



ITSF

**2009
TABLE SOCCER
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES
on**



March 19th - March 22nd

**Center Parcs
De Kempervennen
Kempervennendreef 8
5563 VB Westerhoven
Netherlands**



EVENT PRESENTATION

The Dutch Table Soccer Federation is proud to bring you the 2009 Tecball Table Soccer World Championship Series event, which will take place at:

**Center Parcs Kempervennen
(Sport Accomodatie)
in Valkenswaard near Eindhoven
March 19th to March 22nd, 2009**

This major competition is part of the International Table Soccer Federation (ITSF) World Tour. It benefits from the partnership with the **Center Parcs** as well as **Jupiler (Inbev)**.

More than 300 players from 15 countries and hundreds of spectators are expected for this international event.

10 World Championship series titles are up for grabs:

Open Singles	Junior Singles
Open Doubles	Junior Doubles
Open Mixed	Senior Singles
Women's Singles	Senior Doubles
Women's Doubles	National Team

The German Team, who won the National Teams Competition last year, will try to hold on to their title this year again. You will find details of this competition together with a registration form at the end of this document.

Other competitions will also be organized:

- 4 Daily events: Thursday: Goalie War: try scoring from the 2-rod Friday: D.Y.P. (Draw Your Partner): Drawing of team members. Saturday: Forward Shoot Out: try scoring from the 3-rod Sunday: 2-ball roller ball: Matches played with 2 balls at the same time **(only for players not in competition anymore those days)**
- 2 Doubles competitions: 1 Pro and 1 Non Pro to take place on Thursday
- 1 Singles competition for Non Pro players on Sunday

The **Tecball** Company will provide the event with 65 tables.

All games will be free (tables are not coin operated)

REGISTRATION

The wearing of sportswear is required of all participants.

PLAYERS MUST WRITE THEIR LICENCE NUMBER AND THEIR CURRENT SERIES STATUS ON THE INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION FORM. OTHERWISE THE REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE VALID.

Only foreign players can register without a license number. Nevertheless, for good functioning considerations and to avoid any error, it is recommended to provide the ITSF number. This number is available on the ITSF official website, in the column "rankings".

The deadline for sending registrations is set to:

MONDAY, March 2nd, 2009
(Postal receipts are accepted as proof).

No registration forms will be accepted after that date.

An annex will be sent to ITSF member federations for the Table Soccer National Teams Competition. Identical clothing for National Teams showing their country name is eligible.

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CATEGORIES AND ENTRY FEES

I – Categories: Special cases

- For both Singles and Doubles, Women and Seniors (over 50 years old on January 1st 2009) must choose between playing in the Open categories (OS, OD) or in their specific categories (WS, WD, SS, SD): **they cannot play in both.**
- For Singles, Juniors (under 18 years old on January 1st 2009), must choose between playing the Open Category (OS) or in their specific category (JS).
Registration is free for junior players.
- The Pro Doubles events are reserved specifically for Elite/Master-level players. In the same way, the Non Pro Doubles and Singles events are reserved for the Non Pro level players.
- **Only Master/ Elite Women or Junior players can choose to play the Non Pro Doubles and Singles events (Non Pro fees will be applied). Elite and Master players cannot play in the Non Pro events and Non Pros cannot play in the Pro Doubles event.**

II – Packages

- Elite/Master Package (**Elite and Master Seniors included**):
1 Single*, 1 Double**, Open Mixed, Pro Double
- Non Pro/Women Package (**Elite and Master Women included**): 1 Single*,
1 Double**, Open Mixed, Non Pro Doubles, Non Pro Singles***

(*) 1 Single = Open, Women's, Senior OR Junior Singles

(**) 1 Double = Open, Women's, Senior

(***) Juniors can play Open Doubles but not Non Pro Singles

III – Entry Fees (1)

Entry fees at tournament are added in all registrations except fixed package and are calculated according the three following contributions:

- *Refereeing: The expenses of refereeing are about 5 euro. They are to compensate the referees approved by the ITSF.*
- *Tournament fee: The amount assigned for organization of the competition is 20 euro. This sum is fixed, package or off-package.*
- *Subsidies: The completeness of the expenses of registration is assigned to the subsidies.*

III – Entry Fees (2)

Elite Package: €110
Non Pro Package / Women Package: €90
Senior Package: €50
Junior Package: €25

OFF PACKAGE FEES (*):

Category/ Level	OS	OD	OM	Pro D	NPD	NPS
Elite/Master	€ 35	€ 35	€ 35	€ 35	X	X
NonPro/Women	€ 25	€ 25	€ 25	X	€ 25	€ 25
Junior	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	X

OS = Open Singles OD = Open Doubles OM = Open Mixed NP = Non Pro

Category/ Level	JS	JD	WS	WD	SS	SD
Elite/Master	Free	Free	€ 25	€ 25	Free	Free
NonPro/Women	Free	Free	€ 25	€ 25	Free	Free
Junior	Free	Free	X	X	X	X

W = Women J = Junior 1st S = Senior 2nd S = Singles D = Doubles

(*) For non package registration 25€ will be added only once for contributing in the expenses of competition and refereeing

DAILY EVENTS

- The indicated rates above concern all the competitions except the Daily events (FSO, GW, DYP, 2-BALL).
- Registration for these events is only possible if you are not competing in a competition that day at 15:00 hours. At that time registration closes.
- Per daily event the entry fee is 10€. The first 4 places will be awarded a percentage of the registration fee (90%) is paid out.

1st place: 40%
2nd place: 25%
3rd place: 15%
4th place: 10%

TOP SEEDS

I – Top Seeds in Open Singles

- Total number of Top Seeds: **16 players**
- The first 8 foreign players in the ITSF Ranking are designated as the first 8 Top Seeds.
- 8 Wild Cards (ranks 9 to 16) are attributed to the first 8 players in the NTVB Singles Championship

In case of withdrawal from a player holding a Wild Card, his rank will be awarded to the next player in the NTVB Singles Championship

II – Top Seeds in Open Doubles

- Total number of Top Seeds: **16 teams**
- The first 8 teams in the ITSF Doubles Ranking are designated as the first 8 Top Seeds.
- 8 Wild Cards (ranks 9 to 16) are given to the best 8 teams assigned by the NTVB National Team Commission

DOTATIONS

	Open Doubles	Open Singles	Mixed Open	Women Doubles	Women Singles	Pro Doubles
1 st	€ 1000	€ 500	€ 300	€ 300	€ 200	€ 500
2 nd	€ 700	€ 350	€ 200	€ 200	€ 150	€ 300
3 rd	€ 500	€ 250	€ 150	€ 150	€ 100	€ 200
4 th	€ 350	€ 175	€ 100	€ 100	€ 60	€ 150
5-8	€ 250	€ 125	€ 60	€ 60	€ 40	€ 100
9-16	€ 150	€ 75				
17-32	€ 50	€ 25				

	Non Pro Doubles	Non Pro Singles	Senior Doubles	Senior Singles	Junior Doubles	Junior Singles
1 st	€ 400	€ 200	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy
2 nd	€ 300	€ 150	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy
3 rd	€ 200	€ 100	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy
4 th	€ 150	€ 75				
5-8	€ 100	€ 50				
9-16	€ 60	€ 30				

NATIONAL TEAMS COMPETITION at the WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

Team Composition

A regular national team is made up of 8 players (6 men and 2 women).

- Beside the 8 regular players, each team can have 2 (and only 2) reserve players (1 man and 1 woman) who will be able to rotate with regular team members, but note that no changes of players will be allowed within 2 hours before each game. So there can not be more than 8 different players' names (6 men and 2 women) on the score sheet.
- The minimum number of players allowed in a team is 5. If there is no woman in a team, then the Women's Singles and Doubles matches will be forfeited, and that team will automatically lose the points for those 2 matches.

Competition format

- The competition is played with a system of direct elimination.
- When 2 teams meet, they play 8 matches against each other: 4 matches in Singles followed by 4 matches in Doubles.
- A match consists of 1 game of 7 points. The match must be won by two clear points.
- If, at the end of the encounter, both teams have won an equal number of matches (4 each), an extra match will be played in Doubles, to be played by 2 players of each team who have not yet taken part in Singles.

Games will be played in the following order - 2 matches will take place at the same time (see score sheet)

- Singles 1 (S1) and Women's Singles (S2)
- Singles 3 (S3) and Singles 4 (S4)
- Doubles 1(D1) and Women's Doubles (D2)
- Doubles 3 (D3) and Doubles 4 (D4)

For the draw, 4 nations will be designated as top 'Seeds':

- The host country
- 3 nations designated by the tournament director and the ITSF Delegate as the best nations playing on the tournament's Official Table. Note that starting in 2008, the World Ranking of Nations will be used to designate these 3 nations.

REGISTRATION FORM – NATIONAL TEAMS

----- Country -----

Name:

----- Coach -----

(Not necessarily a Team member)

Name:

Last Name:
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----- Women -----

Player 1

.....
Name:

Last Name:

Player 2

Name:

Last Name:

Reserve Player

Name:

Last Name:

E-mail or fax form to:
worldseriestecball@ntvb.nl
+31-(0)84 – 7459998

----- Men -----

Player 1

Name:

Last Name:

Player 2

Name:

Last Name:

Player 3

Name:

Last Name:

Player 4

Name:

Last Name:

Player 5

Name:

Last Name:

Player 6

Name:

Last Name:

Reserve player:

Name:

Last Name:

PACKAGE REGISTRATION FORM (fax +31-(0)84-745998 or e-mail worldseriestecball@ntvb.nl)

01. IDENTITY

Last Name * : _____ Country * : _____
First Name * : _____ ITSF License Number * : _____

Category * :

Open (+ 18 y) Woman Senior (+ 50 y) Junior (- 18 y)

Level* :

Elite/Master Non Pro

* Compulsory mention

02. CHOOSE YOUR PACKAGE (info about packages please see pages 4 & 5)

Master/Elite Package : 110 €* Non Pro or Woman Package : 90 €*

Senior Package : 50 €* Junior Package : 25 €*

* include 25 € (referee and competition fee)

03. CHOOSE YOUR COMPETITIONS (see page 3 for info about packages)

CAUTION >> Women and Juniors Elite or Master could play Non Pro events instead of Pro when desired

<p>Open Mixed Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p> <p>+ 1 DOUBLE :</p> <p>Pro Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Non Pro Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Women Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Senior Doubles +50 y Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Open Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Women Singles</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Senior Singles +50y</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Open Singles</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Junior Singles</p> <p>AND</p> <p>Junior Doubles - 18 y Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p> <p>----- OR -----</p> <p>Non Pro Singles</p>
<p>TOTAL: _____ €</p> <p>Your account number: _____</p> <p>Date of transfer: _____</p>		

State your name, e-mail address and country with money transfer at remarks!

> The organization is not responsible for any events happening outside the venue.

NON PACKAGE REGISTRATION FORM (fax +31-(0)84-745998 or e-mail worldseriestecball@ntvb.nl)

01. IDENTITY

Last Name * : _____ Country * : _____
First Name * : _____ ITSF License Number * : _____

Category * :

Open (+ 18 y) Woman Senior (+ 50 y) Junior (- 18 y)

Level* :

Elite/Master Non Pro

* Compulsory mention

02. CHOOSE YOUR COMPETITIONS (please see page 4 for prices per discipline)

CAUTION >> Women and Juniors Elite or Master could play Non Pro events instead of Pro when desired

<p>Open Mixed Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Women Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Women Singles ----- OR -----</p>
	<p>----- OR -----</p>	<p>Senior Singles +50y ----- OR -----</p>
<p>Pro Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Senior Doubles +50 y Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Open Singles ----- OR -----</p>
<p>----- OR -----</p>	<p>----- OR -----</p>	<p>Junior Singles AND</p>
<p>Non Pro Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Open Doubles Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>	<p>Junior Doubles - 18 y Team Partner (license no.) : _____ N° : _____ Name : _____</p>
<p>TOTAL: _____ € (add €25 ref/competition fee)</p>		<p>----- OR -----</p>
<p>Your account number: _____</p>		<p>Non Pro Singles</p>

Date of transfer: _____

State your name, e-mail address and country with money transfer at remarks!

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