi network will be available at the venue.

MEDICAL

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

NEWS & COMMUNICATION

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 for the championships. For matches played on the glass court, the Dunlop white ball will be used.

PERSONAL BELONGINGS

It is the players' responsibility to keep their belongings safe and close by while at the Venue. Please DO NOT leave any personal belongings, including 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 match start time.

PRACTICE COURTS

Practice courts can be booked at the Championship Office and booking details are at the player's desk. For reservation of practice courts prior to the start date of the Championships, please contact:

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RACKET STRINGING SERVICE

Racket stringing service will be provided at the Venue at US\$15 (string provided by the customer) and US\$30 (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 QSF Seeding Committee will produce the final seedings approximately 1 week prior to the start of the Championship. The decision of the QSF Seeding Committee shall be final.

TEAM PHOTOGRAPHS

Teams may have their photograph taken by the official photographer and arrangement details will 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 the hotel to the venue. Players, coaches and managers participating in the event are eligible to take the transportation.