



PROSPECTUS



5th Gujarat State Ranking Table Tennis Tournament 2021

Organised by

TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION OF BARODA

Under The Aegis Of

GUJARAT STATE TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

VENUE

Sama Indoor Sports Complex, VMSS, Vadodara.

DATE

20th to 22nd November, 2021

EVENTS

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| ✘ Men's Singles | ✘ Women's Singles |
| ✘ Junior (U-19) Boys Singles | ✘ Junior (U-19) Girls Singles |
| ✘ Junior (U-17) Boys Singles | ✘ Junior (U-17) Girls Singles |
| ✘ Sub-Junior (U-15) Boys Singles | ✘ Sub-Junior (U-15) Girls Singles |
| ✘ Cadet (U-13) Boys Singles | ✘ Cadet (U-13) Girls Singles |

FEES

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| ◆ GSTTA Annual Registration Fees per Player | ₹ 200/- |
| ◆ Entry Fees for Senior Category | ₹ 600/- |
| ◆ Entry Fees for All other Categories | ₹ 500/- |

: FINAL ENTRIES CLOSE ON :

For Player : 14th November, 2021

For District Association : At 12 noon on 15th November, 2021

Last date to Withdraw the Entry : 18th November, 2021

Entries should be sent to the following...

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RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Only players registered with GSTTA for the year 2021 can participate in the Tournament.
2. All the matches will be played in accordance with the rules and regulations for State Ranking Tournaments adopted by GSTTA.
3. All entries must be submitted in the entry form attached mentioning the date of birth of player (Incomplete entry form will not be accepted). Entry fees are non-refundable. The Tournament / Technical Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry without assigning any reason.
4. **Age Eligibility:**
 - (a) **The Junior (Under-19) Boys & Girls** event shall be open only to players **born on or after 01.01.2003.**
 - (b) **The Junior (Under-17) Boys and Girls** event shall be open only to players **born on or after 01.01.2005.**
 - (c) **The Sub-Junior (Under-15) Boys and Girls** event shall be open only to players **born on or after 01.01.2007.**
 - (d) **The Cadet (Under-13) Boys and Girls** event shall be open only to players **born on or after 01.01.2009.**
5. Players should bring Original Birth Certificate issued by Municipal Corporation / School for verification if required.
6. Tournament Committee / Technical Committee reserves the right to cancel an event, and to change the draw and timing of the matches, if required.
7. The regulations for alteration of the draw will inter-alia be according to the TTFI Regulations as adopted by GSTTA.
8. The Tournament will be played as per the latest rules and regulations for ranking Tournament as framed by GSTTA. The decision of the Tournament/ Technical Committee will be final and binding on all players.
9. Entries close on **14th November, 2021** for players and at **12 noon on 15th November, 2021** for District Associations.
10. **ITTF approved 3 Star STIGA Perform balls will be used in the Tournament.**
11. All official Communication/Draw shall be displayed at the venue before the start of tournament and that alone shall be the official communication in all respects. This Tournament will be treated as Ranking Tournament and Points shall be awarded as per GSTTA guidelines.
12. Seeding will be announced at the tournament venue through Open Draw (for Top-8 ranked players) system.
13. The matches will be played in two stages i.e. Stage-I – Round Robin and Stage-II – Knock Out. This is only applicable if the number of entries in a particular event is more than 32. If not, then there will be Knock Out stage only.

14. The Cadet (Under-13) events shall be conducted irrespective of the number of entries received. However, in the remaining compulsory events, the minimum number of entries shall be 16 except in events Womens Singles, Junior (Under-19) Girls Singles, Junior (Under-17) Girls Singles, Junior (Under-15) and Girls Singles where it shall be eight.
15. Players will be allowed to participate in the next 2 higher categories. To be eligible to play in 3rd category the player should be in the top 8 in the category preceding the one in which the player wants to participate.
16. The **Tentative Schedule** will be as follows :

20.11.2021	09:00 am	Group Qualification Rounds of All Categories
21.11.2021	09:00 am	Main Draw (Stage-II Knockout) of All Categories
22.11.2021	09:00 am	All remaining matches followed by Award and closing ceremony

Final Schedule will be announced and declared after closing date of entries.

17. Prize Money in the State Ranking Tournaments 2021 :

STATE RANKING TOURNAMENTS			
Category	Winner	Runner	Third
Mens Singles	₹ 7,000/-	₹ 5,000/-	₹ 3,500/-
Womens Singles	₹ 7,000/-	₹ 5,000/-	₹ 3,500/-
Junior (Under-19) Boys	₹ 4,000/-	₹ 3,000/-	₹ 2,000/-
Junior (Under-19) Girls	₹ 4,000/-	₹ 3,000/-	₹ 2,000/-
Junior (Under-17) Boys	₹ 3,500/-	₹ 2,500/-	₹ 1,500/-
Junior (Under-17) Girls	₹ 3,500/-	₹ 2,500/-	₹ 1,500/-
Sub-Junior (Under-15) Boys	₹ 3,000/-	₹ 2,000/-	₹ 1,000/-
Sub-Junior (Under-15) Girls	₹ 3,000/-	₹ 2,000/-	₹ 1,000/-
Cadet (Under-13) Boys	₹ 3,000/-	₹ 2,000/-	₹ 1,000/-
Cadet (Under-13) Girls	₹ 3,000/-	₹ 2,000/-	₹ 1,000/-
Total	₹ 41,000/-	₹ 29,000/-	₹ 18,000/-
Total Prize Money: ₹ 88,000/-			

18. All the participating players should have registered with GSTTA for their entries to be accepted. Players should pay a registration fee of Rs. 200/- towards registration fee for the year 2021 along with the entry fees in the first tournament they play in the calendar year.
19. Payment of Entry Fees : District Associations should ensure that all players pay the entry fees as failing to do so will result in the player's name being deleted from the system after the deadline. This is as per the decision taken at the AGM of GSTTA.

20. The participating players should compulsorily wear shoes with Non-Marking sole in the Field Of Play/Arena during matches as the flooring of the hall is synthetic.
21. By entering into an event, players agree to abide by all rules and regulations of GSTTA and the Organizing Committee. All associations and individual players agree to be under the auspices of the GSTTA and its agents in all matters concerning television coverage, video, internet, webcasting, 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 webcasting coverage, video and motion picture coverage and photographic coverage of any kind. A participant's refusal to the above listed coverage may attract suspension or dismissal from the competition.
22. All players will have to make their own arrangement for Lodging and Boarding.
23. Any violation of rules/indiscipline by players, players coach, player's parents / guardian can result in immediate dismissal from the tournament
24. The decision of Tournament/Technical Committee shall be final in all matters connected with the tournament.

Safety Procedures and Protocols to be observed during competitive play

◆ **Before Entering Stadium :**

1. It is mandatory for all participating players who are above 18 years of age to be vaccinated. They will have to submit the certificate before participation.
2. Players who are Under-18 **will have to carry an RT-PCR Test Report. Covid negative report** for RT-PCR test done **48 Hrs** before arrival at the stadium should be shown at the entrance of the venue.
3. **Aarogya Setu App** must have been installed.
4. Only Participating players, coaches, Technical officials and Tournament Committee members will be allowed to enter/exit the stadium from the designated areas (Same entry and exit will not be allowed).
5. Parents / spectators will not be allowed to enter into the stadium.
6. Carry Sanitizer, extra Masks, Tissue paper, Plastic/ Polythene bags to keep used tissue), Drinking water and Snacks.
7. Avoid outside food or drinking water.
8. Avoid public transport.
9. Don't touch the hand rails of the staircase.
10. Always maintain physical distance of 6 feet/ 2 meters.
11. Don't touch/carry each other's bags.
12. Show your Aarogya Setu App & Get your temperature and Pulse O2 checked at the entrance.
13. Sanitize hands before and after checking at the entrance.
14. Open the door with your shoulder/tissue paper when you have to push & use tissue paper when you have to pull.
15. Always keep used tissue paper in the plastic / polythene bag till you discard it in the waste paper bin.

◆ **After entering Stadium & while waiting for your match :**

1. Keep your bags on the floor.
2. Keep distance of 6 feet/2 meters from others.
3. Keep wearing mask till you enter the arena.
4. Do not share personal belongings like Napkins, water bottle snacks etc with others.
5. If you have to go to chief referee's table, maintain physical distance.
6. Do not enter the arena before previous players and umpire leaves.
7. Maintain physical Distance while seeing the draws or reporting to the chief referee.

◆ **While Playing :**

1. Enter the arena from different sides.
2. Remove your mask only after entering the playing arena and keep it on your pocket or in the kit bag.
3. Keep the kit bags in designated area, just outside the partitions.
4. Maintain physical distance at the time of the Toss and while confirming the name of the winner on the score sheet.
5. While examining Rackets before the play, never handover the racket to the other player. Show it from across the Table.
6. Sanitize Ball and Racket before playing.
7. Sanitize hands before and after playing
8. Both the players will be given separate balls for serving, which would be marked. Use the ball given to you by the umpire for serving.
9. Do not touch your opponent's ball. Return the opponent's ball using racket.
10. The winner should confirm the name in the Score Sheet.
11. Do not touch the Table.
12. Use tissue paper to wipe sweat or dust from the Table.
13. Immediately dispose of the used paper napkin in the dust bin.
14. Do not share playing equipment
15. In case of coughing or sneezing, turn away from others and do it in your sleeve or elbow.
16. Before crossing sides, ensure that the Table Umpire first leaves the arena and then each player should cross from his left side.
17. Do not shake hands or touch opponent in any way. You can use your racket instead.
18. Put on your mask before leaving the arena.
19. Remove your bag when you leave the arena.

◆ **While using Wash Rooms :**

1. Open the door using the tissue paper.
2. Use sanitization spray for toilet seats and cover.
3. Keep wearing mask while using the toilet.
4. Never Flush while the toilet cover is open. Flush only after closing the cover.
5. Wash your hands with soap or use sanitizer.
6. Do not use blow dryer. Use tissue paper.
7. Use tissue to open the door.
8. Again use sanitizer after coming out of the wash room.

Date : 26/10/2021

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Hon. Secretary
GSTTA