



International Table Tennis Federation
2018 Challenge Seamaster Nigeria Open
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PROSPECTUS

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5 EVENTS	1 2 3 4 5 6	Men's Singles (MS) mandatory event Women's Singles (WS) mandatory event Men's Doubles (MD) mandatory event Women's Doubles (WD) mandatory event U21 Men's Singles (U21 MS) mandatory event U21 Women's Singles (U21 WS) mandatory event Under 21 Category for 2018 : Born on or after January 1st, 1997
6 SCHEDULE	Qualification dates:	08-Aug-18 - 09-Aug-18 Man Draw dates: 10-Aug-18 - 12-Aug-18
7 SYSTEM OF PLAY	Qualifications: 2 Days Main Draw: 3 Days	
8 DRAW (for Seeded Players)	Will take place on the 6th August, 2018 at Competition Venue 13:00 hrs The official draw for qualifications takes place 2 days before the first competition day, at 12:00 local time. This is also the entry cancellation deadline.	
9 EQUIPMENT	Nb.Tables Nb.Practice tables Balls Floor	8 Gewo Europa 25 blue Net Gewo World Cup 8 Gewo Europa 25 blue DHS D40+*** white*** stars Tinsue TLO 500B (TSS500b) Blue
10 PRIZE MONEY Paid cash on site	Total prize money Applicable taxes	\$46,000 <i>as per the national laws</i>
11 HOSPITALITY	Option 1 Accreditation fee payment without hospitality In case the participants choose Option 1 the Organizers will not offer an official hospitality package. The participants have to look after their own accommodation, transportation and meals. The participants will only pay the accreditation fee. Accreditation fee for the players is fixed to (according to the currency) 130.00 US \$ Accreditation fee for the coaches and medical staff is fixed to (according to the currency) 130.00 US \$ Additional information	
	Option 2 Address Address Tel. Fax. Website	Eko Hotel & Suites Victoria Island Lagos No Fax www.ekohotels.com Single room per person per day 200.00 US \$ Double room per person per day 180.00 US \$ The official hospitality package includes (3 nights minimum) <input type="checkbox"/> Accommodation (full board) in the selected hotel <input type="checkbox"/> Free transportation from/to the airport, railway station/hotel/venue <input type="checkbox"/> Entry fee Additional information
	Option 3 Address Address Tel. Fax. Website	Southern Sun Ikoyi Hotel 47, Alfred Rewane Road Ikoyi, Lagos +23412805200 No Fax www.tsogosun.com Single room per person per day 180.00 US \$ Double room per person per day 150.00 US \$ The official hospitality package includes (3 nights minimum) <input type="checkbox"/> Accommodation (full board) in the selected hotel <input type="checkbox"/> Free transportation from/to the airport, railway station/hotel/venue <input type="checkbox"/> Entry fee Additional information

12. TRANSPORTATION	from (airport name) Murtala Muhammed International Airport [MMA] to the selected hotel and the venue and back from (railway station name if any) to the selected hotel and the venue and back. Free transportation will only be arranged when booking the full hospitality package (OHP) and if you send back your travel form in time. Please check the deadline in the item 15.
13. ROOM CANCELLATION	For room cancellation after August 1, 2018 Additional information: The entering association will be charged with one night costs of the official hospitality package 2; Single room); this is valid for players, coaches, medical staff, accompanied persons (Option)
14. ACCREDITATION	Date and the 6th August, 2018 from 9:00 to 19:00 7th August, 2018 from 8:00 to 20:00 at (location) The Sir Molade Okoya Thomas Indoor Sports Hall
15. DEADLINES	Final entries for singles July 9, 2018 Seniors AND U21 Final entries for doubles July 19, 2018 Payment deadline August 6, 2018 the full amount has to be transferred latest until that date Accommodation forms August 1, 2018 Travel details August 1, 2018
16. ENTRY CANCELLATION	Cancellation of participation is possible till August 6, 2018 at 12h local time To be sent to the Competition Manager After this deadline, the penalty for non show policy will apply. ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION! For cancellations after the entry deadline (30 days before the event), a cancellation fee of 130 US \$ will be charged for each player, coach and medical staff. (Coach & Medical staff needs to pay only in case they booked the official Hotel package). These cancellation amounts will be added to the associations' invoice to be paid, together with the hospitality costs, to the organizers either by bank transfer or by cash on site. Associations will not be allowed to enter future WORLD TOUR and CHALLENGE events if any cancellation fees remain outstanding. Cancellations have to be sent to the Competition Manager AND the Organizers.
17. ENTRIES	ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY or contact the Competition Manager For 2018 the participation fee for the players is fixed to (according to the currency) 13 US \$
18. PAYMENT	1) After receiving an invoice from the Organizing Committee please send your payment by bank transfer, to: 1 Nigeria Table Tennis Federation 2 First Bank of Nigeria Plc 3 Iganmu Branch 4 Surulere, Lagos 5 0211001033 6 FBNINGLA-ACCT Number 0443001 7 2015174848 2) Cash upon your arrival Additional information: The payment of the full amount from each association should be done in ONE invoice. Individual payments are not possible anymore. Individual players can ask that the OC issue separate invoices.
19. VISA	For those who would need a visa to enter into the country, please contact the organizers to get a letter of invitation at least 2 months in advance with: Full name, nationality, passport number with expiration date, address and occupation and also birthday and place of birth.
20. INFORMATION FOR PLAYERS	By entering the event, players agree to abide by all ITTF rules and by the rules and regulations of the Organizing Committee. All entered associations, pairs and individual players agree to be under the auspices of the ITTF and its agents in all matters concerning television coverage, video, internet web casting, motion picture coverage, and photographic coverage of any kind. Participants release all rights, or rights held by their agents or sponsors, in all matters relating to television and web casting coverage, video and motion picture coverage, and photographic coverage of any kind. A participant's refusal of above listed coverage may be subject to suspension or dismissal from the competition.
21. INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS	In the context of betting participants shall not, by any manner whatsoever, infringe the principle of fair play, show unsporting conduct, or attempt to influence the course or result of a competition, or any part thereof, in a manner contrary to sporting ethics. Any violation of this principle shall be disciplined according to provisions of ITTF regulation 3.5.3.
22. INSURANCE	By entering the event, each association must ensure that all delegation members have medical, travel and other appropriate insurance.
23. NUMBER OF ENTRIES PER ASSOCIATION	According to the 2018 ITTF Challenge Directives and SSI, we have to limit the number of entries to 180 players in total. Only the final entries are taken into consideration by the organizers and the Competition Manager for the participation of your players. For the ITTF Challenge: An association can enter a maximum of: Men and Women Singles: 6 players per Association (each gender) / 12 players for the Host Association (each gender) Men and Women Doubles: 3 pairs or 6 players per Association (each gender) / 6 pairs or 12 players for the Host Association (each gender) U21 Men and Women Singles: 6 players per Association (each gender) / 12 players for the Host Association (each gender) Additional entries will be put on a waiting list and accepted depending of the total number of entries. Please refer to the Official Documents on the Challenge section of the ITTF web-site or contact the Competition Manager.