



1. Dates & Location

Monday 8th – Saturday 13th February 2016
Noumea, New Caledonia

2. Local Organising Committee

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5. Venue

Salle Jean Noyant
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6. Equipment

Tables: JOOLA (Blue) and DHS (Blue) Number: 12
Balls: Butterfly G40+ (White)
Flooring: Taraflex (Red)

7. Schedule (*provisional*)

Monday 8th February

Training Session 10:30-12:00 & 15:45-18:30
Coach Education 12.15 – 13.00 & 18:40-19:25

Tuesday 9th February

Training Session 08:45-11:30 & 15:45-18:30
Coach Education 11:40-12:25 & 18:40-19:25

Wednesday 10th February

Training Session 08:45-11:30 & 15:45-18:30
Coach Education 11:40-12:25 & 18:40-19:25

Thursday 11th February

Training Session 08:45-11:30 & 15:45-18:30
Talent ID 18:40-19:25

Friday 12th February

Training Session 08:45-11:30 & 15:45-18:30

Saturday 13th February

Competition 09:00-16:00
Evaluation 16:00-18:00

Full attendance at Training Sessions is mandatory for athletes; full attendance at Coach Education and Talent ID sessions is mandatory for coaches.



8. ITTF-Oceania Hopes Challenge

1. Hopes Boy's Singles
2. Hopes Girl's Singles

9. Eligibility

The 2016 ITTF-Oceania Hopes Week & Challenge is open to all National Associations that are affiliated to the Oceania Table Tennis Federation.

Only the entries of athletes endorsed by their National Association will be accepted.

Players born in 2004 or later and validated by their National Association may participate.

Entrants are not eligible to attend the 2016 ITTF World Hopes Week should they win the 2016 ITTF-Oceania Hopes Challenge having been born outside the years of 2004 and 2005.

10. Registration

The 2016 ITTF-Oceania Hopes Week & Challenge will accept a maximum of 8 Boys and 8 Girls

Phase 1

All National Associations affiliated to the Oceania Table Tennis Federation may nominate two (2) boys and two (2) girls.

The nominations will be approved by ITTF-Oceania based on historical performances, and current efforts from National Associations to develop talent identification programs, and National Hopes activities. For a National Association to maximise their chance to participate in this event, they should organise their own National Hopes Week.

Phase 2

Should the maximum number of eight (8) boys and eight (8) girls not be met through international entries, any positions not fulfilled may be allocated to players from New Caledonia.

11. Proposed Format of Play

The 2016 ITTF-Oceania Hopes Challenge Boy's Singles and Girl's Singles will be played in one stage, with a complete Round Robin taking place with all athletes playing against each other. The Host Association, in consultation with the ITTF Expert, reserves the right to alter the proposed format of play if deemed necessary.

⇒ All matches will be best of five games

12. ITTF-Oceania Assistance

ITTF-Oceania Development Program will provide accommodation assistance for all international athletes. With will cover accommodation from Sunday 7th February through to Sunday 14th February. The accommodation will be provided on a Triple Share basis. Should an athlete choose to not accept this assistance, they will be required to fully pay for their own accommodation. Please note that meals are not included in the assistance.

Full participation in the ITTF-Oceania Hopes Week & Challenge is required to receive this free accommodation.



13. Hospitality

Accommodation:

Hotel Le Pacifique – Complexe Nouvata parc (2.5-star)
23 Promenade Roger Laroque - BP 137- 98845 NOUMEA
Single room: 9000F/pers/night
Twin Room: 4500F/pers/night
Triple room: 4300F/pers/night
1.5 km, 15 Minutes walk to the venue
www.lepacifiquehotelnoumea.com/index

Transport:

Transport includes transfers to and from Noumea Airport. No transport will be provided between accommodation and venue, as they are within walking distance of each other.

Please note that all hospitality prices are in XPF

14. Travel and Health Insurance

All participants (athletes, coaches, accompanying persons) are required to have their own travel and health insurance.

15. Visa Requirements

For those requiring a visa to enter New Caledonia, the local organising committee will help with the application process to assist in ensuring the visa is approved on time. Participants must ensure they have received their New Caledonia Visa prior to their departure for New Caledonia.

16. Promotional Activities

Players are expected to attend the following promotional activities:

- Opening Ceremony
- Public Draw
- Media Interviews
- Awards Ceremony

17. Motion & Picture

By entering the event, athletes agree to abide by all ITTF Rules and by the rules and regulations of the Organising Committee. All entered associations and individual athletes agree to be under the auspices of the ITTF and its agents in all matters concerning television coverage, video, internet web casting, motion picture coverage and photographic coverage of any kind.

Participants release all rights or rights held by their agents or sponsors, in all matters relating to television and web casting coverage, video and motion picture coverage and photographic coverage of any kind. A participant's refusal of above listed coverage may be subject to suspension or dismissal from the competition.

18. Entry Fees

There is no entry fee to participate in the 2016 ITTF-Oceania Hopes Week & Challenge

19. Prizes

Through the assistance of the ITTF-Oceania Development Program, the winner of the ITTF-Oceania Hopes Week & Challenge Boy's Singles & Girl's Singles will receive financial assistance to attend the 2016 ITTF World Hopes Week & Challenge.



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If the winner(s) are unable to attend the ITTF World Hopes Week & Challenge this will result in the funding to be awarded to the next highest place finisher who is able to attend the ITTF World Hopes Week & Challenge.

The successful recipient of the financial assistance to attend the ITTF World Hopes Week & Challenge must have made full attendance at the 2016 ITTF-Oceania Hopes Week & Challenge, failure to make full participation will result in no financial assistance, and the offer will be made to the highest finisher meeting this condition.

All Players will receive medals or certificates, according to final positions

20. Deadlines

Preliminary Entry Form:	Friday 11 th December 2015
Final Entry Form:	Friday 15 th January 2016
Accommodation:	Friday 11 th December 2015
Travel Details:	Friday 15 th January 2016

No late entries accepted, all entries must be **Confirmed & Paid**