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To all the Units/Office Bearers/Ranked Players

Bharat Ratna Atal Bihari Vajpayee III U.P. State Ranking Tournament Powered by "STAG" will be held at Green Park Sports Stadium, Kanpur from 13 - 15 September, 2019 under the auspices of Kanpur Table Tennis Association. Entries for the tournament should be sent to Sri N.K. Lahiry, Chairman Technical Committee, U.P. Table Tennis Association Lucknow, (M-9415014280, 8318942684) e-mail uptta_lko@yahoo.co.in nklahiry@yahoo.com by 2nd September, 2019. Information should be sent to Shri Sanjay Tandon, Hony. Secretary, KTTA, M – 9621317028, 6388182227 or to Sri Sanjeev Pathak, Vice President, UPTTA, M – 9839085546.

66th 'STAG' U.P. State & Inter Zonal Table Tennis Championships Powered by 'STAG' will be held at Agra from 12th to 15th October, 2019 at Eklavya Sports Stadium, Table Tennis Hall, Agra Cantt., Agra. Entries of the Zonal Teams should be sent to Sri N.K. Lahiry, Chairman Technical Committee, U.P. Table Tennis Association Lucknow, (M-9415014280, 9838134280) e-mail uptta_lko@yahoo.co.in nklahiry@yahoo.com by 20th September, 2019. Information should be sent to Mrs. Alka Sharma, Hony. Secretary, Agra District Table Tennis Association, M – 9312793090, 9456470804.

We will accept entries only on prescribed entry form with date of birth and UPTTA ID number. No entries will be accepted after the deadline. Further you are advised not to send the entries on Phone/Plane paper/SMS.

Ranking and U.P. State Championships Revised Rules :-

1. In all U.P. State Ranking Table Tennis Tournaments, **5 additional players** is allowed in each category instead of 3 with an entry fee of Rs. 1000/-. Maximum 10 players can participate (5 + 5 additional). In youth maximum 8 players can participate (3 + 5 additional).
2. Entry Fee is Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only) **per player per event** for Team members only including all ranked players in all categories (viz. Senior, Youth, Junior, Sub-Junior and Cadet) for participating in **all the U.P. State Ranking Tournaments and State Championships** with immediate effect.
3. The Same conditions are applied in 5 Zones for additional players for the **State Championships** as proposed in Item **No. 1** but with an entry fee of **Rs. 3000/-**.
4. State latest Ranked or Classified (as per the latest Ranked/Classification list) 1 - 8 in all categories can participate in the Open events of the **State Championships** as additional direct entry with an entry fee of Rs. 3000/- if he/she is not in the Zonal Team.
5. All the current classified players in all categories (1 to 8) must confirm their entry in writing through their concerned districts in all the tournaments and send its copy to the UPTTA as per mandatory rules. However, players can withdraw their names at least 7 days before the tournament, otherwise 60 points would be deducted from their accrued points.

6. No players will be allowed to play higher event **automatically** in any tournament / championships in the State. **District Association has to give name event-wise. First 5 players will be treated as team member in each event except youth and 6th onwards will be treated as additional entry and in youth first 3 players will be treated as team member and 4th onwards will be treated as additional entry.**
7. **In Ranking tournaments**, over and above 5 additional entries, 5 more additional are allowed for those district having 125 registered players with UPTTA.
8. The host district can enter maximum of **14 entries** (including additional entries) in each event. **However, UPTTA has the discretion to increase the maximum entries in case of necessity.**
9. **In Inter District and Zonal Table Tennis Tournament**, 3 additional players are allowed in each category with an **entry fee Rs. 1000/-**. Maximum 8 players can participate (5 + 3 additional). In youth maximum 6 players can participate (3 + 3 additional). District Association has to give name event-wise. First 5 players will be treated as team member in each event except youth and 6th onwards will be treated as additional entry and in youth first 3 players will be treated as team member and 4th onwards will be treated as additional entry. **Entry fee for team members Rs.200/- per player per event.** Participation fee Rs.500/- per district/unit irrespective of number of Team.
 - a) A Referee would be deputed by the UPTTA for conducting the tournament and shall be paid 2nd AC Train fare to and fro, free hospitality, local transport, incidental travel expenses of Rs. 500/- for both ways. The host Association shall pay to the Referee Rs. 1500/- lump sum towards pocket expenses.
10. The entry fee collected during the UP Cup, all the Rankings and State Table Tennis Championships will be divided in the ratio 60:40 for host association and UPTTA. TA/DA of the technical officials will be borne by the U.P. Table Tennis Association. Decent hospitality and transportation to technical officials will be provided by the Host Association.
11. District Association should send their entries in serial according to their district ranking.
12. Sub Junior Boys/Girls and Cadet Boys/Girls events will be best-of-five games throughout. Women, Youth Girls and Junior Girls events will be best-of-five games throughout, except the **semifinals and finals**. Junior Boys and Youth Boys will be of best-of five games up to the quarter final stages and thereafter in the best-of-seven games format from the **quarterfinals onwards**. **Men** event will be of best-of-five game up to the pre-quarterfinals stages and thereafter best-of-seven games e from Pre-Quarterfinals onwards.
13. The Hall should be big enough to accommodate minimum of 6 tables.



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