





PROSPECTUS - 2022 EUROPE UNDER 13 CHALLENGE

1. Dates

Thursday 16th June - Sunday 19th June 2022.

2. Authority

Table Tennis Association of Montenegro, under the authority of the European Table Tennis Union (ETTU), shall organize the 2022 Europe Under 13 Challenge

3. Organizer

Montenegro Table Tennis Association

Address: Hotel Voco, Ul. Oktoih br. 2, 81000 Podgorica

E-mail: <u>stscg1955@gmail.com</u>

4. Venue

Venue : Sport Hall of Hotel Voco

Address: Oktoih 2, Podgorica 81000, Montenegro

Website: http://verdecomplex.com/index.php/sportska-dvorana/

Competition tables: 16

Open for practice: **15.06.2022.**

5. Practice hall:

Practice Hall 1: Balloon Hall of Hotel Voco

Address: Oktoih 2, Podgorica 81000, Montenegro

Number of tables: 12

Open for practice: **15.06.2022.**

6. General schedule:

Thursday 16th June : Mixed Teams Groups 1st Stage
Friday 17th June : Mixed Teams Groups 2nd Stage

Saturday 18th June: U13BS/U13GS group stage, Mixed Teams 3rd Stage

Sunday 19th June: U13BS/U13GS Main Draw

7. Eligibility

The European U-13 Challenge shall be open for entry to all member Associations whose subscriptions are not in arrears. All players must be eligible to represent their Associations in accordance with the provisions of article ETTU Regulation B.1.2. of the ETTU Handbook.

U13 players shall be under 13 years of age on the 31st December immediately before the start of the year in which the tournament take place (players born on or after 01.01.2009. and younger)







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8. Events

Mixed Teams

U-13 Boys Singles (U13BS)

U-13 Girls Singles (U13GS)

9. Entries

Associations may enter only 1 team (2 boys and 2 girls)

Each Association (including the host association) shall be entitled to enter up to 4 players, consisting of not more than 2 players participating in boys events, 2 players participating in girls events.

10. Entry Fee

The entry fee paid to the Organising Association shall be 60 € for each participating Team and 20 € for each player, payable to the ETTU.

11. Online entries

Online entries will be open from

Monday 18.04.2022.

to Monday 16.05.2022.

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

12. Substitutions

Associations can enter and modify their online entries until **Monday 16.05.** (deadline for final entries). After 16.05. deadline, changes in the entries are possible until Monday 13.06. at 12:00 local time (CET) by sending a request to the Competition Manager by email and copy to the ETTU office.

13. Playing system

Team Event:

Team composition: Each team consists of 2 boys and 2 girls

Match Order	Team A	vs	Team B	NOTE
Match 1	XD	vs	XD	no restriction
Match 2	A1 Girl	VS	B1 Girl	players not playing XD
Match 3	A1 Boy	VS	B1 Boy	players not playing XD
Match 4	A2 Girl	VS	B2 Girl	players playing XD match
Match 5	A2 Boy	vs	B2 Boy	players playing XD match







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All five matches will be played. Result of the team match can be 5:0, 4:1, 3:2.

5:0 win 5 points
4:1 win 4 points
3:2 win 3 points
2:3 loss 2 points
1:4 loss 1 point
0:5 loss 0 points

Playing system - up to 32 teams

Stage 1 - Round Robin:

All teams shall play in a qualification stage 1 in groups of 3 or 4 players (round robin).

The winner and runner up of each group will qualify for the 2nd Stage A-Division, while the 3rd and 4th team from each group will play 2nd stage B division.

Stage 2 - Round Robin:

A-division: 4 groups by 4 teams, round robin. The winner of each group will qualify for the

SF

B-division: 4 groups by 3 or 4 teams, round robin. The winner of each group will qualify for the

SF

Stage 3 - Progressive KO draw of 4

Position 1-4: Division A winners of the group

Position 5-8: Division A runner up of the groups

Position 9-12: Division A 3rd ranked teams in the group

Position 13-16: Division A 4th ranked teams in the group

Position 17-20 : Divisons B winners of the group

Position 21-24: Divisons B runner up of the groups

Position 25-28 : Divisons B 3rd ranked teams in the group

Position 29-32 : Divisons B 4th ranked teams in the group

Semifinal and Final matches for all positions - all matches are played best of 5, until the 3rd win of one team.







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Playing system - 33-40 teams

Stage 1 - Round Robin:

All teams shall play in a qualification stage 1 in groups of 3 or 4 players (round robin).

The winner and runner up of each group will qualify for the 2nd Stage Main Draw, while the 3rd and 4th ranked team from each group will play 2nd stage Consolation Draw

Stage 2 - progresive KO draw of 32:

In the Main Draw and Consolation Stage all matches is played best of 5, until the 3rd win of one team.

Singles events:

All players shall play in a qualification stage in groups of 3 or 4 players. The winner and runner of each group will qualify for the Main Draw, while the 3rd and 4th ranked player from each group will play Consolation Draw.

14. Draw and Jury meeting

The draw for team events will take place in Podgorica on Wednesday, 15.06.2022. at 15:00

The first draws for individual events will be on Thursday, **16.06.2022.** at **13:00**Seeding for team events shall be based on the **14th June 2022 U13 World Youth Rankings** taking into consideration number of individual ranking points for all 4 players who is playing in team.

Seeding for the individual events shall be based on the **14th June 2022 U13 World Youth Rankings**. The Ranking Committee may give special seeding positions to players not having competed at a minimum of eight (8) competitions within the appropriate age group. The National Association of the player must send a written request to the Competition Manager and to the ETTU Ranking Committee within three (3) days after the final entry deadline.

The Jury meeting with team delegates will take place at the venue on **Wednesday 15.06.2022.** at **19:00** in the Hotel Voco.

15. Referees and Umpires

Referee: TSIPOU Maria (GRE)

Deputy Referees : MATIJEVIĆ Spasoje (CRO)

TBD







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16. Tournament Director

Tournament director: ROGIĆ Sunčica
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17. Competition Manager

Competition manager: IVANČIN Alen
Telephone: +385 99 2065844

E-mail address : competition@ettu.org

18. Equipment:

Tables: Stag/Americas 16/Blue
Balls: Joola Flash 40+ *** white

Nets: STAG Snap on

Flooring : Gerflor taraflex/red

19. Hospitality

Official Hotel 1:

Hotel***** Hotel Voco Podgorica

Address: Oktoih 2, Podgorica 81000, Montenegro

Price single room per day per person : 145 €
Price double room per day per person : 135 €
Price triple room per day per person : 125 €

E-mail address : reception@vcpodgorica.com

Website: https://www.ihg.com/voco/hotels/us/en/podgorica/tgdpa/hoteldetail

Official Hotel 2:

Hotel***: Hotel Verde

Address: Oktoih 2, Podgorica 81000, Montenegro

Price single room per day per person : 130 €
Price double room per day per person : 120 €
Price triple room per day per person : 110 €

E-mail address : reception@vcpodgorica.com







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Umpire's hotel:

Hotel: Hotel Verde

Address: Oktoih 2, Podgorica 81000, Montenegro

E-mail address : reception@vcpodgorica.com

Accommodation details deadline: Monday, 23.05.2022.

An Association cancelling a person of their announced delegation after the deadline of the final entries up to 15 days before the tournament starts (until the 02.06.2022.) and arriving with less persons than announced 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 tournament (after 02.06.2022) and arriving with less persons than announced has to pay 100 % of the hospitality costs for every whole person period, this person was initially booked.

20. Hospitality costs payment

Official accommodation package costs can be paid in advance by a bank transfer to the following account:

Account name holder: STONOTENISKI SAVEZ CRNE GORE

Bank: HIPOTEKARNA BANKA AD, Podgorica, Montenegro

IBAN number : ME25520042000000792502

Swift-BIC number: HBBAMEPGXXX

Important note:

in case of payment via bank transfer, an invoice must be paid no later than 23.05.2022.

21. Transport

There is no mandatory arrival day.

The Organizer will provide transport from the Podgorica Airport to the official hotel and return free of charge.

Traveling details deadline: 23.05.2022.

22. Medical

Permanent medical service (first aid and physiotherapist) will be provided in the hall during the whole period of the Championships (15.06.-19.06.)







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23. Hygienic Guidelines

Hygienic Guidelines will be published no later than 30.05.2022.

24. Insurance

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

25. 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 event. Video is only for your own use. It is forbidden to post videos online because all rights belong to Sportradar.

26. Visa

Associations needing a visa for entering Montenegro are kindly requested to address their wishes to: Suncica Rogic; email: **stscg1955@gmail.com**; tel:+38267867533. 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.

27. Accreditation

For all teams Accreditation will be in the: Hotel Voco, Podgorica Working hours of accreditation office: 15.06.-19.06.2022. from 10:00-20:00

28. 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 the coverage listed above may be subject to suspension or dismissal from the competition.

29. 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.







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30. Privacy policy

By registering and entering the European Under 13 Challenge, 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/).

31. Players names on the shirts

Printed names on the shirts are not mandatory for the players. Back numbers will be used.

32. Deadlines:

Final Entries : Monday, 16.05.2022.

Accommodation details deadline : Monday, 23.05.2022.

Traveling details deadline : Monday, 23.05.2022.

Changes/Substitutions deadline: Monday, 13.06.2022. at 12:00 local time (CEST)