## 2016



## TECHNICAL PACKAGE TABLE TENNIS

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## TABLE TENNIS

1. RULES: This competition will be conducted under the rules of International Table Tennis Federation.

## 2. CATEGORIES:

Junior Male \& Female Juvenile Male \& Female:
born in 1998 or later born in 2001 or later

## 3. EVENTS AND SCHEDULES:

## Events

a. Singles - Competition will be held in each category by gender
b. Doubles - Competition will be held in each category by gender
c. Mixed Doubles - Mixed gender competition will be held in each category (Units may enter two teams)
d. Team Event - Competition for each category (Junior and Juvenile).

## Team Event Information

All athletes from each Contingent in a category (male and female) will be awarded points based on the results of their singles, doubles and mixed doubles competitions as outlined in the chart below. The Contingent earning the most points in Junior will be awarded a Gold Ulu. The Contingent earning the second highest points will be awarded a Silver Ulu. The Contingent earning the third highest points shall be awarded a Bronze Ulu. The same will occur in the Juvenile Category.

## Team Event - Points

1. $1^{\text {st }}$ place finish in a category (i.e. Junior Female) receives four points
2. $2^{\text {nd }}$ place finish in a category receives three points for second place
3. $3^{\text {rd }}$ place finish in a category receives two points
4. $4^{\text {th }}$ place finish in a category receives one point

If two or more contingents are tied after the above results are tabulated, the standings in the team event shall be determined by considering only the head to head matches of the tied teams from the finals and semi-finals and ranking contingents as described in the chart below:

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Team Event - Tie Breaking Process

1. Ratio of matches won to matches lost (the contingent with the highest ratio will be awarded the Gold Ulu in the team event, the second highest the Silver Ulu and the third highest the Bronze Ulu).
2. If a tie still exists, the ratio of games won to games lost (medals as above)
3. If a tie still exists, the ratio of points won to points lost (medals as above)

## Schedules

a. The Host Society shall develop the initial competition draws for all events.
b. In events with five (5) or less competitors / teams, a round robin competition will be held to determine medal and other positions.
c. In events with six (6) or more competitors / teams, a round robin competition with two pools will be held to determine the top four (two from each pool) competitors / teams to advance to the finals. The competitors / teams of the top two teams from the team event in the previous Arctic Winter Games will be seeded in separate pools in the preliminary round robin competition.
d. In events with six (6) or more competitors / teams, a round robin of two pools will be held with the top two competitors / teams moving forward to an elimination format competition to determine medal and fourth place positions.
e. The schedule shall be designed in such a way as to limit the total time that any one athlete must be at the competition facility to eight hours or less per day.

## 4. TEAM COMPOSITION:

Each Games Unit may enter a team comprised of a maximum of eight (8) players and two (2) coaches, as follows:

| Junior Male | -2 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Junior Female | -2 |
| Juvenile Male | -2 |
| Juvenile Female | -2 |
| Coaches | -2 |

One coach must be female and one male. If a coach from one gender is not available a chaperon of the same gender must be substituted.

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## 5. MEDALS:

Individually by event by the Individual competition and individually for the Team competition:

| Gold | -24 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Silver | -24 |
| Bronze | -24 |

## 6. FACILITY NOTES

The Host Society shall try to provide a minimum of eight tables for competition and two tables for warm ups within a playing area sufficient in size to meet the requirements outlined in ITTF rules for this competition.

