



RITTA 2020 Winter Open

Sunday, February 9, 2020



Where: Manville Community Center, 30 Railroad Street, Manville, RI 02838

Sponsored By: Rhode Island Table Tennis Association (RITTA)

Sanctioned By: U.S.A. Table Tennis **Tournament Rating:** One Star

Tournament Committee: Steve Hopkins, Shreedhar Kale, Murali Mani, John Shunney

Referee: Charles Cavicchio **Tournament Director:** Manny Silva and Steve Hopkins

Cancellation: The tournament committee reserves the right to cancel any event or combine events if there are insufficient entries. Fees refunded for any cancelled event.

Event	Fee	Starts	1st	2nd
Open Singles	\$30	2:30 pm	\$200	\$100
U-2100 Singles	\$20	1:15 pm	Medal	Medal
U-1800 Singles	\$15	12:15 pm	Medal	Medal
U-1500 Singles	\$15	11:00 am	Medal	Medal
U-1200 Singles	\$15	10:00 am	Medal	Medal
U-1000 Singles	\$15	9:00 am	Medal	Medal

Eligibility: Anyone is welcome to play. Current “General” USATT Members pay individual event entry/registration fees only. “Associate” USATT Members pay the \$20 Tournament Pass in addition to the individual event/registration fees. Non-members may choose to purchase a Tournament pass (which will make them an “Associate” member), OR purchase/renew a “General” Membership. (For further information go to: <http://www.teamusa.org/usa-table-tennis/usatt/join-today>).

Eligibility For Events: Open Singles- everyone is eligible. **Rating events:** players are eligible if their rating is below the rating listed for the event or they are unrated. **Unrated players cannot advance from round robin groups in rating limited events,** but they will have an official USATT rating after the tournament.

When will the doors be opened? Manville Community Center will open Sunday at 8:00 am.

Event Format and criteria: All events will begin with round robin groups of 3-5 players with the top one or two of each group advancing to single elimination. All matches will be best 3 out of 5 (11 point) games. If a rating event is cancelled, player will automatically be placed in the next higher rated event. Tournament director has discretion to limit the number of entries in each event.

RULES: The Laws of Table Tennis as published by the ITTF and all USATT regulations apply. The Point Penalty System will be used in unimpired matches. Any questions/disputes will be resolved by the tournament referee. One side of the racket must be bright red, the other side must be black. Shorts or skirts and the main body of the shirt or blouse must be significantly different from the color of the ball (white). No tank tops, jeans, cut- offs, large designs. Rubber-soled shoes must be worn.

EQUIPMENT: Tables: Butterfly Europa 25 (6); **Nets:** Butterfly; **Balls:** Butterfly 3-Star A40+ ball (white); **Floors:** hard wood. Players must supply their own rackets.

Space is limited. First priority is given to pre-paid entries, second priority is for received and complete entries. Registration onsite is possible 30 minutes before an event if space is available.

We reserve the right to cancel or modify event formats as needed.

*There will be a \$5 fee for each phone entry and for each late entry.

Event Entry Limitation: No player may enter more than three consecutive singles events. Unrated players cannot advance out of round robin groups except for Championship Singles.

ONLINE REGISTRATION: Players can register online at the RITTA website: <http://www.ritta.org>. After Monday, Feb.3, please register online, do not mail your entry.

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION: Pay By Check Or Money Order payable to RITTA and mail to: Tournament Director, RITTA, P.O. Box 41, Manville, RI 02838. We cannot accept credit card payments. Deadline for mail-in entries to be received is Thursday before the tournament. **(Do not mail after Monday, Feb. 3. Instead, please register online and bring cash payment with you).**

Practice: Pre-match warm up will be limited to 2 minutes. (There is a back table also available for practice. If other players are waiting to use back table, please be courteous and limit your time on it to 10 minutes).

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Mailing
Address: _____
Email: _____
Ph: _____

If APPLICABLE: USATT ID: _____ USATT membership expires: _____
USATT Rating: _____

Check-in and Starting Times: You must check in at the desk not later than 30 minutes prior to the starting time for your earliest event, or you may be subject to removal from that event. (* If you are almost at the club and may be a little late, CALL us or there is no guarantee to remain in that event! 401-769-6666)

FEE OPTIONS (Full membership or Associate Member):

- 1. **Full Membership Fee or Renewal:** Adult \$75 1 yr, or \$210 3yr; Jr/student \$45 () 1 yr
- 2. **Or Associate Member Tournament Pass: \$20**

1. REGISTRATION FEES (If you have never been a member, or membership is expired)

- 1.() **Full Membership Amount:** _____
or Associate Member's Tournament Pass() \$20

2. **Circle Event(s):**

Open	U2100	U1800	U1500	U1200	U1000
\$30	\$20	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15

Total Event fees: _____

Registration Fee: \$3.00 **(Donation to RITTA):** _____

Enclosed are **TOTAL FEES** in the amount of \$_____ (membership/pass/reg. and events). I agree to comply with all USATT regulations. I have signed (or will sign at the tournament) the comprehensive waiver of liability.

Player Signature: _____

Parent Signature (if under 18): _____