

# PROSPECTUS

## 30th Table Tennis Asian Cup 2017

(September 15th –17th, 2017, Ahemdabad, India)



### 1. AUTHORITY

The 30th Table Tennis Asian Cup 2017 will be organized by the Table Tennis Federation of India (TTFI) under the authority granted by the Asian Table Tennis Union (ATTU).

### 2. HOST AND ORGANIZER

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### 3. SCHEDULE

14th September 2017	Players Arrival
14th September 2017 (16:00 hr.)	Jury Meeting
14th September 2017 (18:00 hr.)	Draw Ceremony and Welcoming Reception
15th – 17th September 2017	Competition
18th September 2017	Departure

### 4. VENUE

Name: Trans Stadia  
ADDRESS: The Arena, Near Kankaria Lake  
Opp. Gate No.3, Kankaria, Maninagar  
Ahmedabad – 380022, Gujarat - India

### 5. EVENTS

Men's Singles  
Women's Singles

### 6. COMPETITION MANAGER

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### 7. TECHNICAL DELEGATE

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## 9. ENTRIES

Holder of 2016 Asian Cup, Singles Champion of 2017 Asian Championships, top 10 players from the July 2017 ITTF Ranking List, four Regional Representatives, one each from South Asia, South East Asia, West Asia and Middle Asia. There shall be a maximum of 2 players from an Association unless a third player is invited as a "wild card". If the Asian Champion is also the holder of the Asian Cup, the available place shall go to the next highest eligible player on the July 2017 ITTF World Ranking List.

## 10. PLAYING METHOD

Twelve top players from Asia will be drawn into three groups (Group A, B and C) of 4 players each. The four players from each region will form a group (Group D) to compete in a "Continental Cup".

1st Stage: All four groups will play in a round-robin system.

Winners and runners-up of Groups A, B and C will go directly to the 2nd Stage.

3rd position players of Group A, B and C will join the winner of Group D to play a single play-off match to determine the last two positions of 2nd Stage.

2nd Stage: Single knock-out to determine the top 8 positions.

ALL matches in stage 1 including the play-off matches shall be played best of five (5) games and all matches in stage 2 shall be best of seven (7) games.

## 11. DRAW

For the 1st Stage draw, the top twelve players will be drawn into Group A, B and C according to their latest ITTF ranking, with players from the same Association drawn into separate groups. Regional representatives will be drawn randomly in positions of Group D.

For the 2nd Stage draw, players in the same group will be drawn into different halves. The second player from the same Association shall be drawn so that they do not meet before the semi-final stage.

## 12. EQUIPMENT

Table: DHS  
Ball: DHS CELL Free D 40+  
Floor Mat: STAG (Red Colour)

## 13. ACCOMMODATION - OFFICIAL HOTEL

Name and Address: FORTUNE LANDMARK HOTEL  
Usmanpura Cross Road, Ashram Road  
Ahmedabad, Gujarat 380013

Phone No: +91 79 3988 4444

### **For officials, players and umpires:**

The organizer will provide free hospitality from lunch of 14th September until breakfast of 18th September 2017 for all invited players and one (1) official from each participating association. (Breakfast / lunch / dinner at the hotel, together with airport / hotel transfer are included)

Additional persons who are not eligible for free hospitality shall pay for the accommodation at the below rate:

Single room (per night per person): USD 120  
Twin room (per night per person): USD 75

**14. TOTAL PRIZE MONEY (subject to tax deduction)**

USD 100,000 (Men & Women)

Applicable Taxes: 20.6%

Position	Men's Singles	Women's Singles
1	14,000	14,000
2	7,000	7,000
3	4,000	4,000
4	3,400	3,400
5	3,000	3,000
6	2,600	2,600
7	2,400	2,400
8	2,000	2,000
9 -10	1,600	1,600
11 - 16	1,400	1,400
<b>Total</b>	<b>USD 50,000</b>	<b>USD 50,000</b>

**15. PLAYERS**

The following players are invited to take part in the event.

No.	Men's Singles		Eligibility (WR – July 2017)
	Name	Asso.	
1	XU Xin	CHN (1)	2016 Asian Cup Champion
2	FAN Zhendong	CHN (2)	2017 Asian Champion
3	MIZUTANI Jun	JPN (1)	WR7
4	WONG Chun Ting	HKG (1)	WR8
5	NIWA Koki	JPN (2)	WR9
6	LEE Sangsu	KOR (1)	WR11
7	CHUANG Chih Yuan	TPE (1)	WR13
8	JEOUNG Youngsik	KOR (2)	WR17
9	Achanta Sharath Kamal	IND (1)	WR43
10	CHEN Chien-An	TPE (2)	WR50
11	GAO Ning	SGP (1)	WR51
12	HO Kwan Kit	HKG (2)	WR57
13	<b>DESAI Harmeet</b>	<b>IND (2)</b>	<b>South Asia Representative (WR79)</b>
14	<b>TANVIRIYAVECHAKUL Padasak</b>	<b>THA (1)</b>	<b>South East Asia Representative (WR197)</b>
15	<b>AL-ABBAD Abdulaziz</b>	<b>KSA (1)</b>	<b>West Asia Representative (WR306)</b>
16	<b>ALAMIYAN Noshad</b>	<b>IRI (1)</b>	<b>Middle Asia Representative (WR69)</b>
<b>Reserved Players for Substitution</b>			
1	PAK Sin Hyok	PRK (1)	WR81
2	RO Kwang Jin	PRK (2)	WR104

No.	Women's Singles		Eligibility (WR – July 2017)
	Name	Asso.	
1	LIU Shiwen	CHN (1)	2016 Asian Cup Champion
2	HIRANO Miu	JPN (1)	2017 Asian Champion
3	DING Ning	CHN (2)	WR1
4	FENG Tianwei	SGP (1)	WR6
5	ISHKAWA Kasumi	JPN (2)	WR7
6	CHENG I-Ching	TPE (1)	WR8
7	KIM Song I	PRK (1)	WR19
8	YANG Haeun	KOR (1)	WR21
9	SUH Hyowon	KOR (2)	WR26
10	DOO Hoi Kem	HKG (1)	WR28
11	YU Mengyu	SGP (2)	WR33
12	CHAN Sze-Yu	TPE (2)	WR35
13	<b>BATRA Manika</b>	<b>IND (1)</b>	<b>South Asia Representative (WR104)</b>
14	<b>SAWETTABUT Suthasini</b>	<b>THA (1)</b>	<b>South East Asia Representative (WR55)</b>
15	<b>MOHAMED Aia</b>	<b>QAT (1)</b>	<b>West Asia Representative (WR620)</b>
16	<b>SHAHSVARI Neda</b>	<b>IRI (1)</b>	<b>Middle Asia Representative (WR284)</b>
<b>Reserved Players for Substitution</b>			
1	LEE Ho Ching	HKG (2)	WR36
2	CHOE Hyon Hwa (1992)	PRK (2)	WR67

***All participating players are required to attend the Official Functions including Press Conference cum Draw Ceremony, Welcoming Reception and Award Ceremony.***

## **16. SUBSTITUTIONS**

Substitutions must be made **before** the closing date as per entry regulations.

- A regional representative will be replaced by another player nominated by that region.
- A ranked player may be replaced, on recommendation from the Association, by the next highest eligible ranked players from the same association who were ranked above the last reserved player on the list in ITTF world ranking in July 2017.
- If association wants to replace a certain invited player, ATTU secretariat must receive player nomination from association by the deadline of **August 10th, 2017**, otherwise, player quota will be transferred to reserved player or wild card player.

### **- Contingency Player Substitution after Final Entry Deadline**

Under certain circumstances, the Technical and Umpire Committee may approve player substitution upon request submitted by association no later than **September 1, 2017**

**17. DRAW**

The Press Conference and Draw for 1st Stage will take place at 16:00 hr. on **14th September 2017**.

The draw for 2nd Stage will be held immediately after the completion of 1st Stage in the competition venue.

**18. DEADLINES:**

Visa Form	25th July 2017
Final Entry	14th August 2017
Accommodation Form	2nd September 2017
Travel details	2nd September 2017

The Organizing Committee will provide pick-up service from and to Ahmedabad Airport (AMD).

**19. DELEGATION REGISTRATION**

For Visa application and final entry, please send to the Organizing Committee email: [tffi@tffi.org](mailto:tffi@tffi.org) and please also copy the final entry form and any revised entry form to ATTU Secretariat via [attubj@vip.163.com](mailto:attubj@vip.163.com).

**20. FORM INSTRUCTION**

Player information shall be completed using the attached forms with several high resolution action photos including a short player profile to the Organizing Committee [tffi@tffi.org](mailto:tffi@tffi.org) and ATTU Secretariat [attubj@vip.163.com](mailto:attubj@vip.163.com).

**21. VISA APPLICATION**

For those who need a visa to enter India, please submit the Visa Form with passport copy to the Organizer.

**22. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE CONTACT**

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