

2018 BLTA JUNIOR OPEN

To be held on October 13th-18th 2018, at the W.E.R. Joell Tennis Stadium Entry deadline: 6:00 pm, October 12th, 2018. (No Exceptions)

Email Entry forms to info@blta.bm or deliver to the BLTA office or to the BLTA Drop Box in the W.E.R. Joell Tennis Stadium Office

Full payment MUST accompany a SIGNED entry form (cheques payable to BLTA) or deposit online to HSBC 010-003218-002, Please indicate in the transaction comment field the players name.

Name: (Last)______(First) _____

TICK	EVENT (Circle Peace of Circle)	PARTNER'S NAME	FEE
V	(Circle Boys or Girls) Boys / Girls 14 & Under Singles		(Circle) \$ 30
	Boys / Girls 14 & Under Doubles		\$ 20
	BLTA Membership Dues if unpaid or	If Paid Yes	\$ 40
	TOTAL, payable to BLTA		

At the W.E.R. Joell Tennis Stadium Tournament Desk: 296-0834

RULES & IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- 1. This Tournament is a Bermuda Lawn Tennis Association sanctioned event and will be played under the rules of tennis, as approved by the International Tennis Federation(ITF).
- 2. All matches will take place at the W.E.R. Joell Tennis Stadium unless otherwise indicated. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to schedule matches at other venues.
- 3. Age groupings are determined by ITF rulings. To enter the 14 & U division players must be in their 14th year or younger.
- 4. The entry deadline is Friday, October 12th, 2018 at 6:00 pm. Each competitor must submit a signed entry form, along with full payment.

 NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.
- 5. **The draw** will take place on Friday evening, October 12th at 7pm at the BLTA Office. All players are welcome to attend.
- 6. Participants **must** be current members of the BLTA to play in this Tournament. Players who are not already members for 2018 must include the \$40 fee with their Entry and submit a 2018 Membership Forms are available from the BLTA office or for download from www.blta.bm. PLEASE NOTE NO PLAYER WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IF THEY ARE NOT A VALID AND CURRENT BLTA MEMBER.
- 7. Matches will be scheduled for play between 9:00 am and 5:00 p.m. on October 12th & 13th and after 4pm through the week. All players must make themselves available during the tournament hours. The schedule will be sent out to all participants by email by Friday evening October 12th. It is the responsibility of each player to find out their own time of play.
- 8. Players **must** report to the Tournament Desk on arrival. When courts are not available, competitors are expected to remain at the Tournament venue until courts become available or until the Referee halts play for the day.
- Competitors are expected to be ready to play at their scheduled time. A competitor
 is liable to be defaulted, at the discretion of the Tournament Committee or Referee,
 if not ready to play within 15 minutes of the time the match is called.
- 10. FORMAT OF PLAY: To be determined by Official COTECC Referee.
- 11. Appropriate tennis attire is required on the court at all times. Warm up time will be restricted to 5 minutes maximum. The winner of each match must return the balls and report the score to the official at the Tournament Desk.
- 12. Players are expected to display good sportsmanship at all times. The ITF Code of Conduct and the Point Penalty System will be in effect throughout the Tournament.
- 13. Except possibly for the finals, matches will not be umpired; however, if a player experiences difficulties, he/she has the right to request an umpire.
- 14. The Tournament Referee is empowered to take whatever measures are deemed necessary in the interest of the Tournament, without the Referee or the Committee being liable in any way.

Our sincere thanks for your entry and we trust you will have an enjoyable tournament

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