

2023 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS of BATANG PINOY & PHILIPPINE NATIONAL GAMES (PNG) December 17-22, 2023

PROSPECTUS FOR TABLE TENNIS

I. ORGANIZER: PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION / PHILIPPINE TABLE TENNIS FEDERATION, INC.

II. AUTHORITY: PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION

III. EVENTS

1. MINI CADET BOYS' SINGLES (MCBS) - Batang Pinoy Event

2. MINI CADET GIRLS' SINGLES (MCGS) - Batang Pinoy Event

3. CADET BOYS' SINGLES (CBS) - Batang Pinoy Event

4. CADET GIRLS' SINGLES (CGS) - Batang Pinoy Event

JUNIOR BOYS' SINGLES (JBS) - Batang Pinoy Event
 JUNIOR GIRLS' SINGLES (JGS) - Batang Pinoy Event

JUNIOR GIRLS' SINGLES (JGS) - Batang PinoyWOMEN'S SINGLES (WS) - PNG EVENT

8. MEN'S SINGLES (MS) - PNG EVENT

IV. ELIGIBILITY

- 1. The **2023** Batang Pinoy National Championship is open to all Filipino children who are born on the year 2006 and the years thereafter (as stated in the Batang Pinoy 2023 General Guidelines).
- 2. The **2023 Philippine National Games National Championships** is open to all Filipino athletes who are born on <u>2005</u> and older.
- 3. Participants in Events 1 and 2 must be born on 2011 and younger.
- 4. Participants in Events 3 and 4 must be born in the years 2010, 2009 and 2008.
- 5. Participants in Events 5 and 6 must be born in the years 2007 and 2006.
- 6. Participants in Events 7 and 8 (PNG) must be born on 2005 and older and per PNG General Guidelines
- 7. No double/multiple entry for all the events. A player can only play in ONLY ONE EVENT based on the cut-off birth years of each event.

V. NUMBER OF ENTRIES PER EVENT

Each LGU/ TEAM is allowed to enter the following <u>maximum</u> number of participants per event:

- 1. MINI CADET BOYS' SINGLES 2 players
- 2. MINI CADET GIRLS' SINGLES 2 players
- 3. CADET BOYS' SINGLES 2 players
- 4. CADET GIRLS' SINGLES 2 players
- 5. JUNIOR BOYS' SINGLES 2 players
- 6. JUNIOR GIRLS' SINGLES 2 players
- 7. WOMENS' SINGLES 3 players
- 8. MEN'S SINGLES 3 players

VI. TOTAL MEDALS

8 GOLDS, 8 SILVERS and 16 BRONZES

VII. RULES AND FORMAT OF THE COMPETITION

The competition shall be conducted in accordance with the current **2023 Batang Pinoy National Championship and Philippine National Games National Championships General Guidelines** as issued by the Philippine Sports Commission and per ITTF Rules and Regulations. However, the Organizing Committee shall resolve other unforeseen circumstances that are not covered by the Guidelines and ITTF rules and regulations.



1. For ALL THE EVENTS

- a. <u>FIRST STAGE</u> Players will be divided into groups and shall play in a GROUP-SINGLE ROUND ROBIN Matches.
- b. <u>SECOND STAGE</u> The Top 2 (Two) Players in each group shall progress to the 2nd Stage Knock-Out Matches to determine the medalists. Losing Semifinalists shall be Joint Bronze Medallists. Current members of the Philippine Table Tennis Teams who are competing in the Philippine National Games are seeded in the Second Stage Knock-Out Matches.
- 2. All matches of the 2023 Batang Pinoy National Championships and Philippine National Games Championships shall be a best of five (5) games, which can be reduced to a best of three (3) games depending on the number of participants to facilitate the conduct of the competitions. The QUARTERFINALS, SEMIFINALS AND FINALS STAGES OF ALL THE EVENTS shall be played in a best of five (5) games.
- 3. The ITTF rules will be followed in resolving TIES.
- 4. In case of "Match Over-run", the "Rule of Succession" shall be observed throughout the competition. A 10-min. defaulting time shall be observed throughout the tournament.
- 5. Any protest shall follow the existing guidelines of the 2023 Batang Pinoy National Championships and Philippine National Games National Championships.
- 6. <u>COVID-19 Protocols</u>
 - a. Coin toss to be done by the umpire in front of the umpire's table and with the players remaining on their sides.
 - b. Umpires, players and coaches shall not shake hands before, during and after the match. They can choose to bow or a "hand-raising" gesture, whichever is more comfortable to them.
 - C. Players/Coaches must not use their own towels to wipe the match table. Players may indicate to Umpires if the match table needs cleaning.
 - d. No breathing on the match ball for tackiness.
 - e. No hand wiping on table surfaces.
 - f. Spitting should be avoided in the Playing Area/Field of Play.

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Table Tennis Tournament

Manila / Pasig City, December 17-22, 2023

PROVISIONAL GENERAL SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	EVENTS
December 15	ALL DAY	VENUE PREPARATION
Dec. 16	ALL DAY	REFRESHER COURSE FOR TOs / TEAM PRACTICE at the VENUE
Dec. 17	830am	SOLIDARITY MEETING (VENUE - TBA)
	3pm	PARADE and OPENING (RMSC Track Oval)
Dec. 18	8am onwards	MINI CADET BOYS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event MINI CADET GIRLS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event CADET GIRLS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event CADET BOYS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event JUNIOR BOYS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event JUNIOR GIRLS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event JUNIOR GIRLS SINGLES (Group Round Robin) - BP Event
Dec. 19	8am onwards	Continuaton of BP Events (Group Round Robin) START OF SECOND STAGE - KNOCK-OUT MATCHES FOR BP EVENTS
Dec. 20	8am onwards	CONTINUATION OF SECOND STAGE OF BP EVENTS UP TO FINALS START OF PNG EVENTS GROUP ROUND ROBIN
	530PM	MEDAL PRESENTATION/ AWARDING for BP Events Medallists
Dec. 21	8am onwards	CONTINUATION OF PNG EVENTS Round Robin / Second Round - Knock-Out Stage
Dec. 22	8am onwards	Continuation of Second Round - Knock-Out Stage up to FINALS -PNG Events
	330PM	MEDAL PRESENTATION/ AWARDING for PNG Events Medallists

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