



EUROPEAN TABLE TENNIS UNION
2020 LIEBHERR
ITTF European Table Tennis Championships
15th-20th September 2020, Warsaw, Poland



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1. Dates

Tuesday 15th September - Sunday 20th September 2020.

2. Authority

The Polish Table Tennis Federation under the authority of the European Table Tennis Union (ETTU) shall organise the 2020 LIEBHERR ITTF European Table Tennis Championships.

3. ETTU Executive Board

Mr. Ronald KRAMER, President
Mr. Ivo Goran MUNIVRANA, Deputy President
Mrs. Dorte DARFELT, Vice-President for Finances
Mrs. Heike AHLERT, Vice-President
Mr. Nikolas ENDAL, Vice-President
Mrs. Sonja GREFBERG, Vice-President
Mr. Pedro Miguel MOURA, Vice-President
Mr. Cristinel ROMANESCU, Vice-President
Ms. Galia DVORAK, member
Mr. Richard SCRUTON, Secretary General
Mr. Pierre KASS, Deputy Secretary General

4. Organiser

Organiser : Polish Table Tennis Federation
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E-mail : pzts@pzts.pl
Website : www.pzts.pl www.ettc2020.com
President : Mr. Dariusz Szumacher
Vice President : Mr. Zbigniew Leszczyński
Mr. Kamil Dziukiewicz
Treasurer: Mr. Grzegorz Kielar
Executive Board: Mr. Marek Zalewski
Mr. Sebastian Jagiełowicz
Mr. Piotr Anchim
Mr. Tadeusz Nowak
Mr. Michał Napierała
Mr. Robert Sikorski
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Organising Committee:

Tournament Director :	Mr. Dariusz Szumacher
Chief Operating and Marketing Officer :	Mr. Marcin Frej marcin.frej@pzts.pl
Chief Hospitality Officer :	Mr. Jakub Otyś jakub.otys@pzts.pl
Chief Financial Officer :	Mrs. Magdalena Cichocka
Press Officer :	Mr. Wojciech Adamczak
Press Office Assistant :	Ms. Marta Kapuścińska
Tournament Office Coordinator :	Mrs. Katarzyna Galińska
Tournament Office Assistant :	Ms. Dominika Gomoła
Executive Assistant :	Mr. Jakub Bagiński
Umpires & Referees Coordinator :	Mr. Marcin Fidała

5. Venue

Main Hall : Centralny Ośrodek Sportu Torwar

Address : Łazienkowska 6a street, 00-449 Warsaw, Poland

Website : www.torwar.cos.pl

Number of tables : 16

Open for practice : Sunday 13th Sep 2020 from 3:00 p.m till 10:00 p.m. and Monday 14th Sep 2020 from 8:00 a.m. till 10:00 p.m.

Practice Hall 1: additional training room in COS Torwar

Address : Łazienkowska 6a street, 00-449 Warsaw, Poland

Number of tables : 9

Open for practice: Sunday 13th Sep 2020 from 10:00 a.m till 10:00 p.m., from 14th to 19th Sep 2020 from 8:00 a.m. till 10:00 p.m., on 20th Sep from 8:00 a.m. till 6:00 p.m.

Practice Hall 2 (tent) : on the parking next to the COS Torwar

Address : Łazienkowska 6a street, 00-449 Warsaw, Poland

Number of tables : 12

Open for practice : Sunday 13th Sep 2020 from 10:00 a.m till 10:00 p.m., from 14th to 17th Sep 2020 from 8:00 a.m. till 10:00 p.m.

6. Eligibility

The championships shall be open for entry to all member Associations whose subscriptions are not in arrears. All players shall be eligible to represent their Associations in accordance with the provisions of ETTU Handbook article B.1.

Players not eligible under these provisions but having participated in the European Championships in 2018 or earlier are also eligible.

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7. Rules and Regulations

The tournament shall be played in accordance with the Laws of Table Tennis, the ITTF Regulations for International Competitions, and the ETTU Regulations part CI (<https://www.ettu.org/en/events/ittf-european-individual-championships-/regulations---documents/>)

8. Events and Title Holders

The championships shall include 5 individual events: men's singles, women's singles, men's doubles, women's doubles and mixed doubles.

Title Holders	
Men's singles	BOLL Timo (GER)
Women's singles	LI Qian (POL)
Men's doubles	HABESOHN Daniel/GARDOS Robert (AUT)
Women's doubles	MITTELHAM Nina/LANG Kristin (GER)
Mixed Doubles	FILUS Ruwen/HAN Ying (GER)

9. Entries

In singles events each Association shall be entitled to enter according to the results of the previous year's European Championships team events final stage and 2nd stage as follows:

Asociations in Position 1-8 :	5 players	M: GER, POR, FRA, SWE, SLO, AUT, ENG W: ROU, POR, HUN, FRA, NED, UKR, GER
Asociations in Position 9-16 (2nd in final stage groups) :	4 players	M: RUS, ROU, ESP, DEN, CRO, BLR, SRB, GRE W: ESP, ITA, BEL, CZE, AUT, SWE, RUS, LUX
Asociations in Position 17-24 (3rd in final stage groups) :	3 players	M: CZE, HUN, SVK, UKR, NED, LUX, BEL, TUR W: SVK, SLO, BLR, SRB, BUL, TUR, CRO, GRE
6 best placed Associations not proceeding to the final stage (from 2nd stage groups) :	3 players	M : LTU, SUI, ITA, ISR, FIN, BUL W : LTU, ENG, EST, SUI, AZE, ISR
All remaining Associations :	2 players	
Host Association :	5 players	POL

In case of vacant places, one place will be allocated firstly to the 14 Associations with 3 players according to the ranking positions of the Associations, secondly if there are remaining places one place will be allocated to Associations with 2 players according to the ranking positions of the Associations.

In doubles events the maximum entry for each Association shall be 4 players for men's doubles, 4 players for women's doubles and 2 men and 2 women players for mixed doubles; all players may be different. Doubles pairs may be formed by players from different Associations



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10. Online entries

Online entries will be open from **Friday 17 July 2020 until Monday 17th August 2020**.

ETTU online entry system will be used (<https://www.ttm.co.at/onlineentries/users/login>)

11. Substitutions

Associations can enter and modify their online entries until **Monday 17th August (deadline for final entries)**, including players who only can participate if vacant places are available. After **17th August** participation of these players, and if needed addition of players, will be considered and approved if vacant places are available. After the 17th August deadline, changes in the entries are possible until **Friday 11th September at 12:00 local time (CET)** by sending a request to the Competition Manager by email and copy to ETTU. In case of replacement of a player, the Association shall pay to the ETTU an administration fee of 100 €.

12. Playing system

Cl.11.1 There shall not be more than 64 places in the first round proper of a singles event nor more than 32 places in the first round proper of the men's doubles, women's doubles and mixed doubles events, unless otherwise authorised by the ETTU Executive Board

Cl.11.2 In singles events 32 seeded players shall be directly placed in the first round proper. All remaining players shall play in a qualification stage, played in groups of maximum 4 players.

Cl.11.3 In doubles events 16 seeded pairs shall be directly placed in the first round proper. All remaining pairs shall play in a knockout qualification stage.

Cl.11.4 All singles matches in the main draw shall be the best of 7 games, all singles matches in the qualification stage shall be the best of 5 games, all men's doubles, women's doubles and mixed doubles matches shall be the best of 5 games.

13. Default

The ITTF Ranking Default Policy applies for the entire tournament.

14. Draw and Jury meeting

The draw will be conducted on **Sunday 13th September 2020 commencing at 17:00** local time (CET) in **press conference room at the venue**.

The jury meeting will be held on **Monday 14th September 2020 commencing at 18:00** local time (CET) in **press conference room at the venue**.

15. Entry Fee

There shall be an entry fee of 50 € for each player of participating Associations, payable to ETTU.

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16. Referee Team :

Referee : MAZAEV Kirill (RUS)
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17. Chief Operating Officer

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18. Competition Manager

Competition manager: IVANČIN Alen
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19. Press Officer

Press Officer : ADAMCZAK Wojciech
Telephone : press@pzts.pl
E-mail address : +48 503 081 245

20. Equipment:

Tables : Tibhar Smash 28/R, color blue
Balls : NITTAKU
Flooring : Gerflor Taraflex Table Tennis 3.7, color framboise
Umpires tables : Nittaku/Donic
Scoreboards : Nittaku/Donic
Towel racks : Nittaku/Donic

21. Hospitality

Official Hotels :

Hotel** : Novotel Warszawa Centrum**

Address : Marszałkowska 94 street, 00-510 Warsaw, Poland
Price single room per day per person : 255 EUR/DAY
Price double room per day per person : 200 EUR/DAY
E-mail address : H3383-FO1@accor.com
Website : <https://all.accor.com/hotel/3383/index.en.shtml>

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Hotel* : Ibis Styles Warszawa Centrum**

Address : Zagórna 1a street, 00-441 Warsaw, Poland

Price single room per day per person : 195 EUR/DAY

Price double room per day per person : 175 EUR/DAY

E-mail address : HA1J0@ACCOR.COM

Website : <https://all.accor.com/hotel/A1J0/index.en.shtml>

Number of rooms in Ibis Styles Warszawa Centrum Hotel is limited to 40 single rooms and 30 double rooms. First booked first served.

Accommodation details deadline : Monday 17th August 2020

Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be served at the hotel. Airport/hotel transfer are included.

Information for room bookings regarding number of persons, single/double rooms should be provided till Monday 17th August 2020 while information regarding arrival/departure dates should be provided till Wednesday 2nd September 2020.

An Association cancelling a person of their announced delegation after the deadline of the final entries up to 15 days before the championships starts (till 31st August 2020) has to pay a cancellation fee of 100 € per person to the organising Association.

An Association cancelling a person of their announced delegation during the last 15 days before the championships (after 31st August 2020) or arriving with less persons than announced, has to pay 100 % of the hospitality costs for every person and for the whole period this person was initially booked.

22. Transport

Official airport : Warsaw Chopin Airport (WAW), Żwirki i Wigury street, 00-001 Warsaw,

Official railway station : Central Warsaw Railway Station, Jerozolimskie 54 Avenue, 00-024 Warsaw,

Transport details deadline: Wednesday 2nd September 2020

23. Payment

Payment has to be made by covering all bank fees in connection with the bank transfers.

Account name holder : Polish Table Tennis Association

Bank : PEKAO S.A.

Postal address of bank : Jasna 1 street, 00-950 Warsaw, Poland

IBAN number : PL 13 1240 6175 1978 0000 4567 4549

Swift-BIC number : PKOPPLPW

Deadline for payment : Monday 24th August 2020

24. Medical

Permanent medical service (first aid and physiotherapist) will be provided in the hall from Sunday 13th September till the end of the Championships on Sunday 20th September evening.

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25. Head of medical service

Head of medical service :

Telephone :

E-mail address :

This is being confirmed in conjunction with the Covid-19 Protocol

26. COVID-19 protocol

The welfare of players, coaches, officials, staff, volunteers and everyone working and attending the European Championships are of the utmost importance and priority. ETTU and the Polish Table Tennis Federation are completing the Covid-19 Protocol taking advice from the Polish Government and liaising with ITTF in terms of WHO (World Health Organisation) recommendations. The COVID-19 Protocol will be released in August as soon as there is further information and all elements of the event have been considered including transport, hotels, venue, court and table cleaning, training hall and call area requirements etc.

27. Insurance

By entering the event, each Association must ensure that all delegation members have **medical, travel and other appropriate insurance**.

Please check insurance policy to ensure cover with anything Covid-19 related for your country.

28. Visa

Associations needing a visa for entering Poland are kindly requested to address their wishes to : Mr. Jakub Otyś; email: jakub.otys@pzts.pl; +48 664 121 258. National association should provide as soon as possible full name, nationality, passport number and expiry date, date and place of birth each person requesting for visa.

29. Accreditation

For **all teams and delegates** accreditation will be in: Novotel Warszawa Centrum Hotel from 12th to 14th September 2020 from 8:00 a.m. till 10:00 p.m and in Tournament Office at the venue from 15th to 20th September 2020 from 8:00 a.m. till 10:00 p.m.

Media accreditation will be in Tournament Office at the venue from 14th to 20th September 2020 from 8:00 a.m. till 10:00 p.m.

Accreditation requests : For accreditation purposes every player, coach and official delegate are kindly asked to send a good quality photograph of himself or herself to Mr. Jakub Otyś (Chief Hospitality Officer) - jakub.otys@pzts.pl as soon as possible.

30. Information for players

By entering the event, players agree to abide by all ITTF and ETTU rules and regulations. All entered Associations and individual players agree to be under the auspices of the ETTU 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.



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31. 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 Regulations 3.5.3.

32. ETTU Congress

The ETTU Congress will take place on Wednesday 16th September 2020 commencing at 9:30 local time (CET) at the Novotel Warszawa Centrum Hotel.

33. Tickets :

Tickets are available at : www.ettc2020.com

Tickets sell will start as soon as it's possible in reference to Polish national COVID-19 regulation.

34. Video

Each participating Association will be allowed to use one video camera for recording matches of their own players. For using other video cameras a fee of 20 EUR shall be paid for the period of the Championships. Video is only for own use. It is forbidden to post videos online, because all rights belong to Sportradar.

35. Privacy policy

By registering and entering the LIEBHERR 2020 ITTF European Table Tennis Championships, each registered and entered person agrees and gives his/her consent to the ETTU Privacy Policy as laid down on the ETTU website (<http://www.ettu.org/en/about-ettu/privacy-policy/>).

36. Individual World Table Tennis Championships

The Continental Stage of the 2021 World Table Tennis Championships will be the 2020 Liebherr ITTF European Championships, Warsaw POL.

There will not be a European Regional Stage.

Players wishing to compete in the Individual World Table Tennis Championships Finals must have participated in their respective Continental Stage (European Championships) other than in exceptional circumstances (see exemption policy).

37. Deadlines :

Final Entries :	Monday 17th August 2020
Accommodation details deadline :	Monday 17th August 2020
Traveling details deadline :	Wednesday 2nd September 2020
Changes/Substitutions deadline :	Friday 11th September 2020 at 12:00 CET

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