

## Target Group 28/32 Selection Tournament

Boucherville-QC, April 22-24, 2022

Ecole Secondaire de Mortagne,  
955 Boulevard de Montarville,  
Boucherville, QC J4B 1Z6)

### INFORMATION BULLETIN No.1

1. **BALLS:** DHS DJ+40 white balls.
2. **TABLES:**
  - Competition Gym: 12 ITTF approved Double Fish 233 Tables.
  - Training Gym: 8 ITTF approved Double Fish 233 Tables
3. **SCHEDULE:**
  - a. Friday, April 22, 2022
    - i. 4:30pm - Officials Meeting – Ecole Secondaire de Mortagne
    - ii. 5-6pm – Open Practice
    - iii. 5:15pm – Jury Meeting – Ecole Secondaire de Mortagne
    - iv. **6-9:00pm – Qualification Rounds 1 & 2**
  - b. Saturday April 23, 2022
    - i. 8-8:50am – Open Practice
    - ii. **9am-1pm – Qualification Rounds 3 to 5**
    - iii. 1-2pm – BREAK
    - iv. **2-7pm – Qualification Rounds 6 & 7 and Main Draw early rounds**
  - c. Sunday April 24, 2022
    - i. 8-8:50am – Open Practice
    - ii. **9am-1pm – Main Draw final rounds**
    - iii. 1pm – Medal Ceremony
4. **DRAW DATE** (Qualification Round Robin Groups):
  - Wednesday April 20, 2022, at 7pm EST via Zoom (more information to come).
5. **DRAW FORMAT:**
  - a. Format for the Qualification Round Robin Stage 1: Direct Snake System following the ranking list for April 2022 period without separation of Provinces. Athletes with no ranking points will be drawn randomly in the groups without separation of Provinces.
  - b. Format for the Qualification Knockout Draw – Stage 2 Friday March 25, 2022: Pre-determined draw to be published on our website and distributed via email on Thursday April 21, 2022.

**6. CONCEPT:**

- There is “one” tournament for 32 Boys and “one” tournament for 32 Girls despite the ages being ranging from U13, U12 and U11.
- Each player will play 10 matches: 7 matches in the Round Robin Group in Stage 1; plus 3 progressive knockout matches in Stage 2.
- Stage 1: There are 4 Round Robin Groups of 8 athletes for each gender. The final positions in the groups will define in which progressive knockout draw the athletes will play in Stage 2:
  - Finishing Positions 1 & 2 go to Main Draw 1 (1-8 final positions)
  - Finishing Positions 3 & 4 go to Main Draw 2 (9-16 final positions)
  - Finishing Positions 5 & 6 go to Main Draw 3 (17-24 final positions)
  - Finishing Positions 7 & 8 go to Main Draw 4 (25-32 final positions)
- Stage 2: All matches for all positions will be played (progressive knockout).
- At the end of the tournament, we will have an overall classification from 1 to 32 for each gender, plus a classification per age for U-12 and U-11

**7. MATCHES:** All matches are 3 out of 5 games including the finals.

**8. UMPIRES:**

- The “Supervision System” (where one umpire takes care of 2 or 3 tables simultaneously) will be used for the Friday April 22 and Saturday April 23, 2022.
- Sunday April 24, 2022 – regular umpiring on all tables.

**9. TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS:**

Denis Vigeant: Referee and Chief Umpire  
Dejan Paptic: TTCanada’s High Performance Consultant (dejan@ttcanada.ca)  
Melanie Ostashek: Logistics and Finances (melanie@ttcanda.ca)  
Miguel Ruz: Club de Tennis de Table de Boucherville (Host)  
Marles Martins: Competition Manager (marles@ttcanada.ca)

**10. MEDAL PRESENTATION:**

- TTCAN will provide medals for the overall top 3, plus the top 3 U-12 and top 3 U-11 on Sunday.

**11. COVID-19 Protocols:**

- Masks are mandatory and will be enforced (except when athletes are training or competing). Hand-washing and social distancing are encouraged.

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