



## **YOUTH EUROPEAN OLYMPIC QUALIFICATION**

### **Novara (ITA), 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> of April 2010**

**AUTHORITY/  
ORGANIZERS:**

The Italian Table Tennis Federation (FITeT) under the authority granted by the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) and the European Table Tennis Union (ETTU) is organizing the Youth European Olympic Qualification Tournament.

**ELIGIBILITY:**

The tournament is open to all European National Olympic Committees (NOC), which must enter the players through the ETTU member Associations concerned. All players shall be eligible to represent their NOC in the Olympic Games according to the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and ITTF regulations.

**VENUE:**

Sporting Novara  
P. le Olimpico 2  
Novara (NO), Italy

**EVENTS:**

Boys and Girls singles

**SYSTEM OF PLAY:**

is attached.

Both events will be played best of seven games

**PROV. SCHEDULE:**

<b>Friday</b>	<b>Group stages</b>	<b>10 to 20 h</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Draw A</b>	<b>10 to 18 h</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Draw B</b>	<b>10 to 18 h</b>

**RULES/  
REGULATIONS:**

The tournament will be conducted in accordance with the current laws of table tennis, the regulations for International Competitions, the ETTU regulations part Y (Handbook 2009/2010) and the Regulations for Olympic Qualifying Tournaments agreed by the ETTU and the ITTF with the IOC.

**PLAYING  
CONDITIONS/  
PRACTICE:**

The tournament will be played in one hall with 8 tables. There will be a separate hall with 6 tables for practice.

Practice in the main venue is possible from Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> April from 10 a.m to 10 p.m.

**EQUIPMENT:**

The ITTF approved equipment for the tournament is as follows:

Tables: **BUTTERFLY –CENTERFOLD 25**

Nets: **BUTTERFLY**

Balls: **BUTTERFLY 3\*\*\* WHITE**

Flooring: **STAG**

**ENTRIES:**

For this Qualifying Tournament each NOC may enter up to 1 boy and 1 girl. In case an association has already qualified one boys and/or one girls they are no longer allowed to enter the boys and/or the girls category

**Final Entries (including seal and signature of the NOC) must be submitted on or before March 25<sup>th</sup> by e-mail, fax or letter to:**

**ETTU / Résidence “Casablanca”  
37, Esplanade de la Moselle  
L-6637 Wasserbillig  
Luxembourg  
e-mail: [ettu@pt.lu](mailto:ettu@pt.lu)  
FAX: +352 22 30 60**

Associations that will not participate are kindly requested to notify this decision also to ETTU. ETTU will only accept entry forms with the signature of a representative and the seal of the nominating NOC and which are received by letter on or before the closing date. In no circumstances will they accept entries not nominated by an eligible NOC. Entries arriving after the deadline will not be accepted regardless of the reason for the delay.

**OBLIGATIONS:**

The entry form contains a statement that the nominated players will compete against any other participating player. A mandated official of the nominating Association must sign this statement, and no entry form will be accepted unless such an undertaking has been given.

**VISA:**

All Associations needing an individual invitation letter for their delegation members to obtain the necessary entry visa to Italy should immediately contact the Italian Association.

**HOSPITALITY:** All participants (players, coaches, doctors, officials and accompanying guests) except referees, umpires and other person as invited by the ETTU has to pay their own costs for full board as follows:

**Single room:** 105 € per person per night

**Double room:** 95 € per person per night

You can pay the costs for full board in cash - Euro currency only is accepted - after arriving. Associations wishing to pay the cost in advance may do so, after receipt of our invoice to following bank account:

**BANK:** Banca Nazionale Del Lavoro – Sportello CONI  
Federazione Italiana Tennistavolo  
IBAN: IT80 D 01005 03309 0000000 10127  
SWIFT Code: BNLIITRR

**Full board includes:**

Accommodation in a 4\*\*\*\*-or 3\*\*\* sup. hotel with breakfast, lunch and dinner

Free transportation from Milano Malpensa Airport or Novara railway station to/from the venue/hotel at the day of arrival and departure.

Shuttle bus service to/from the venue/hotel.

**HOTEL:** LA BUSSOLA – MARESCHI PALACE – HOTEL ITALIA

**Cancellation fee:**

- For cancellations of rooms (after April 15, 2010) participants and delegation members will be charged with 80 Euro per person/day.

**ACCREDITATION:** Will be made on Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup> 2010 between 10,00 a.m. and 10,00 p.m. at the venue.

**DEADLINES:** Deadline 'preliminary entry form: March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010  
Deadline 'final entry form' and Statement: March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010  
Deadline 'hotel booking/official party: March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010  
Deadline 'travelling details' / all other forms: March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**Please note that no player entry will be accepted after the deadline  
March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010.**

*Of course associations wishing to exchange one of their players may do so but latest on or before April 10, 2010 by sending a new entry form with the seal and signature of their NOC.*

**DRAWS:** The draw for the groups will be conducted on Thursday April 15<sup>st</sup> 2010 at 07.00 p.m at the venue.

The draws for the different stages will be conducted as soon as possible after completion of the previous stage. They will be announced in due time.

**JURY MEETING:** The Jury will meet at the venue on Thursday, April 15<sup>st</sup> 2010 at 06.00 p.m.

**REFEREES AND UMPIRES:**

Referee: Antonella FLORI (ITA)

Deputy Referee: Matija KRNC (SVN)

The FITeT will invite sufficient international umpires by a separate letter.

**ANTI-DOPING:** Anti-doping control will be conducted in accordance with IOC, ITTF, and regulations.

The practical details are given in the note “Anti-Doping code and procedures”.

The ‘Medical Notification Form’ about administration of prohibited substances for all concerned players is attached.

The medical commission will deal with each case.

**Attachments:**

Preliminary Entry Form

Final Entry Form with Statement

Form ‘Hotel Booking/Official Party’

Form ‘Travelling Details’

Medical notification Form