## PROSPECTUS

**Introduction**

The Chetwynd Lawn Tennis Club moves on to its Fifth International Senior Tennis Tournament 2017 to be held on Easter Weekend (14th – 17th April 2017). After the very successful 2016 tournament, two (2) new categories Men’s C Singles and Ladies C Singles have been added to invite novices and beginners into the world of competitive tennis. This Tournament has grown annually attracting tennis enthusiasts from all over the region and has now established itself as the biggest and best tournament for Senior players in Trinidad & Tobago and soon in the Caribbean.

### Objectives are:

* To establish international competition among players over 35 years old on the annual Tennis calendar.
* Create a Caribbean community of senior tennis players.
* Build a network throughout the Caribbean of tennis lovers and expand social circles and camaraderie.
* Present a great opportunity over the long Easter weekend for fun, relaxation and exciting friendly tennis rivalry.
* Boost the profile and interest in tennis in the region.
* In partnership with the UWI, create an Inter-Campus tennis opportunity for senior staff and students

## Tournament Committee

 **Tournament Committee**

Tournament Director Dave James Tournament Secretary/Treasurer Denise Lewis Member Sarah Salandy

Member Karl Woods

Chairman Org. Committee Davryl James Umpire Norris Granderson

## Events

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| **Event** | **Winner** | **Finalist** |

Over 35 Men’s Singles Open ------------------------ US$300.00 + Trophy ------------US$125.00 + Trophy

Over 35 Men’s Singles B ---------------------------- US$75.00 + Trophy ------------- Trophy

Over 35 Men's Doubles Open ----------------------- US$100.00 + Trophy ------------Trophy

Over 50 Men’s Singles ------------------------------- US$75.00 + Trophy ------------- Trophy

Over 50 Men’s Doubles ------------------------------ US$50.00 + Trophy ------------- Trophy

Ladies Singles ------------------------------------------ US$100.00 + Trophy ------------US$50.00 + Trophy

Ladies Doubles -----------------------------------------US$50.00 + Trophy ------------- Trophy

Mixed Doubles ----------------------------------------- US$75.00 + Trophy ------------- Trophy

Open Men’s C Singles ---------------------------------Trophy ---------------------------- Trophy

Open Ladies C Singles -------------------------------- Trophy ---------------------------- Trophy

UWI Student Invitation – Men Singles ------------ Trophy ---------------------------- Trophy

UWI Student Invitation – Ladies Singles ----------Trophy ---------------------------- Trophy

UWI Student Invitation – Mixed Doubles ---------Trophy ---------------------------- Trophy

### Availability of Forms:

Entry Forms are available from the Tournament Secretariat and will be sent on request from chetwyndtennis@gmail.com. The following can also be contacted for entry forms:

Contact Persons:

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Area | Contact Person | Telephone # | Email |
| North | Sarah Salandy | 868-394-6907 | public.relations@chetwyndtennis.org |
| South | Randy Bailey | 868-741-5181 |  |
| East | Marjorie Thomas | 868-723-8959 |  |
| West | Karl Woods | 868-682-8217 |  |
| Central | Hayden Salim | 868-758-4932 |  |
| TATT | Public Courts |  |  |
| Aruba | Humphrey Hose | 1-297-586-0215 |  |
| St. Lucia | Mc Colin Fontenelle | 1-758-727-9861 | mccolin.fontenelle@gmail.com |

### Participation Fee:

**TT$150 ( l oc al ) USD$ 50 ( i nter nati onal ) per player for the Tournament includes:**

* + Admission to Closing functions and other social activities directly associated with the event.
	+ Entry fees for the Tournament

Entry for Non-students to UWI Student Invitation events will be $100.00. UWI Students will be allowed free entry to this event.

All players must have paid their 2017 Tennistt Registration fee of $65.00 prior to participating in this tournament.

### Submission of Entries:

Entries for the tournament will only be valid when submitted with payment to the contacts listed in (**1.)** above or any member of the Tournament Committee.

### DEADLINE DATE FOR ENTRIES – Monday 10th April, 2017

1. **Draws:**

Draws will be made on **Wednesday 12th April, 2017**

* + **Play will begin on** Friday 14th April, 2017 and end on Monday 17th April, 2017.
	+ **Play will start** at 8:00am and finish at 9:00pm daily except on the Monday when the tournament is scheduled to end at 6:00pm.
	+ **The Tournament Committee** reserves the right to extend the playing time if it becomes necessary to achieve the Tournament schedules.

### Eligibility:

1. **Entry:**
	* Players are eligible to play if they have attained the age of 35 yrs on **Thursday 13th April, 2017**.
	* For the Over 50 division, players must be at least 50 yrs old on the **Thursday 13 th April, 201.**
	* For the Ladies Singles and Doubles players are eligible if they have attained the age of 25 yrs on

### Thursday 13th April, 2017.

* + UWI students can enter the UWI Student Invitational events
	+ Non-UWI students must be between 20 and 35 years to enter the UWI Student Invitation events
	+ The Tournament Committee reserves the right to see proof of age if deemed necessary.
1. **Nationality -** Players of any nationality can enter.
2. **Limitations** - Players are allowed to enter a maximum of two (2) events.

### Venue:

The Tournament will be played on the courts of the **University of the West Indies, St Augustine Campus.**

### Draw Size & Format:

Main Draws will be limited to the following sizes:

### Over 35 Men’s Singles Open 16

### Over 35 Men’s Singles B 16

### Over 35 Men’s Doubles Open 16

### Over 50 Men’s Singles 16

### Over 50 Men’s Doubles 16

### Ladies’ Singles 16

### Ladies’ Doubles 16

### Men’s C Singles 16

### Ladies’ C Singles 16

### Mixed Doubles 16

### UWI Student Invitation – Men 16

### UWI Student Invitation – Ladies 16

### UWI Student Invitation – Mixed Doubles 16

* The Tournament Committee reserves the right to adjust the draw size based on entries.
* For the Senior events, in the case of excess entries, 12 players will be selected for the main draw.
* Players not selected will be placed in a Qualifying Draw from which four (4) qualifiers will emerge.
* Each draw will have four (4) seeded players
* Players not selected will play in the qualifying draw from which two will emerge.

### Match Play:

* + All Qualifying rounds will be best of 15 games.
	+ For all senior Main draw matches 1st two sets are normal tie-break sets. If set-all, a Super tie-break (first to 10 points) will be played.

### No-ad scoring shall be used for all matches.

* + Play shall continue under lights if necessary

### Rules:

* + This Competition shall take place in accordance with these **Regulations** and the **Rules of Tennis adopted by the ITF** (which includesthe ITF Code of Conduct).
	+ The Tournament Director will determine the appropriate period of rest between matches.
	+ In submitting an entry to this tournament, a player automatically undertakes to commit him/herself to abide and be bound by the above Rules and Regulations.
	+ The Committee reserves the right to amend, repeal, or otherwise modify, in whole, or in part, the above Rules and Regulations.

### Publication:

The draw and results will be posted on the Notice board at the Tournament venue and on our website at [www.chetwyndtennis.org](http://www.chetwyndtennis.org/)

### Protest:

Any protest or complaint must be made in writing, addressed to the Tournament Director and submitted within two (2)hrs of the incident.

### Dress Code:

Players shall present themselves for play in clean and customarily acceptable tennis attire.

### Unacceptable Attire

Sweatshirts, gym shorts, dress shirts, basketball attire, beachwear, any other inappropriate attire shall not be worn during a match. Approved tennis shoes must be worn at all times on the court.

### Doubles Teams

Members of a Doubles team shall be dressed in predominantly the same colours.

### Paramedic Support

Paramedic support will be available to players during the Tournament.

# ENTRY FORM

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| **Family Name** | **First Name** | **Contact Information** |
|  |  | **Home Phone:** |
| **Mailing Address** | **Office Phone:** |
|  | **Mobile Phone:** |
|  | **E-mail:** |
| **PLAYERS May Only Enter A Maximum Of Two (2) Events.** |
| Please ENTER me in the following events:1. Over 35 Men’s Open Singles □
2. Over 35 Men's B Singles □
3. Over 35 Men's Doubles □ Partner:
4. Over 50 Men's Singles □
5. Over 50 Men’s Doubles □ Partner:
6. Ladies Singles □
7. Ladies Doubles □ Partner:
8. Mixed Doubles □ Partner:
9. Men’s C Singles □
10. Ladies C Singles □
11. UWI Student Inv Men Singles □
12. UWI Student Inv Lad Singles □
13. UWI Student Inv Mix Doubles □ Partner Date of Birth:
 |
|  | **All Entries Must Be Made On This Official Form And Sent With Payment To:** **chetwyndtennis@gmail.com** **(for foreign players) OR IN:** |  |
| **South North** | Randy Bailey Davryl James | **East Tobago** | **Sarah Salandy Dr. Warren Steele** |
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| **Entries Must Be Received On Or Before The Closing Date Specified On Monday 10th April, 2017** |
| **Player's Signature** | **I declare to be aware of and will abide by the Rules and Regulations of the Chetwynds International Senior Tennis Tournament as stipulated in the attached Prospectus.** |
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| **Date** |  |

**Entr y Fees**

Senior events – Local - TT$150.00, International – USD$50

UWI Student Invitation – Non-Students – TT$100.00, UWI Students – Free (Student ID)

# INTERNATIONAL SENIOR TENNIS TOURNAMENT 2017

**RECEIPT**

Received from: The sum of (TT)/(US)$

For entry in the following events: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 (Circle the applicable number)

Date: Tournament Official: