## USA RACQUETBALL PRESENTS



# 2018 NATIONAL SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS MAY 23RD-27TH \* PLEASANTON, CA

CLUBSPORT PLEASANTON & LIVERMORE VALLEY TENNIS CLUB





## **CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION**

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USA Racquetball at (719) 499-9561 Championships@usaracquetball.com

## **ENTRY FEES:**

\$99 - 1st division \$59 - 2nd division \$49 - 3rd division \$49 - Hero's or Military Division \$25 - Wheelchair Division \$20 - discount for Juniors/Collegiate **DISCOUNT CODE: JR-Collegiate** 

\$10 referee pee per division

**DEADLINES, REFUNDS: Online Entry Deadline** Friday, May 11, 2018 9:00pm MT

## Late Deadline (\$20 fee)

Friday, May 18, 2018 9:00pm MT

USA Racquetball reserves the right to close entries of any division at any time. U.S. Team Qualifying divisions will remain open until Late Deadline. Refunds of entry and referee fees (less a \$10.00 service fee) are available for withdrawals on or prior to the late deadline. Additional fees may include \$25 for returned checks and \$10.00 for declined debit/credit cards. Refunds processed 7 days after the event is completed.

### **STARTING TIMES:**

Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup> @ 4pm PT online at usaracquetball.com.

**CHECK-IN BEGINS:** Tuesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>: 4pm-7pm PT

PLAY BEGINS: Wednesday, May 23rd @ 9am PT

PLAY ENDS: Sunday, May 27th @ 4pm PT

#### VENUES:

ClubSport Pleasanton (CSP)



7090 Johnson D Pleasanton, CA 94588 (925) 463-2822

#### 8 Championship Indoor Courts



### 3 Longwall Outdoor Courts **NEW OUTDOOR DIVISIONS!!!**



### 3 pools





Livermore Valley Tennis Club (LVTC)



2000 Arroyo Rd Livermore, CA 94550 (925) 443-7700

4 Championship Indoor Courts



3 pools



# **CHAMPIONSHIP TRAVEL INFORMATION**

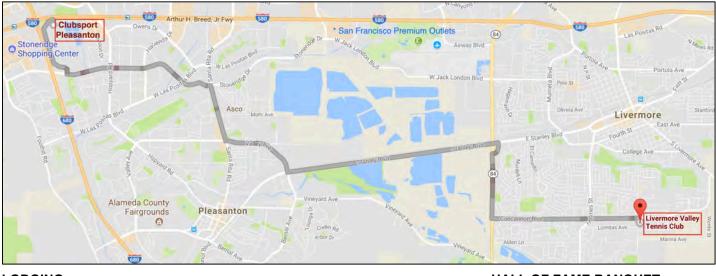


## **AIRPORT to CLUB/HOTEL:** (23 + miles)

BART is the easiest way to get from the airport to the club/hotel. Take the GREEN line to Pleasanton and the hotel shuttle will pick you up from there.



CLUB to CLUB: (11 miles) Shuttle service will be provided for the event!



LODGING: **DubleTree Pleasanton** (Connected to club)



7050 Johnson Drive Pleasanton, CA 94588 (925) 463-8000 \$189 per night (Tues/Wed) \$129 per night (Thurs-Sun) **ROOM BLOCK ENDS:** Monday, April 23, 2018 @ 5pm



Motel 6 (.9 miles to main club)



5102 Hopyard Rd Pleasanton, CA 94588 (800) 466-8356 \$97.99 per night (1-2 people) \$103.99 per night (3 people) \$109.99 per night (4 people) Use Code: CPJT1TXD **ROOM BLOCK ENDS:** Monday, April 23, 2018 @ 5pm



HALL OF FAME BANQUET: The Saturday evening Hall of Fame awards ceremony will be at the Host Hotel. Player's ticket is included in your entry fee. Guest tickets are available on the registration website.





# **Register online** (*a*) usaracquetball.com

# **ADDITIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION**



Follow the chase for positions on Team USA as this is the last of the 3 qualifying events to determine who will represent the USA on the US Team.

#### **USA RACQUETBALL MEMBERSHIP**

All participants must be a USA Racquetball member.

### USA RACQUETBALL RULES:

USA Racquetball Official Rules will govern competition, including the mandatory use of protective eyewear.

#### **PRIZE MONEY: (US Team Division)**

Singles Champion: \$1,000 Singles Runner-Up: \$500

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP MEDALS:**

All Divisions will receive 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> place National Championship medals based on the division you enter.



#### **HOSPITALITY & SOUVENIR:**

We will be offering Breakfast snacks, Lunch and Dinner each day. A tournament souvenir will be given to all participants at registration.

#### **OFFICIAL BALL:**



Penn is the Official Ball of USA Racquetball and the ProPenn

Green ball will be used in all matches.

#### FUN, FUN and MORE FUN:

The opportunity to see racquetball's best players play the fastest version of the sport is truly unforgettable. The athleticism and skill on display is second to none

#### LADIES NIGHT OUT:

We have arranged for a Ladies Night Out social on **Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm** in the bar upstairs at ClubSport. Come mingle and at 9pm the doors open to everyone!

#### WHAT TO DO IN PLEASANTON:

Between visits to the award-winning wineries, delightfully diverse restaurants and charming downtowns, a weekend in the Tri-Valley will leave you refreshed and inspired!





## LOOKING FOR A PARTNER?

Check out the lists available at the "find a partner/ roommate" link on the Registration page.

### ELIGIBILITY:

Only U.S. Citizens or individuals who have an active application for Citizenship may compete in the U.S. Team Qualifying divisions; all other age & skill divisions are open to U.S. Citizens and residents. For age division competition, players must meet the age requirement as of the first day of competition

#### FORMAT:

**Single Elimination:** One draw with winners advancing and losers done with the division. **Round Robin:** Each player will play against the others in their division and the players with the best records will place 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> **Pool Play:** Two or more brackets play a round robin format with top teams advancing to a playoff.

#### HERO'S & WHEELCHAIR DIVISION:

We are delighted to offer Heroes Divisions in support of our Service Members and First Responders.

#### **OFFICIATING:**



Match losers are expected to referee a match immediately following a loss. USA Racquetball encourages all players to become certified referees. Referees with up-to-date certification will receive \$15 per match, others will receive \$10.

#### SEEDING AVAILABLE:

Online at the event site, Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup> @ 4pm PT

#### SEEDING DISPUTE QUESTIONS:

Send email to: <u>championships@usaracquetball.com</u> by Tuesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 4pm PT

#### DRAWS AVAILABLE:

Online at the event site Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup> @ 4pm PT

#### TIME CONFLICT RESOLUTION: Send email to:

<u>championships@usaracquetball.com</u> with name/divisions by Tuesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 4pm PT

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# **2018 NATIONAL SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Enter online at: USARacquetball.com

#### USA Racquetball Membership:

All players must first be USA Racquetball members before signing up for a National Event. Only U.S. citizens and residents are eligible to participate in Nationals. Go to **USARacquetball.com > Membership > Join USAR** and follow the steps to join.

	<u>1 Year</u>	<u>3 Year</u>
Adult Membership	\$50	\$125
Collegiate Membership*	\$25	
Junior Membership (8-18)	\$25	
Pee-Wee (under 8)	FREE	

\*An undergraduate student (25 & under) enrolled "full-time" in an accredited U.S. college or university. Graduate students engaged in coursework, research, teaching or thesis production are eligible if they are enrolled full-time and have not used their four years of college eligibility.

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**Pool Play:** Two or more brackets that play a round robin format with top teams advancing to a playoff

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Be prepared to start play at 8am on the day of the week indicated in parenthesis after the division.

Wednesday (w)	Friday (f)
Thursday (t)	Saturday

Saturday (s)

US Team Qualifying Divisions:
Only U.S. citizens are eligible to participate

Men's Singles-	Begins Thursday	<ul> <li>Finals Sunday</li> </ul>
Women's Singles-	Begins Thursday	- Finals Sunday

#### **Junior Singles Divisions:**

A junior is anyone under the age of 18 years old per the age requirement guidelines. (Non-Championship)

Boy's:	Girl's:	Combined:
18 and under (s)	18 and under <mark>(s)</mark>	14 and under (s)
		12 and under <mark>(s)</mark>
		10 and under (s)

#### Classic Racquet Singles Divisions:

Classic Racquet Division is taking you back in history. Only 18.5" racquets and smaller allowed! (*Non-Championship*)

Men's: (f)

Women's: (f)

Mixed: (f)

Wheelchair Doubles: Anyone can play in the wheelchair division (Non-Championship)

Men's: (f)	Women's: (f)	Mixed: (f)

### Singles Skill Divisions: Indoor & Outdoor

Players may only enter one skill division in indoor and one outdoor. (Indoor = Championship, Outdoor = Non-Championship)

Open <mark>(w)</mark>	Elite (w)	Men's: A <mark>(w)</mark>	В <mark>(w)</mark>	C (w)	D <mark>(w)</mark>
Open <mark>(t)</mark>	Elite <mark>(t)</mark>	Women's A <mark>(t)</mark>	: B (t)	C (t)	D (t)

#### Singles Age Divisions:

Players may only play their age group or younger. Age divisions are based on the players age as of May 23, 2018. (Championship)

		I	Men's: <mark>(w</mark> )			
24-	25+	30+	35+	40+	45+	50+
55+	60+	65+	70+	75+	80+	85+
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#### Age/Skill Divisions:

Players may only play their age group or younger. Age divisions are based on the players age as of May 23, 2018. (*Championship*)

Men's: 24- Elite/A/B/CD (w) 25+Elite/A/B/CD (w) 30+Elite/A/B/CD (w) 40+Elite/A/B/CD (w) 50+Elite/A/B/CD (w) Women's: 24-Elite/A/B/CD (t) 25+Elite/A/B/CD (t) 30+Elite/A/B/CD (t) 40+Elite/A/B/CD (t) 50+Elite/A/B/CD (t) 60+Elite/A/B/CD (t)

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Open (w) 30+(w)	Men's: Elite (w) 40+(w)	A (w) 50+(w)	B (w)
Open (w) 30+(w)	Women's: Elite (w) 40+(w)	A (w) 50+(w)	B (w)

	s Divisions: Indoor the skill division of the (Non-Championship	e higher-skilled player.
Men's:	Women's:	Mixed:
Open (t)	Open (f)	Open (f)
A (t)	A (f)	A (f)
B (t)	B (f)	B (f)
C (t)	C (f)	C (f)

#### **Centurion Doubles Divisions:**

A Centurion team qualifies when the combined age of the two players equals or exceeds 100 years. (*Non-Championship*)

Men's:	Women's:	Mixed:
Open (t)	Open <mark>(f)</mark>	Open (f)
A (t)	A (f)	A (f)
B (t)	B (f)	B (f)
C (t)	C (f)	C (f)