

2025 USATT Regional Championships



EVENT MANUAL

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT APPLICATION:
NOVEMBER 15, 2024

2024 USATT Regional championships

\$34,275 In
Prize Money

850
Participants

3600+ Matches

5 Regions

75+
Championship
Events

Regions

-Midwest (11) - IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI

Northeast (14) - CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VA, VT, WV

Pacific (11) - AK, AZ, CA, HI, ID, MT, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY

Southwest (8) - AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX

Southeast (7) - AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN



OVERVIEW

The USATT Regional Championships bring together players of all ages and skill levels to compete, improve, and share their passion for table tennis. These events provide a platform for emerging talent to shine and offer pathways to national and international competitions. Beyond the matches, the championships strengthen local communities, inspire new players, and unite table tennis players across the country in celebration of the sport. Spanning regions nationwide, these tournaments are accessible to everyone in the USATT community and have become a cornerstone of the event calendar, driving the growth and excitement of table tennis throughout the United States.



USATT Ranking Importance

- ▶ USATT Ranking points, especially those earned at Regional Championships, are crucial for table tennis players in the United States to climb up the USATT Ranking
- ▶ All Matches will also count for USATT Rating System



USATT RANKINGS

U.S. OPEN TABLE TENNIS
U.S. NATIONALS TABLE TENNIS
USA TABLE TENNIS REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
USA TABLE TENNIS STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

TOURNAMENT WEIGHTS

Points are awarded for each tournament based on their significance

- US Nationals & US Open** - 7x
- US Team Trials** - 5x
- USATT Regional Championships** - 4x
- USATT Top 10 Clubs Ranked Tournaments** - 3x
- US State Championships** - 1x (base weight)

Junior National Team Ranking Importance

- ▶ All Regionals events count towards the new Dynamic Ranking System for Junior National Team.
- ▶ Host Club MUST OFFER the Junior Age Events (U19, U17, U15, U13, U11) for both Boys and Girls
- ▶ We expect many Junior Players to participate in the USATT Regional Series so events have to be scheduled very cautiously – hence USATT will offer assistance in Competition Management



Hosting Requirements

- All USATT Member Clubs can Bid for USATT Regional Championship
- All Tournament Staff must be Safe Sport Compliant
- The Club Must have at least 15 courts in the field of play each with 30ft x 15ft
- Total Prize Money Offered must be over \$5,000; distributed across the events
- The Host Club must provide Live Results during the competition
- The Host Club must provide photos at the end of each competition day to USATT Media Team for Social Media Promotion
- The Host Club must provide quotes from Winners of Men's and Women's Singles at the end of the event as well as Tournament Director quote
- Host Club must release the entry form at least 90 days prior to the first day of competition. The USATT Event Team must approve the entry form before the Host Club releases it to the public.
- The USATT Event Team will work with the Host Club to release the prospectus. The Host Club must use the USATT template to align with all other regions.
- The Host Club must collaborate with USATT to ensure a positive player experience at Regional Championships.
- The Host Club must work with the USATT Media Team and assist in event promotion nationwide.

USATT Regional Championship Series Services

USATT will provide USATT Regional Championships Host Clubs following services:

- Inclusion on the USATT Event calendar.

- Inclusion to the USATT Ranking

- Usage of the OmniPong results and entries management system.

- Venue Branding support.

- PR and Marketing support.

- Digital media coverage and promotion.

- Support in obtaining discounted prices for Trophy and Medal

- One Complimentary Step-And-Repeat Banner

- Support in obtaining discounted prices for other media materials

- Tournament Balls provided by Paddle Palace

- Support in Managing the Competition



Hosting fees

- ▶ Host Clubs is responsible to handle all Registration and collect all entry fees
- ▶ Host Club is responsible to pay \$5/ player to USATT HQ after the completion of the event
- ▶ Host Club that is selected to hold the USATT Regional Championship is responsible to Sanction the event by submitting the Sanctioning Request to the Regional Sanctioning Coordinator and paying the sanctioning fee to USATT HQ



EVENT Presentation

- ▶ **Host clubs should strive to create a visually appealing and memorable event.** This includes prominently displaying the step and repeat banner provided by USATT as a backdrop for winner photos. Additionally, live streaming the finals can enhance audience engagement and reach. Host clubs may also consider investing in a custom table skirt for the feature table to further elevate the event's presentation. USATT can assist with designing and offering a discounted price for this customization.



Bidding application



All Bids must be submitted before
November 15th, 2024



[APPLICATION SUBMISSION LINK](#)



All USATT Regional Championship
must take place before June of
2025

Blackout weekends: Jan 25-26,
Feb 22-23