

EVENT PROSPECTUS

ITTF-ATTU 28th Asian Table Tennis
Team Championships 2025





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1. AUTHORITY

The ITTF-ATTU 28th Asian Table Tennis Team Championships 2025 will be organized by the Table Tennis Federation of India (TTFI) under the authority granted by International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) and the Asian Table Tennis Union (ATTU).

2. DATE

Saturday 11 October 2025 to Wednesday 15 October 2025

3. VENUE

Athletics Centre - Kalinga Stadium, Bhubaneswar, India

4. EVENTS

- (1) Men's Team (MT)
- (2) Women's Team (WT)

5. QUALIFICATION

This event serves as a qualification pathway for the ITTF World Table Tennis Championships 2026.

With the allocation of 16 (sixteen) teams per gender from ITTF for the 2026 World Table Tennis Team Championships, it was decided that 5 regions of Asia (Central Asia, East Asia, South Asia, South East Asia and West Asia) will each organise a regional qualification tournament to qualify one team per gender from its respective region with the remaining 11 quota per gender to be decided by the 2025 Asian Championships. As East Asia and South East Asia decided not to organise its regional qualification tournaments, the quota are returned to the general pool so that the 2025 Asian Championships shall qualify a total of 13 team per gender. Hence, the top thirteen (13) Teams per gender in the ITTF-ATTU 2025 Asian Team Championships shall qualify for the 2026 World Team Championships Finals.

Qualification pathway to the WTTC can be find <u>here</u>.

6. SCHEDULE

11 Oct - 15 Oct 2025: Teams Events

The draw will take place one day before of first day of competition.



[Details and confirmed schedule will be available on ITTF.com and ATTU.org after the final entries]

The venues will be open for practice:

- From 9 October 2025 at 10:00h (practice hall).
- From 10 October 2025 at 10:00h (competition and practice hall)

Details and confirmed schedule will be available on ITTF.com and ATTU.org after the final entries are confirmed.

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12. JURY The Jury consists of

- Technical Delegate of Asian Championships (Jury Chair)
- Competition Manager of Asian Championships
- Tournament Director (Host Representative)
- Referee of Asian Championships (without voting right)

The Jury shall meet as and when necessary, during the Championships.

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13. RULES

The Championships will be conducted in accordance with the current Laws of Table Tennis, the Regulations for International Competitions, as modified or supplemented by this prospectus. ITTF Ranking Default Policy will be applied.

Note: All players must have their names printed on their shirts from the beginning of the event.

14. EQUIPMENT

SHOW COURT TABLES: Yinhe Prime T25, Black COMPETITION TABLES: Yinhe PRO-25, Black

PRACTICE TABLES: Yinhe PRO-25, Black

BALL: Yinhe H40+*** White

FLOOR: Obana, Black

All racket coverings must be of a type currently authorised by the ITTF.

15. ELIGIBILITY

The event is open to ATTU Member Associations satisfying the following conditions:

- Member Associations whose membership subscriptions have been paid up to and including the year of the Championships.
- Players need to eligible for participation in Continental Events, as per regulation 3.8 and 4.1.3 (ITTF Statutes)

16. ONLINE ENTRY

Entries shall only be submitted online via **ITTF Entries Management System**

https://ems.ittf.link/

17. ENTRIES

Final entries must be submitted on the ITTF Entries Management System by providing all necessary information.

The Entry System will be open from July 31, 2025.

Final entries deadline is September 1, 2025, 23:59 (UTC+8:00)

An Association may nominate as follows:

- at least 3 players, but not more than 5 players for the Men's Team event;



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No additional entry shall be allowed after the final entry deadline, only changes or cancellations (modifications) are accepted.

Women's Team event.

For accompanying persons (doctors, physiotherapist, etc.) please contact the Organizing Committee to confirm the availability of places at the official hotel.

In addition, each Association needs to send the accreditation photos (jpg file) for their members who will participate in the event to the organizing committee for the preparation of the accreditation.

CANCELATIONS AND REPLACEMENTS OF ENTRIES

Cancelations and replacements to the accepted entries, received after the final entries' deadline must be made through the email to Competition Manager at emunkhbileg@gmail.com and LOC.

ACCOMMODATION AND TRAVEL DETAILS

Accommodation details deadline: September 10, 2025 23:59 (UTC+8:00)

Travel details deadline: September 15, 2025 23:59 (UTC+8:00)

The LOC cannot guarantee hospitality and travel arrangements in case of missing or late submission of the relevant details.

18. VISA APPLICATION Member Associations must submit all necessary information to LOC not later than September 1, 2025 at ganeshaniob@gmail.com for the invitation letter to be issued:

First and Last Name;

Nationality;

Passport number;



Passport expiry date;

Date of birth;

Electronic Photo for Visa Support;

Contact e-mail for the invitation letter.

19. TRANSPORTATION The LOC will provide free transportation for the participants, from and to:

• Biju Patnaik Airport (BBI)

to the selected hotel and transportation between hotel/venue. Free transportation will only be arranged when travel forms are received before the deadline date, as specified in the item 16.

20. HOSPITALITY

The Organizing Committee shall provide free hospitality from lunch of October 10, 2025 to breakfast of October 16, 2025 including board and lodging to the following:

- Not more than four (4) persons including playing and non-playing captain competing in both the Men's and Women's Events:
- Not more than two (2) persons including playing and non-playing captain competing in Men's or Women's Event only;
- All members of ATTU Executive Board, ATTU Honorary Officials, ATTU Council members, Co-Chairmen of all ATTU Committees, full members of the ATTU Technical and Umpire Committee, ATTU Secretariat staff and ATTU Marketing staff;
- All members of the Referee Team, International Umpires and other Officials from other Associations invited in accordance with the ATTU Directives;
- ITTF/ATTU Trainers and Evaluators for the AUT/ARE and Evaluations.

Players and officials in the official delegation who are not entitled to free hospitality must take the hospitality package which includes meals, transportation and admission as stated below:

Official Hotel 1:



Welcomhotel by ITC Hotels, Bhubaneswar

Website Location

Distance to airport: 25 min (9 km)

Distance to venue: 20 min (9 km)

Single Room: USD 290 per person per night

Twin Room: USD 270 per person per night

Official Hotel 2:

Taj Vivanta Bhubaneswar, DN Square Hotel

Website Location

Distance to airport: 25 min (10.5 km)

Distance to venue: 35 min (12 km)

Single Room: USD 240 per person per night

Twin Room: USD 220 per person per night

Hotels are first pay first take basis.

The official Packet inclusive of:

- Transport from/to pick up/drop off points.
- Meals: breakfast, lunch, and dinner

21. CANCELLATION POLICY

Accommodation cancellation after September 10, 2025 23:59 (UTC) will be required to pay ONE NIGHT of respective room rate. Accommodation cancellation after September 15, 2025 23:59 (UTC) will be required to pay FULL BOARD of respective room rate.

22. PAYMENTS

All payments should be made before due date of **September 15, 2025** upon receiving an invoice from the LOC.

- Name of Account Holder: ODISHA STATE TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION
- Name of Bank: INDIAN BANK, MANGLABAG, CUTTACK BRANCH
- Bank Account Number: 473356447
- SWIFT Code IDIB000C037



MICR CODE: 753019002

All bank charges shall be covered by the Associations.

Associations who are unable to transfer payment must contact the OC before the deadline date.

The LOC will make hotel reservations and pick-up arrangements only for Member Associations which have completed payments.

23. **KEY DATES** Summary of key timelines and deadlines:

Final Entries: September 1, 2025, 23:59 (UTC)

Accommodation details: September 10, 2025, 23:59 (UTC)

Travel details: September 15, 2025, 23:59 (UTC)

Cancelations: September 15, 2025, 23:59 (UTC)

Sport changes*: September 30, 2025, 23:59 (UTC)

24. PLAYING SYTEM

The playing system and competition details can be found in

25. SEEDING

Seeding of teams shall be based on results of the last Championships. Any disputes because of absentee or new teams/players shall be resolved according to the ITTF World Team Ranking and at the decision of the Technical and Umpire Committee of ATTU.

26. TEAM MANAGERS' MEETING & DRAW

The Team Managers' meeting and draw for the First Stage will take place on October 10, 2025 at 15:00.

27. MATCH OFFICIALS

All matches will be officiated by qualified umpires in accordance with the Directives for Match Officials at World Title Competitions.

28. ATTU MEETINGS

ATTU EB Meeting (Date and Time TBC).

AUT/ARE on Friday, October 10, 2025 at 9:00 hr.

Umpires' Briefing on Friday, October 10, 2025 at 19:00 hr.

ATTU Technical and Umpires Committee Meeting (Date and

Time TBC).

^{*}Replacement of players



29.AWARD

In both genders (Champion Division), the winner, runner-up and semi-finalists will receive gold, silver and bronze medals respectively:

- Winner will be awarded a trophy and 6 gold medals (1 coach included)
- 2nd position will receive 5 silver medals (1 coach included)
- Joint 3rd positions will receive 5 bronze medals each (1 coach per team included)

30. OBLIGATIONS

The entry will contain a statement that players nominated are willing to compete against any other participating player or team and that the participants respect and acknowledge regulations and rules of the ITTF Handbook. This statement must be confirmed by a responsible official of the nominating Member Association and no entry form will be accepted unless such an undertaking has been given.

31. LIABILITY

A. By entering the tournament, participants agree to abide by all ITTF and ATTU rules and by the rules and regulations of the LOC. All entered associations and players agree to be under the auspices of the ATTU and ITTF and its agents in all matters concerning television coverage, video, internet web casting, motion picture coverage, and photographic coverage of any kind.

- B. Participants release all rights, or rights held by their agents or sponsors, in all matters relating to television and web casting coverage, video and motion picture coverage, and photographic coverage of any kind. A participant's refusal of above listed coverage may be subject to suspension or dismissal from the competition.
- C. Any participant, when called upon, must appear promptly to press conferences or medal presentations and follow the procedures set by the ATTU and the LOC.
- D. By entering the tournament, each Association must ensure that all delegation members confirm that they know that their personal data will be shared with the LOC, ATTU and ITTF who,



in turn, undertake not to share it with any unauthorized person in any way.

E. In the context of betting, participants in the event shall follow the ITTF Code of Ethics (Chapter 6 of the ITTF Statues). They shall not, by any manner whatsoever, infringe the principle of fair play, show unsporting conduct, or attempt to influence the course or result of a competition, or any part thereof, in a manner contrary to sporting ethics. Any violation of this principle shall be disciplined according to provisions of ITTF regulation 3.5.3.

F. By entering the tournament, all delegation members undertake to abide by the ITTF's anti-doping rules and Anti-Harassment Policy and Procedure (Chapters 5 and 7 of the ITTF Statutes).

G. By entering the event, each association must ensure that all delegation members have medical, travel and other appropriate insurance for the duration of the event.

32. RACKET CONTROL

If racket control includes official test for VOC miniRAE device will be used according to the ITTF decision. In this case, players will be offered the possibility of voluntary tests before competition starts according to the ITTF decision. The ITTF Equipment Committee strongly recommends to all players to make certain that new racket coverings (rubbers) are aired 72 hours before use.

33. INSURANCE

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34. WEBSITE

Updated information and results of the tournament will be published in the following web sites:

Local Organizing Committee (LOC): www.ttfi.org
Asian Table Tennis Union (ATTU): www.attu.org





International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF): www.ittf.com

UPDATES

Updates on the document compared to the previous version, appear in grey highlight and are also listed below:

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