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ENTRY FORM PORTUGUESE JUNIOR OPEN 2019









DATE

From Friday the 28th of June to Sunday the 30th of June 2019. The tournament will start on Friday at 10:00 hours.

The last Final will start at 14:00 hours on Sunday.

Closing date for online registration and payments is the 14th of June 2019.

VENUE

Proracket Squash & Padel Porto, Portugal (Travesa da Amieira, 36, Matosinhos).

The open will take place at **Proracket Squash & Padel**, which is a sports centre built close to the city of Porto . It has seven courts.

CATEGORIES

Boys and Girls under 19, under 17, under 15 and under 13. Players may enter and participate in only one category and the maximum number of entries is 64 per category. The recording of matches for coaching / performance analysis purposes is acceptable provided the player and / or their parents / coaches do not object.

ELIGIBILITY

The Portuguese Junior Open is open to all players under the age of 13, 15, 17 and 19 on the 30th of June 2019, as appropriate, provided the player is not banned under the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines section C.4.e, section E.4.a or section E.4.b.. Players must have an active ESID to be able to participate.

ESID

All players, coaches, managers and other officials must be registered with ESF. This must be approved and validated by the relevant MNF. The MNF is responsible for ensuring that all players, coaches, managers and other officials are registered with ESF prior to entry, and their entry is fully supported.

Register for a ESID through the ESF tournament software website:

https://esf.tournamentsoftware.com/member/createorganizationaccount.aspx?id=8B5D0106 404D41C3 B2FB E6FE1BCEAB52

COACHES

All team or individual player coaches designated by their nation as part of their event onsite management team (solely, or in attendance with an appointed team manager) at any Championship held under the auspices of ESF must be ESF Registered i.e. have a ESF European Squash ID as their licence to attend in a formal representative role. This is required at the time of them being registered to attend by their national federation.

SEEDINGS

Seeding will be carried out using the EFS Junior Rankings valid at the closing date and inaccordance with the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines. All players with an ESF Junior Ranking will be seeded by ESF. The TD is responsible for seeding non-European players who do not have an ESF Junior Ranking. (Once a player has participated in a tournament on the Junior Circuit he/she will be included on the ranking list and seeded accordingly). The TD may seek advice from the ESF about the seeding of these players. All participants must be at the venue by the start of play on Friday at 10.00 hrs.

MATCHES & SCORING

All matches will be played as best of five games PAR 11 scoring (to two clear points), under the rules of the WSF.

ENTRIES

All entries should be send by email to geral@fnsquash.pt

All entries must be authorized/endorsed online by the relevant MNA (or a legal representative) which must also registered online for that purpose. Any entry not endorsed by a player's national federation will not be accepted. All entries will be acknowledged and published on the tournament website. All players will be guaranteed a minimum of 3 matches.

DRAWS

Seeding and draws will be sent to national associations by email up to 24th/ June and will also be available at the venue. Times of first matches will be also indicated in the same manner.

ENTRY FEE/TOUR-NAMENT PACKAGES

Packages must be reserved online on up to the 14th of June.

Pack	Price	Entry Fee	Thu 27.Jun	Frid 28.Jun	Sat 29.Jun	Sun 30.Jun	Transport
A.1	170€	No		Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun	Yes
A.2	205€	No		Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun+Hotel	Yes
B.1	215€	No	Din+Hotel	Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun	Yes
B.2	260€	No	Din+Hotel	Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun+Din+Hotel	Lun+Hotel	Yes
C.1	100€	No		Hotel	Hotel		Yes
C.2	135€	No		Hotel	Hotel	Hotel	Yes
C.3	135€	No	Hotel	Hotel	Hotel		Yes
C.4	175€	No	Hotel	Hotel	Hotel	Hotel	Yes
E.1	55€	Yes					No

Lun/Din: Lunch/ Dinner

Hotel: night and breakfast on the tournament hotel on double or triple rooms

Transport: transportation between arrival/departure point and tournament hotel/venue site.

Single room occupancy: extra 25€/night • Extra night bed & breakfast: extra 40€/night.

Note: only package E.1 includes an entry fee; none of the other packages includes an entry fee, so all players should pay, at least, package E.1 and add any other package as desired.

Other packages can be created individually as needed. The packages on this table are only pre-defined examples.

The packages must be paid by bank transfer (net of bank charges, latest by the closing date of 14th of June 2019 to:

Account Holder: Federação Nacional de Squash

Address: Rua Sá da Bandeira, 594, 3° Esq, 4000-431 Porto, Portugal

Account Number: 0003.38710521020

Bank: Santander

IBAN: PT50001800033871052102061

BIC/SWIFT: TOTAPTPL

TOTAPTPL: send payment to geral@fnsquash.pt

Please mark payment clearly as PJO 2019 + player's/federation's name.

HOTEL Hotel Star Inn Porto 3 ***.

Reservations can only be made through the organization online form.

Hotel Address: Rua Senhora do Porto, 930, Porto

TRANSPORT SERVICES

Those arriving by air to the Oporto Sá Carneiro International Airport or at Porto Railway Main Station (Campanhã) will be met on arrival at the airport or at the railway station (upon request and if travel details are received by the organization by the 14th of June by emailto geral@fnsquash.pt).

Players leaving after the event can have the same travel support for easy connection to the Airport or Porto Railway Main Station (from hotel or venue).

FOOD

Meals will be served at the venue.

Lunch from 12:00 hrs to 15:00 hrs and dinner from 19:00 hrs to 21:00 hrs.

EYE GUARDS

All junior players (under 19 years of age) must wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard) properly over the eyes at all times during practice and match play. The list of WSF Certified Eyewear allowable at the time of participation can be viewed on the WSF website.

ESF REGULATIONS & PENALTIES

The tournament is part of the ESF Junior Circuit and will be run in accordance with the ESF Junior Guidelines, a copy of which is available on the ESF website http://www.europeansquash.com.

Participating MNAs should make sure that all relevant people (including coaches, managers and players) are aware of the Guidelines and their requirements.

The following penalties will apply, in accordance with **Section E.4** of the **ESF Junior Guidelines**:

a. If a player makes a late withdrawal from a tournament (2 days or less before the start date), a doctor's certificate confirming injury/illness must be provided to avoid penalties. The medical certificate (with a translation in English) must clearly state the player's name, date of birth and the nature of the illness/injury; the certificate must cover the date of the relevant tournament and must be sent to the ESF office within two days after the final day of the tournament (email: esf@europeansquash.com; fax +44 1424 774879). Any player making a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate will receive zero points for the tournament which will count as one of their 4 best results for the rolling 12 month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically unless the ESF office receives a doctor's certificate within two days of the final day of the tournament. If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.

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- b. If a player has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament. These zero points will count as one of the player's 4 best results for the rolling 12 month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically. If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.
- c. If a player fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament. Illness or injury must be verified by the tournament director and, if possible, by medical certificate sent to the ESF office within two days of the final day of the tournament. If zero points are awarded, the points will count as one of the player's 4 best results for the rolling 12 month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically. If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.

SAFEGUARDING, HEALTH AND SAFETY

Adults interacting with juniors in the organisation and running of ESF Junior Circuit events are in a position of trust and influence. They should always ensure that junior players are treated with integrity and respect. Tournaments should be run in a safe, positive and encouraging atmosphere. The Tournament Director and Tournament Referee should be trained in safeguarding children according to the host MNF national standards for child protection.

The health and safety of all persons (players, officials, spectators, tournament staff) involved in or attending a tournament is of paramount importance. The host MNF is responsible for ensuring an appropriate plan is in place for the tournament.

RECORDING OF MATCHES/WEB PUBLISHING/LIVE STREAMING

The recording of matches for coaching/performance analysis purposes is acceptable provided the player and/or their parents/coaches do not object. The Junior Open will be publishing draws, results, photos of players as well as live streaming. The tournament will be run under the terms and conditions as set out in ESF Regulations: Code of Conduct The tournament will be run under the terms and conditions as set out in EUROPEAN SQUASH FEDERATION PRIVACY POLICY as published on the ESF website www.europeansquash.com

REFEREEING

POLICY as published on the ESF website www.europeansquash.con All players will be expected to mark and referee matches.

BALLS

DUNLOP PRO

PRIZES

Trophies will be awarded to all category winners.

INSURANCE

ENTRIES

Players enter and play in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the organizers nor the ESF accept any responsibility for injury arising from participating in the event. Players must arrange their own insurance. All players have to wear approved protective eye guards on court.

CLOSING DATE FOR

14th June 2019









