

# **PROCLAMATION**

## **Table Tennis**

## **Class division**

- Men "Open Class" for all ages
- Men "Senior Class" for 40 years and over (40+)
- Women "Open Class" for all ages
- Women "Senior Class" for 40 years and over (40+)
- Mix "Open Class" for all ages
- Mix "Senior Class" for 40 years and over (40+)

#### Game model

- 1. A team consists of between 2 (minimum) and 4 players (maximum).
- 2. Each team match has 3 individual games in the following order:

Men (Under & Over 40)	Women (Under & Over 40)	Mixed (Under & Over 40)
Men's double	Women's double	Mixed double
Men's single-1	Women's single-1	Women's single
Men's single-2	Women's single-2	Men's single

- 3. Games can be played without a referee. The players themselves judge the individual games.
- 4. Approved white balls are used.
- 5. Clothing with predominantly white background is not permitted.

#### Matches

- 1. The tournament will be held under the ABC Pool/CUP system to even out differences in strength between the participating teams.). The scoring within the group follows the points system (win 2 points, loss 0 points)
- 2. a) The team which has won the most games in a match is the winner.
- b) The teams are ranked in each pool on points, so that the team with most points is no. 1 and the next-best team is no. 2 etc.
- \* If two or more teams have the same number of points, the deciding factors are first the match, then the better set ratio and finally the better point ratio.

### Playing time

- 1. Games are played to the best of 3 sets.
- 2. Each set is played up to 11 points.

### Rules

- 1. Unless otherwise specified, the rules of the **International Table Tennis Federation** apply.
- 2. Even a referee must apply the international rules.
- 3. Detailed game rules are published in the tournament program.