



BATANG PINOY 2016 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

PROSPECTUS FOR TABLE TENNIS

I. ORGANIZER : PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION / PHILIPPINE TABLE TENNIS FEDERATION, INC.

II. AUTHORITY : PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION

III. EVENTS

1. JUNIOR BOYS' SINGLES (JBS)
2. JUNIOR GIRLS' SINGLES (JGS)
3. CADET BOYS' SINGLES (CBS)
4. CADET GIRLS' SINGLES (CGS)
5. MIXED DOUBLES (XD)

IV. ELIGIBILITY

1. Open to all children 17 years old and below as stated in the Batang Pinoy 2016 General Guidelines.
2. Participants for Events 1 and 2 must be born in 1999 and the years thereafter.
3. Participants for Event 3 and 4 must be born in 2004 and the years thereafter. Entries for these events will not be allowed to compete in Events 1 and 2. (No double entry for Singles Event)

V. RULES AND FORMAT OF THE COMPETITION

1. The competition shall be conducted in accordance with the current Batang Pinoy 2016 Ground Rules/Guidelines and the ITTF Rules and Regulations. However, the Organizing Committee shall resolve other unforeseen circumstances that are not covered by the ITTF rules where decisions will be final.
2. For Event 1, 2, 3 and 4
 - a. FIRST STAGE - Players will be divided into groups (3 or 4 in a group) and shall play in a GROUP-SINGLE ROUND ROBIN Matches.
 - b. SECOND STAGE - The Top Player in each group shall progress to the 2nd Stage Knock-Out Matches to determine the medalists. Semi-final losers will play in a Bronze Medal Match.
 - c. Medalists of the 2015 Batang Pinoy Luzon, Visayas, Mindanao Qualifying Legs and National Championships are not required to play in the First Stage but are automatically seeded to the Second Stage Knock-Out Matches
3. The Mixed Doubles (XD) Event will be played in a SINGLE-ELIMINATION MATCHES (KNOCK-OUT)
 - a. Mixed Doubles pair shall come from the same delegation (team). Entries for Mixed Doubles will be limited to two (2) pairs per delegation.
 - b. Entries for Singles can also play in Mixed Doubles Event.
 - c. Participants for Mixed Doubles shall wear shirts of the same color and are encourage to dress uniformly.
4. All matches of the 2016 Batang Pinoy Table Tennis Competitions shall be a best of five (5) games.
5. The "Rule of Succession" shall be observed throughout the competition. A 10-min. defaulting time shall be observed throughout the tournament.
6. The referee and/or the tournament management committee reserve the right to modify the above-mentioned rules and format of the competitions at any time without prior notice to ensure the success of the tournament.