

# Alaska-Yukon Challenge

Friday & Saturday, May 9 & 10, 2014  
University of Alaska Fairbanks Patty Gym



Sponsors: *Fairbanks Interior Table Tennis and Mega Reporting Inc.*

Tournament Directors: Aporn Stein & Rick Robertson  
Referees: Diann Darnall

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The intent of this Tournament is for fun, friendship, and an opportunity to participate competitively in Table Tennis. Players of all skill and age levels are welcome.

**Regulation:** This event will follow “The Laws of Table Tennis Chapter 2” [www.ittf.com](http://www.ittf.com) unless modified herein or by the Tournament Directors.

**Equipment:** Stiga and/or Butterfly tables will be used. Orange 40mm three-star balls will be used.

**Release Forms:** All participants must sign the Release Form. ALL Minors under 18 yrs MUST have parent/legal guardian sign release form.

**Participant check in:** 15 minutes prior to the start of your event. Event time is forfeit time. All participants must have non-marking clean gym shoes!!!

**Special Tournament Regulations:** Players may wear shorts, slacks, or athletic pants. Same color shirts are encouraged but not mandatory for the Team Event.

**Ratings:** Each player will be given a Tournament Rating by the Directors. This rating will be based on the Home Club’s recommendation and previous tournament play. After the Singles Matches, if a player’s rating is way out of line with the other players, a representative from Yukon and Alaska will meet with the Head Referee and work out a reasonable solution.

**Handicap:** This is a Point System Event. For every 50 points difference in rating 1 point will be subtracted from the higher rated player prior to the match. All games will be scored to 11 points with a win by 2 points. If time allows, matches will be best 3 of 5 games, except in matches where 12 or more points are given, which will be 2 out of 3 games. The number of games per match will be determined after all the entries are received.

**Singles Event:** There are two divisions: *Open* for those with a Tournament Rating of 1,000+ and *Novice* for those with a rating of 999 and under. The minimum Novice Rating will be 500 (a 500 rating is for those who have just begun playing and have not placed in a tournament before).

**Team Event:** Each Team can have two or more players. All players will play in the highest member’s division. Individuals with a 1000 plus rates must play in the Open and Open Teams. Any team member with less than 1000 rating will take a minimum rating of 1000 and play up in the Open.

Prior to the start of the tie, each team captain will designate who will be playing in the singles and the doubles, as well as the order of play. If time allows, each Tie will consist of 2 singles matches, a doubles match, and 2 additional singles matches. Depending on the number of teams entered, the alternate method will be 2 singles matches and one doubles match per Tie.

**TIPS:** Good Sportsmanship is expected. Bring a sports bag, towel, athletic clothes (No Yellow or Orange Shirts), water bottle & energy food.

**FOOD:** Snacks, water, and sandwich items will be provided by FITT. Food must stay in designated area.

**GLUING:** No gluing is allowed in the building.

**FEES & COMPLETED FORM MUST BE RECEIVED BY May 2** by 9 PM to avoid late fee. Late entries ADD \$20. Late entries accepted only if approved by the Director.

**CASH PRIZES** in all events!!!

**Start Time:** (subject to change, check in at control desk)

**Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm	Check-in and setup
5:30 pm	Novice Singles (rated under 999)
5:30 pm	Open Singles

**Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 am	Warm-ups
9:20 am	Teams Event Starts
6:30 pm	Team Awards
7:00 pm	Building Closes

Evening Pot Luck location TBA

**Thank you to our Whitehorse Sponsor:**  
***Mega Reporting Inc.***

**Mail Entry to: FITT, PO Box 81113, Fairbanks, Alaska, 99708.**

**Make Checks out to: Fairbanks Interior Table Tennis (FITT) Questions?**

Call Aporn Stein 978-8849 or Email at: [aporn.stein@gmail.com](mailto:aporn.stein@gmail.com)

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## Entry Form (Please Print)

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

USATT Rating: \_\_\_\_\_ Canadian Rating: \_\_\_\_\_

Tournament Rating: \_\_\_\_\_ (Approved by the Director)

**Entry must be received by May 2nd.** \$20 late fee after deadline, if space available.

Individuals, who want to play in the team event and do not have a partner, can register and the Tournament Directors will formed teams as space allows. Early registration is encouraged.

### **Event Entry – A point system will be used in all the events.**

*Select with an "X" below*

	Per Player	Fee Amount
_____ Team Event (Team Name _____)	\$20	_____
_____ Team Partner (if available) _____		

*Choose One Singles Event*

_____ Open Singles or _____ Novice Singles (rating under 999)	\$20	_____
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Entry Fee Everyone \_\_\_\_\_ \$10

**TOTAL FEES** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### **LIABILITY WAIVER:**

I (print full name) \_\_\_\_\_ agree to participate in the Alaska-Yukon Challenge at the above location and time. I fully understand that I am fully responsible for any injury, damage, death or dismemberment while attending this event. I also release Fairbanks Interior Table Tennis, University of Alaska and all family members of above group, staff and volunteers from any liability while attending, participating or preparing for this athletic event. I will abide by all ITTF regulations and the special rules for this tournament.

Participant signature \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

If under 18 yrs, Parent or Legal Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

**Drop Entries at FITT or Mail Entry to: FITT, PO Box 81113, Fairbanks, Alaska, 99708.**