SEPTEMBER 23RD,24TH,25TH,30THand OCTOBER 1ST, 2017

CONDITIONS OF PLAY

**Tournament Committee:**

*Tournament Director Ms.Allison Lutchman (496-3086)*

*TUATT Referee: Mrs. Colleen DeGannes (683-2234)*

*Tennis Member Kenny Boodosingh (784-4976 )*

*Players Representative Neil Lingo {759-9271}*

**Events:**

Boys’ and Girls’ Singles and Doubles: 10, 12, 14, 16 and 18 , and under.

1. Entry Fee per entrant is $40.00 and **MUST** be paid when submitting your entry form. TATT registration of $40.00 is also required if this is your first Tournament for 2017.
2. Competitors must not have attained the age of 10, 12, 14, 16 and 18 as at January 1st 2017 for entry into the respective age group categories.
3. The Committee may request a competitor to produce his or her birth certificate.
4. Closing date for entries is on Tuesday 19th September 5.00 p.m., at The St Augustine Recreation Club, #2 Mc Carthy, St Augustine. Entries would also be accepted at The St Augustine Recreation Club from 3.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. **ONLY** on the closing date. Players in the East may submit their entries to Ms. Allison Lutchman.and Kenny Boodoosingh, Players in the South may submit their entries to Mr. Roy Peters and players from the west can submit their forms to Jean Merry. The Draw would be made on Wednesday 20TH September, 2017. The Tournament starts on Saturday 23rd ,September, 2017. Doubles sign-in will close on Sunday24th ,September at 12.00 noon.
5. **Eligibility:** Entry is restricted to residents of Trinidad and Tobago. Non-citizens must have been resident in T&T for six (6) months immediately preceding the reference deadline date. **To be eligible for prizes, a player must have won a match in the Main Draw. Players retiring from a match must provide a valid medical that will enable him/her to play in other events.**
6. **Match Conditions: One singles and or One Doubles per player.**
7. Events with an entry of five (5) or less may be played in a Round-robin (RR) format. Depending on the size of the entries, the 10’s, 12’s and 14’s may play RR and then the top two (2) from each group would then proceed to a Knock-out Draw. In the RR, a Set would be played; first to six (6) with a Tie-break (TB) at 5-5, with No-Ad scoring.

**For the 14’s, 16’s and 18’s, all Main Draw matches will be the best of three Tie-break sets. With No –Ad scoring.**

In the Doubles’ events, where there are insufficient entries, age groups may be combined; e.g. 10 & 12’s. Also, in the Doubles, matches shall be two (2) Tie-break sets, and a Match Tie-break (10 point), in place of a third set.

**No-Ad scoring would be used throughout the Tournament.** Here, at deuce, the receiver has the choice of side for the deciding point of the game.

1. **All competitors are expected to attend the Opening Ceremony on Saturday 23rd, September, 2017 at 8:30 a.m.**
2. While every effort would be made to have the fixtures published in the newspapers, players are reminded that you are to check the notice board/referee before leaving the site, so as to know when your next match is. Players may be required to play three (3) matches in a day.
3. Competitors failing to be present within 15 minutes after their respective match is called may be defaulted.
4. Competitors are expected to wear proper tennis attire on the tennis court in accordance with the ITF Junior Circuit Regulations.
5. Competitors may be required to assist in the Tournament as court monitors, lines persons or ball boys.
6. Players will be allowed to wear the Sponsor’s T-shirt during play.
7. At the discretion of the Referee or Umpire, competitors may be penalized for violations committed on court - i.e. equipment abuse, verbal abuse, time wasting, audible obscenities etc. in accordance with the ITF Junior Circuit Code of Conduct.
8. The Committee reserves the rights, subject to the rules of tennis, to alter the above conditions in any way necessary for the Tournament.

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ENTRY FORM

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| Name: | Age:  Date of Birth: |
| Address: | Telephone contact:  Email contact: |
| School: | Boy 🛉 Girl🛊 |

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| small kids | Medium  Kids | Large  Kids | X Large  Kids | Small  adult |

**T-Shirt size:**

Competitors must not have attained the age of 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 as **of January 01st, 2017** for entry into the respective age group.

**Category**

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| Under 10 | Under 12 | Under 14 | Under 16 | Under 18 |

**DOUBLES**

My partner is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I agree that the above information is accurate and true and I will abide by the rules of the Tournament and observe the codes of conduct prescribed.

Participant’s signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Registration closes: Tuesday 19thSeptember, 2017.**