

**2023 Meiklejohn North American
Seniors Open Table Tennis Tournament
June 1, 2023 – June 4, 2023
Over \$13,000 in Prizes
Laguna Woods, California: Clubhouse 5**

Sponsors

Nittaku
Paddle Palace
Golden Rain Foundation
Laguna Woods Village Table Tennis Club

Tournament Administration

Craig Krum, Tournament Director
Len Hauer, Tournament Committee Chair
Entry processing and questions contact Craig at:
support@omnipong.com

Referee

Joe Tran, RR/I.U.

Eligibility

Players must be 40 or over by December 31, 2023, and legal North American, residents. Players must be members of the USATT with memberships valid through June 4, 2023

Ratings

For event eligibility we will use your USATT rating as of Friday, April 28, 2023. We will contact you if you need to make any changes to your events due to a change in your eligibility rating. For seeding we will use your rating at the time of the tournament.

Non-rated players will receive USATT ratings after participation and may play in all events except rated doubles, but they may only advance in age events.

Event Restrictions

A player may not enter two events with the same starting time and may play no more than four events per day. We allow no more than two doubles events per day. We try, but do not guarantee, to find doubles partners for those who need them.

Rules

USATT regulations and rules will govern and be enforced. Players must wear their player numbers while on the playing floor. In the Hardbat RR, games will be 21 points and matches 2 of 3 games; otherwise, games will be 11 points and matches 3 of 5, except for the semis and finals of the Over 40 Singles, which will be 4 of 7.

Venue Address and Driving Directions

Clubhouse 5
24262 Punta Alta
Laguna Woods, CA 92637

Laguna Woods is 10 miles south of the Orange County Airport via the 405 and 5 Freeways. Take the El Toro exit, and at El Toro Rd turn right and go 2.5 miles to Gate 9 at Calle Corta. The person at the gate will give directions to Clubhouse 5.

Equipment

Butterfly tables and nets, and white plastic Nittaku 40+ premium balls.

Online Registration

Enter and pay online by May 28, 2023
www.omnipong.com

Registration by Mail

Mail entry form and payment by May 22, 2023, to:
Craig Krum
938 Peridot Ave.
Hemet, CA 92543

Registration Notes

All registered and paid players will be listed on the OmniPong website. You can view the list by clicking the following link: Meiklejohn Player List

If you do not see your name in the list of players within a reasonable time after registering and paying, please contact Craig at: support@omnipong.com .

We guarantee the acceptance of the first 250 timely entries. Individual events are subject to entry limits.

Accommodations

Ayres Hotel, 24341 El Toro Road
Laguna Woods, CA 92637
(800) 594-8412, (949) 588-0131
There is a full breakfast, and a special tournament rate for early reservations.

Meiklejohn Entry Form (Please Print)

Name (Last, First) _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____

State/Zip _____

USATT# _____ ExpDate _____ Rating _____ Birthdate _____

Main Club at which you play _____ EmailAddress _____

Enter me in the events listed below. I will abide by all regulations of the sponsors and the USATT. I relieve the sponsors and the USATT of any liability for injury to myself or to my property.

Signature: _____

| Fee | No. | Name of Event | Doubles Partner | Fee | No. | Name of Event | Doubles Partner |
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\$ _____ Total Events Fees
 \$ 10.00 Administration Fee
 \$ _____ USATT Membership
 \$ 25.00 one-year Basic
 \$ 75.00 one-year Pro
 \$ _____ Donation to support
 USATT Programs
 \$ _____ TOTAL FEES

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| Events | Time | Prizes** | | | | | Fee |
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| 06/01/23 | | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 3rd | | |
| 1. Under 1000 RR | 9:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$20.00 |
| 2. Over 80 RR | 10:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$15.00 |
| 3. Women over 60 RR | 10:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$20.00 |
| 4. Under 2400 Doubles Max player rating 1400 | 11:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$15.00** |
| 5. Over 90 RR | 12:00 pm | T | T | T | T | | \$0.00 |
| 6. Under 3000 Doubles Max player rating 1800 | 1:00 pm | T | T | T | T | | \$15.00** |
| 7. Under 1450 RR | 2:00 pm | T | T | T | T | | \$20.00 |
| 8. Over 75 Doubles | 3:30 pm | T | T | T | T | | \$15.00** |
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| 06/02/23 | | | | | | | |
| 9. Under 1150 RR | 9:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$20.00 |
| 10. Over 75 RR | 10:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$20.00 |
| 11. Women over 50 RR | 10:00 am | 100 | 50 | 25 | 25 | | \$25.00 |
| 12. Under 1300 | 11:00 am | T | T | T | T | | \$15.00 |
| 13. Senior Elites RR Minimum rating 2000 | 12:00 pm | 800 | 400 | 200 | 200 | | \$35.00 |
| 14. Over 70 | 1:00 pm | 100 | 50 | 25 | 25 | | \$20.00 |
| 15. Over 65 Doubles | 1:30 pm | T | T | T | T | | \$15.00** |
| 16. Women over 40 RR | 1:30 pm | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$30.00 |
| 17. Hardbat RR | 2:30 pm | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$30.00 |
| 18. Over 60 | 3:30 pm | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$25.00 |
| 19. Mixed Doubles*** | 4:00 pm | 200* | 100* | 50* | 50* | | \$25.00** |
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| 06/03/23 | | | | | | | |
| 20. Draw Doubles | 8:30 am | 400* | 200* | 100* | 100* | | \$30.00** |
| 21. Over 50 | 10:00 am | 400 | 200 | 100 | 100 | | \$30.00 |
| 22. Under 2350 RR | 11:00 am | 400 | 200 | 100 | 100 | | \$35.00 |
| 23. Under 1750 | 12:00 pm | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$25.00 |
| 24. Under 1600 RR | 1:00 pm | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$30.00 |
| 25. Under 3600 Doubles | 3:00 pm | 200* | 100* | 50* | 50* | | \$25.00** |
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| 06/04/24 | | | | | | | |
| 26. Under 1900 RR | 8:30 am | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$30.00 |
| 27. Under 4200 Doubles | 9:30 am | 200* | 100* | 50* | 50* | | \$25.00** |
| 28. Under 4800 Doubles | 10:30 am | 400* | 200* | 100* | 100* | | \$30.00** |
| 29. Over 40 Singles | 11:00 am | 1600 | 800 | 400 | 400 | | \$40.00 |
| 30. Under 2050 | 12:00 pm | 200 | 100 | 50 | 50 | | \$25.00 |
| 31. Under 2200 | 1:00 pm | 400 | 200 | 100 | 100 | | \$30.00 |

* Doubles prizes are per team ** Fees for Doubles Events are per person

Enter online at
www.omnipong.com

You can pay online with a credit card, or send a check payable to NSTTTA, with a complete entry form postmarked by Monday May 22, to:

Craig Krum
 938 Peridot Ave
 Hemet, CA 92543
support@omnipong.com

(The check should NOT be payable to Craig Krum.) We only guarantee acceptance of entries until events are full.

Round robin groups will generally involve three players but never less than three.

Tournament fees will be waived for players 90 or over who are members of the USATT.

Additional Accommodations
 Laguna Hills Lodge
 1-800-782-1188
 Courtyard at Laguna Hills
 1-800-346-8357

Additional entry forms may be obtained at www.omnipong.com or at www.usatt.org.



USATT SAFE SPORT PROTOCOL
ENTRY BLANK TEMPLATE FOR USATT SANCTIONED TOURNAMENTS

I understand USATT's Safe Sport Policy including the organization's Coaching Policy, which requires that all persons who are engaged in coaching activities at USATT Affiliated Member Clubs and/or USATT Sanctioned Tournaments, except parents or legal guardians coaching their own children, must be fully Safe Sport Compliant, which includes completing SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for SafeSport every year and undergoing a criminal background screen every two years.

I understand that, pursuant to USATT's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy, all participants at USATT Sanctioned Tournaments who are over the age of 18 and have **regular contact with or authority over** minor athletes must complete annual SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for SafeSport.

More information on USATT's Safe Sport Policy is available at: <https://www.teamusa.org/usa-table-tennis/athlete-safety/safe-sport>.

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USATT Safe Sport Protocol

Communication of Safe Sport Policy to Tournament Participants

Full Information for USATT's Safe Sport Policy is available on the Athlete Safety Section of the USATT website:
<https://www.teamusa.org/usa-table-tennis/athlete-safety/safe-sport>.

This page includes links for:

1. The USATT Safe Sport Policy, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ["MAAPP"];
2. The SafeSport Code for the Olympic and Paralympic Movements;
3. The US Center for SafeSport's Toolkit for Parents;
4. USATT Safe Sport Compliance Protocol (**Who Must Be Safe Sport Compliant and How a Person Becomes Safe Sport Compliant**); and
5. Frequently asked Questions Regarding Safe Sport Compliance.

PERSONS IN POSITIONS OF AUTHORITY MUST BE FULLY SAFE SPORT COMPLIANT

Under USATT Safe Sport Policy, persons holding certain **Positions of Authority** must complete SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for Safe Sport (once per year) and undergo a criminal background screen (every two years). The list of Positions of Authority requiring **Full Safe Sport Compliance** is set out in USATT's Safe Sport Policy and the Athlete Safety Section of the USATT Website: <https://www.teamusa.org/usa-table-tennis/athlete-safety/safe-sport>.

USATT COACHING POLICY

All persons who are engaged in **coaching activities** at USATT Affiliated Member Clubs and/or USATT Sanctioned Tournaments, **except parents or legal guardians coaching their own children**, must be **Fully Safe Sport Compliant**, which requires completing SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for SafeSport every year and undergoing a criminal background screen every two years.

ADULT PARTICIPANTS REQUIRING SAFESPORT TRAINING

Pursuant to USATT's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy, **ALL Adult Participants** (participants over the age of 18) **who have regular contact with or authority over minor aged athletes** must complete SafeSport Training offered by the US Center for SafeSport every year ("SafeSport Trained").

CONTACT USATT TO BECOME SAFESPORT TRAINED AND/OR FULLY SAFE SPORT COMPLIANT

USATT is pleased to assist USATT Members in the process of becoming SafeSport Trained and/or Fully Safe Sport Compliant. Please contact USATT at Admin@usatt.org for more information and guidance in this process.

MANDATORY REPORTING

There are certain circumstances where **reporting a potential Safe Sport violation is mandatory**. These circumstances include: (i) child abuse; (ii) sexual misconduct; (iii) emotional and physical misconduct; (iv) criminal charges and/or dispositions involving sexual misconduct or misconduct involving minors; (v) any abuse of the Safe Sport process. **Child abuse must be immediately reported to local law enforcement**. To learn more about the appropriate agency where you can submit a report of child abuse, log onto: <https://www.childwelfare.gov/topics/responding/reporting>.

HOW TO REPORT SAFE SPORT VIOLATION

Persons can report a suspected violation of USATT's Safe Sport Policy to:

1. The US Center for SafeSport at www.SafeSport.org (or by phone during regular business hours at: 720-531-0340); and/or
2. The USATT Athlete Protection Officer Mark Thompson (mark.thompson@usatt.org) (719-329-4200).