



## Free State Table Tennis FEDERATION (FSTTF) Open

1. **Competition dates:** 19 – 20 July 2025
2. **Organizers:** FSTTF
3. **Tournament referee:** Mr. Moegamad Issacs
4. **Competition manager:** Ashley Alcock
5. **Venue:** Tempe Indoor Sports Complex, Bloemfontein, Free State
6. **Events:**
  - a) Veteran men's singles (all age groups combined)
  - b) Veteran women's singles (all age groups combined)
  - c) Senior Men's singles
  - d) Senior Women's singles
  - e) u19 girl's and boy's singles
  - f) u15 girl's and boy's singles
  - g) u13 girl's and boy's singles
  - h) Senior doubles
  - i) Junior doubles
7. **Eligibility:** Open to all athletes.
  - a) Players born on or after 1 January 2012 may participate in junior under 13 tournaments.
  - b) Players born on or after 1 January 2010 may participate in junior under 15 tournaments.
  - c) Players born on or after 1 January 2006 may participate in junior under 19 tournaments.

Junior girls and boys may play in their age group and one category higher in the junior events.

8. **System of play:**
  - Stage 1 - Group qualifiers
  - Stage 2 – Knock-out
9. **Draw date:** TBA
10. **Equipment:**
  - Competition tables x 12 – Blue Stag
  - Practice tables x 4 – Blue Stag
  - Balls – Stag \*\*\*
11. **Accommodation:** All participants are expected to make their own travel and accommodation arrangements. FSTTF can provide a list of service providers near the venue.

**12. Schedule events:** \*subject to change depending on entries!

- a) Arrival – 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025
- b) Group events – 19<sup>th</sup> July 2025
- c) Singles knock-out – 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025
- d) Doubles knock-out – 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025
- e) Semi-finals and finals – 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025
- f) Departure – 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> July 2025

**13. Entries**

- A) R150.00 per junior event
- B) R200.00 per senior event
- C) R200.00 per Masters event
- D) R150.00 per pair junior doubles
- E) R200.00 per pair senior doubles

**F) Close of entries – 13 July 2025, 23h59**

All payments to be made into the FSTTF account:

**STANDARD BANK**

**ACCOUNT NAME: FREE STATE TABLE TENNIS FEDERATION**

**ACCOUNT NO: 140365516**

**BRANDWAG**

**CODE: 055534**

**Reference: [FSO\_playername.playersurname] e.g. FSO\_ma.long.**

**14. Prize money:**

**Total prize pool: R 63 000.00**

Junior boys and girls (u13, u15, u19)

- a) Gold – R 1 000.00
- b) Silver – R 700.00
- c) Bronze – R 400.00
- d) Bronze – R 400.00

Senior men and women

- a) Gold – R 10 000.00
- b) Silver – R 5 000.00
- c) Bronze – R 2 500.00
- d) Bronze – R 2 500.00

Veteran men and women

- a) Gold - R 1 500.00
- b) Silver - R 1 000.00
- c) Bronze - R 750.00

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d) Bronze - R 750.00

**15. Livestreaming and photography:** Semi-finals and finals of all categories to be livestreamed on the official **FSTTF Facebook page - @fstabletennisfederation**

In-action photography will also be offered by professional photographers.

**16. Tuck-shop:** A tuck-shop will be available on the days of competition. Prices and menu will be released closer to the date.

**17. Rules and regulations:** The tournament will be conducted in accordance with the current Laws of Table Tennis, and the Regulations for International Competitions. Default INTERNATIONAL TABLE TENNIS FEDERATION (ITTF) ranking policy will be applied, and the ITTF Handbook for Tournament Referees shall be used as a guide. NO LATE ENTRIES or substitutions (singles events) can be accepted. In the case of unforeseen circumstances, late entries may be accepted with a fine of 15% of the entry fee.