







ESF JUNIORS CIRCUIT

17-19 MAY 2019

EVENT INFORMATION

EVENTS

Boys + Girls Under 19 / 17 / 15 / 13 Championships (Players may only enter one event).

All categories will be run on a MONRAD basis (maximum draw size of 64) - we will be playing out all MONRAD draws fully. All players are required to play all scheduled matches. All matches will be played as best of 5 games.

All matches will be played PAR (point a rally) to 11. Should the score reach 10 all a player needs to win by 2 clear points.

VENUES

Infinity Sport Arena
7 Balta Albina Street, Sector 3, Bucharest

ELIGIBILITY

Any player shall be entitled to enter providing:

- A) That he / she is under the appropriate age on 19 May 2019.
- B) Their entry is endorsed and forwarded by their National Governing Body.

ENTRY

All players will be guaranteed at least three matches. The size of the draw may be restricted. Any player not selected will be placed on a reserve list, unless otherwise stated on the entry form. Any player withdrawing at any time from the first round draws will be replaced, if possible, by a reserve. The right is reserved to reschedule matches at any time.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

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www.frsquash.ro/rjo

ENTRIES

All players MUST enter through their National Governing Body: Completed entry forms should be emailed to rjo@frsquash.ro

As specified by the European Squash Federation; to compete in all ESF registered events, all players, coaches, managers and other officials must be registered with ESF. This must be approved and validated by the relevant MNF. The MNF is responsible for ensuring that all players, coaches, managers and other officials are registered with ESF prior to entry, and their entry is fully supported. Players can register for ESID with ESF through the ESF tournament software website: https://esf.tournamentsoftware.com/member/createorganizationaccount.aspx?id=8B5D0106-404D41C3-B2FB-E6FE1BCEAB52

Coaches All team or individual player coaches designated by their Nation as part of their event onsite management team(solely or in attendance with an appointed team manager) at any Championship held under the auspices of ESF must be ESF

registered, i.e. have an ESID, as their license to attend as a formal representative. This is required at the time of them being registered to attend by their National federation.

Entries and payments must be received by 12.00 hrs on 3 May 2019.

Telephone entries will **NOT** be accepted. Romanian Squash Federation cannot be held responsible for entries lost in the post or sent by fax. If you require an acknowledgement of entry please contact Romanian Squash Federation . We will attempt to email confirmation to those with email addresses. The entry fee / package **MUST** be paid at the time of entry via transfer into the following Romanian Squash Federation:

Account Name: FEDERATIA ROMANA DE SQUASH

Fiscal Code: 33204678

IBAN: RO48 INGB 0000 9999 0525 8223

Currency: EUR
Bank: ING BANK
SWIFT BIC: INGBROBU

!Please note that the pay must pay all bank charges!

PLAYER PACKAGE

Tournament package:

The Tournament Hotels are the Rin Grand Hotel 4*,

Please note that the rooms are limited and there is a possibility that the hotels will be fully booked, so please send us your option as soon as possible.

Package A: 218 euro / person, including 3 nights bed and breakfast accommodation in twin rooms, 3 lunches and 2 dinners at the clubs, transportation between hotels and the venues if necessary. The package includes the entry fee.

Package B: **170 euro / person**, including 2 nights bed and breakfast accommodation in twin rooms, 3 lunches and 2 dinners at the clubs, transportation between hotels and the venues if necessary. The package includes the entry fee.

Package C: 50 euro / person - Entry fee without accommodation, meals and transport.

Package D: 175 euro / person – 3 nights Fee for attendants (coaches/ parents etc.)

140 euro / person – 2 nights Fee for attendants (coaches/ parents etc.)

Extra night: Twin room – 35 euro / person / night, Single room supplement – 30 euro / person / night. The entry/package fee must be paid by bank transfer (net of bank charges) by 11 May.

In line with ESF regulations package fee reimbursement will on the following basis:

- Withdrawal up to 14 days prior to the start of the event full refund (less bank charges).
- Withdrawal 3-14 days prior to the start of the event 50% refund (less bank charges).
- Withdrawal 2 days prior to the start of the event no refund.

!All package payments must be paid in one transaction!

TRANSPORT: Transport is only provided for players taking packages

Transport will be provided from Henri Coanda Airport to the official hotels and from the hotels to the airport on departure and from the hotels to the venue and back.

All participants will only be picked up if they notify the tournament organisers of their arrival/departure times before 13 May 2019.

SEEDING

The seeding will be done using the ESF Junior Rankings valid at the closing date and in accordance with the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines. Non-European players without an ESF Junior Ranking will be seeded by the Tournament Director.

SCHEDULE OF PLAY

Seedings and playing time of the first matches will be provided after the closing date. The draw will be displayed on www.tournamentsoftware.com in accordance with ESF Junior Guidelines.

CODE OF CONDUCT

All competitors denote their agreement to abide by the Romanian Squash Federation Code of Conduct and the ESF Junior Guidelines by entering the tournament. Parents must refrain from interference in matches. Any complaints should be addressed formally to the tournament desk.

ANTI DOPING

By entering the Tournament you agree to abide by the Rules and Regulations governing the Championship and declare that you are aware of the Anti-Doping regulations and procedures as set out in Section E and Appendix G of the WSF World Championship Regulations. You accept that you may be dope tested under these regulations at any stage of the Championship and will be subject to the penalties set out in the World Championship Regulations if the test(s) prove positive. This declaration also covers participation in Plate events as applicable to this Championship.

CLOTHING

Players must wear clothing suitable for squash.

TOURNAMENT BALL

Dunlop Pro xx will be used for this tournament.

PLAYER WITHDRAWAL

Withdrawal from the tournament must be notified to Romanian Squash Federation as soon as possible by telephone or email with a valid reason. The reason for withdrawal should then be confirmed in writing to Romanian Squash Federation within 7 days and in the event of illness or injury, should be accompanied by a letter of explanation from a parent or coach or a medical certificate.

The event is also subject to ESF withdrawal guidelines:

E. 4.a) If a player makes a late withdrawal from a tournament (2 days or less before the start date), a doctor's certificate confirming injury/illness must be provided to avoid penalties. The medical certificate (with a translation in English) must clearly state the player's name, date of birth and the nature of the illness/injury; the certificate must cover the date of the relevant tournament and must be sent to the ESF office no later than two days after the final day of the tournament (email: esf@europeansquash.com; fax +44 1424 774879). Any player making a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate will receive zero points for the tournament which will count as one of their 4 best results for the rolling 12 month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically unless the ESF office receives a doctor's certificate within two days of the tournament finishing.

If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.

- b) If a player has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament. These zero points will count as one of the player's 4 best results for the rolling 12 month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically.
 - If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.
- c) If a player fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament. Illness or injury must be verified by the tournament director and, if possible, by medical certificate sent to the ESF office within two days of the tournament finishing. If zero points are awarded, the points will count as one of the player's 4 best results for the rolling 12 month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically.

If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.

REFEREES

All players must be prepared to assist with the marking and / or refereeing of matches if requirted. The Referee Director is Radu Ionescu: Contact +40.744.668.855; office@frsquash.ro

TROPHIES

The best 3 players of each category will receive a trophy.

EYE PROTECTION

All junior players (under 19 years of age) must wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard) properly over the eyes at all times during practice and match play. The list of WSF Certified Eyewear allowable at the time of participation can be viewed on the WSF website.

INSURANCE

Players enter and play in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the Romanian Squash Federation or the ESF accept any responsibility for injury arising from participating in the event. Players must arrange their own insurance.

GENERAL

Results will be updated daily on the official tournament website - www.frsquash.ro/RJO

The details of the seeding and timings will be published at least 5 days before the start of the event.

The recording of matches for coaching / performance analysis purposes is acceptable provided the player and / or their parents / coaches do not object.

The start time of the event is Friday, 17th of May 2019, 15:00.

<u>FINALLY</u>

The event complies with the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines, a copy of which is on **www.europeansquash.com** - all participating MNA's should make sure that all relevant people (including coaches, managers and players) are aware of the guidelines and their requirements.

The decision of the Tournament Director will be final in all matters.

The tournament will be run under the terms and conditions as set out in ESF Regulations: Code of Conduct - The tournament will be run under the terms and conditions as set out in EUROPEAN SQUASH FEDERATION PRIVACY POLICY as published on the ESF website www.europeansquash.com

Safeguarding, health and safety Adults interacting with juniors in the organisation and running of ESF Junior Circuit events are in a position of trust and influence. They should always ensure that junior players are treated with integrity and respect. Tournaments should be run in a safe, positive and encouraging atmosphere. The Tournament Director and Tournament Referee should be trained in safeguarding children according to the host MNF national standards for child protection. The health and safety of all persons (players, officials, spectators, tournament staff) involved in or attending a tournament is of paramount importance. The host MNF is responsible for ensuring an appropriate plan is in place for the tournament.

SPONSORS

TAWIL GROUP, PSG ASURANCE, REAL EXPERT

ACS Infinity Bucuresti, Infinity Sport Arena, Real Expert, Pepsi, Kiss Fm, Infinity Trophy.

CLOSING DATE: 3 May 2019

RJO 2019 OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

	NAME	ESID	Date of birth	Category	Nat. ranking	ESF ranking	Package	Single room	Extra nights (Wed/Tue)
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Details of national federation and the person responsible:									