





# **Russian Junior Open 2019**

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## **Date, Event category**

This European Junior Russian Junior Open 2019 event will be held from October 26<sup>th</sup> to October 27<sup>th</sup>. The tournament will start on October 26th

## Closing date for entries

October 5th.

## Venue(s)

Squash-club Moscow Sharikopodshipnikovskaya st 13 bld 46 info@squashclub.moscow 8 (495) 118-30-50 https://squashclub.moscow/ 9 courts (Courtech)

# **Categories**

Boys U19	Girls U19
Boys U 17	Girls U17
Boys U 15	Girls U15
Boys U13	Girls U13

The TD reserves the right to amalgamate age groups if there are insufficient entries to make a workable draw. Players are only allowed to enter one category.

## Eligibility

Any player shall be entitled to enter providing that he/she is under the age of 13/15/17/19/ (according to the category entered on the closing date of the tournament. As specified by the European Squash Federation; to compete in all ESF registered events, 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.

Players can register for ESID with ESF through the ESF tournament software website:

https://esf.tournamentsoftware.com/member/createorganizationaccount.aspx?id=8B5D0106-404D-41C3-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 an ESID, as their license to attend as a formal representative. This is required at the time of them being registered to attend by their National federation.

### Seeding

The seeding and draw will be carried out using the ESF rankings valid at the tournament closing date in accordance with the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines Section D

#### **Matches**

All matches played will consist of the best of five games, under the rules of the WSF. All players are guaranteed a minimum of three matches. PAR 11 scoring (to 2 clear points) will be used.

## **Draws**

Maximum draw size: 32.

## Refereeing

Both players will be expected to mark and referee matches. Professional referees will work on semifinals/finals

## Clothing

Players must wear suitable squash attire including non-marking shoes

## **Eye Protection**

It is mandatory for approved eye protection to be worn at all times during competition play, including the knock up at this event. Players will not be allowed to compete without approved eye protection

## 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.

#### **Prizes**

To be determined at the discretion of the Tournament Director.

#### Insurance

Players enter and play in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the organizers nor the ESF will accept responsibility for any claims including for injury or accident. Suitable insurance must be organized by the player or the participating federation.

### Hotel

Fortis Hotel
Sharikopodshipnikovskaya 11 bld 7
<a href="http://fortishotel.ru/ru/contacts">http://fortishotel.ru/ru/contacts</a>
+7 (499) 682-91-62

Reservations can only be made by the tournament organizers.

## **Transport**

Transfers will be organized from/to airport upon request.

#### **Entries**

All entries must be endorsed by the players National Association. All players have to submit entry and pay entry fee by the following links:

Event fee only - <a href="https://n246087.yclients.com/company:144563/activities?o=m-1&category\_3930928=true&group\_service\_value\_3930988--categoryCode-3930928=true">https://n246087.yclients.com/company:144563/activities?o=m-1&category\_3930928=true&group\_service\_value\_3930988--categoryCode-3930928=true</a> Hotel & Food package A -

https://n246087.yclients.com/company:144563/activities?category 3930928=true&group\_service\_value 3930963--categoryCode-3930928=true&o=m-1

Hotel & Food package B -

https://n246087.yclients.com/company:144563/activities?category\_\_3930928=true&group\_\_ser\_vice\_value\_\_3930968--categoryCode-3930928=true&o=m-1

# **Payment**

The fees and packages, as detailed below, along with the ranking levy of €5 per player must be paid to the host by the closing date.

Players who book a package and officials will be picked-up and dropped off at airports of Moscow and tournament hotel.

The distance between the hotel and the venue is 7-8 min walk.

Event fee: €50 (3 750 RRub)

Hotel & Food package A: € 160 (12 000 RRub) Hotel & Food package B: € 215 (16 125 RRub) Event fee = Entry fee together with the ESF Levy
Hotel & Food package A = Event fee, 2 days accommodation (1 night), 4 meals and transport
Hotel & Food package B = Event fee, 3 days accommodation (2 nights), 5 meals and transport

#### **Draws**

The seeding lists and time of the first matches for specific age groups will be published at least 5 days prior to the start date, or alternatively a date and time for all participants to report to the TD will be stated.

#### **Evaluation**

A link to an online survey will be sent to all participants after the tournament has taken place. Responses are anonymous and will be collated by the ESF of

## Safeguarding, health and safety

Adults interacting with juniors in the organization and running of ESF Junior Circuit events are in a position of trust and influence. They should always ensure that junior players are treated fairly, with respect, and given suitable support. Tournaments should be run in a safe, positive and encouraging environment. The host Organizing Committee, including Tournament Director and Tournament Referee should be trained in safeguarding children according to the host MNF national standards. The health and safety of all persons (players, officials, spectators, tournament staff) involved in or attending a tournament is of paramount importance. The Organizing Committee, via the host MNF is responsible for ensuring an appropriate plan is in place for the tournament.

## **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 www.europeansquash.com. MNFs should make sure that all relevant people (including coaches, managers and players) are aware of the Guidelines and their requirements.

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

A late withdrawal is a withdrawal made 2 days or less before the start date of the tournament. Ranking penalties may be applied to the records of the players who fail to turn up or who make a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate.

**Please note:** The medical certificate must clearly state the players name, date of birth and nature of the illness/injury the certificate must cover the date of the relevant tournament and must be sent to the ESF Office within 2 days after the final day of the tournament.

#### If a player:

- 1. a) Has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- 2. b) Fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she may receive zero ranking points for the tournament

- 3. c) If zero points are awarded the points will count as one of the players 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
- 4. d) Commits either of these offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Juniors Circuit for a period of 12 months