



ITSF Sport Code 2018

Modifications

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- Junior and Senior Categories
- Mixed doubles
- « Italian » style - Speedball
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- Local Tables for Local Competitions
- Tournament Requirements
- European Champions League
- Inter Continental Cup & World Masters

All details will be available after next ITSF congress in sport code

Available on www.tablesoccer.org

Junior and Senior Categories

Updated Categories

- Junior
- Senior

Junior

- Under 19
- Under 16
- Under 13
- girls U19
- Start a Youth European Championships

Senior

- 50 and over
- 65 and over

Goals :

- Start World Ranking for each category
- Open World Championships competitions as soon as it will be possible, after 2019
- Develop Youth Table Soccer
- Support local competitions for each category of player

Mixed Double

World Ranking

- Start on January 2018

World Series

- Hosted during each World Series
- Winner team (of the same country) will qualify for World Championships

World Championships

- Official title in Murcia 2019

Goals :

- Support Mixed Double competition in the world
- Develop women foosball

« Italian style » - Speedball

Rules of the game

- Make new rules with new name on January 2018

Table

- Homologate one main table for World Championships – Murcia 2019
- Homologate one ball for World Championships – Murcia 2019

Competitions

- Ranking events can be organized on any official and recognized tables for 2018

Goals :

- Organize a very popular world style of game
- Play main events only on one table in « Italian » style countries and internationally
- Use one main rules of the game in « Italian » style countries and internationally.

Spanish style – 2 legs

Rules of the game

- Start on January 2018

World Series

- 2 legs World Series will be organized starting on 2018
- World Ranking will start on January 2018

World Championships

- Official title in double category at Murcia 2019
- One table will be homologated on January 2018

Goals :

- Support a very different and important style of game
- Recognized one of the largest community of players (2 000+ clubs – 15 000+ membership players)
- Give a chance to foosball fan to discover « spanish » style

Local tables for Local Competitions

Rules

- ITSF will only homologate official and recognized tables only (no more continental)
- Federations will be able to play Pro Tour event on local tables

Conditions to play on local table

- A Federation have to prove that access to ITSF tables is not possible (live cost, customs, ...)
- A Federation have to prove that their traditional style, and main style of game in the country, is not « playable » on ITSF tables

Goals :

- Support Federation development based on local players
- Give access to ITSF events and rankings to all players
- Help « small » Federations reach minimum number of players in Pro Tour event

Tournament Requirements

Pro Tour

- OS: 20, OD: 12
- WS, JS, SS: 6 WD, JD, SD: 4

Master Series

- OS: 40 OD: 24
- WS, JS, SS: 12 WD, JD, SD: 8

International Championships

- OS: 60 OD: 36
- WS, JS, SS: 18 WD, JD, SD: 12

World Series

- OS: 80 OD: 48
- WS, JS, SS: 24 WD, JD, SD: 16

Goals :

- Have a fare ranking
- Support better quality tournament
- The organizers will have to guarantee a minimum of players for travellers

Details :

- **If a country is not meeting the minimum criteria for one category but is meeting the criteria for another, it will be penalized only for the category not fitting the requirements.**
- **Twice the minimum number of players = 20% bonus** points for that category
- **No exceptions for foreign players**

European Champions League (ECL)

Date, Location & Categories

- One week-end, **November** each year, Place is TBD
- **Men and Women** (no women can play for the Men ECL)
- **Min 6 or 4 teams** in the National Leagues
- National League **Publicity** (players, photos, links, results)
- ECL registration deadline is **one month before the ECL date**

Number of qualified teams

- One : 6 Men Teams, 4 Women Teams
- Two : 16 Men Teams, 8 Women Teams

Team number format

- Men & Women ECL - **4 + 3 reserve players** (minimum 4 players to make up a team), Format of play is TBD
- Players requirements and transfers will be presented on the ITS website on January

Goals :

- High quality ECL team event
- No cheating of players, teams, clubs
- Transparency of the information and publicity of the leagues
- More teams to participate
- League development worldwide

Intercontinental Cup & World Masters

World Masters

- Las Vegas, **28 March**
- Top 16 Men and 12 Women players
- Prize money for top 3 winners
- Travel Packages – 400 Europe, 200 – North America
- 15 000 EUR Prize pool (travel package and cash -12 000 EUR in 2016)

Inter Continental Cup (ICC)

- Las Vegas
- **29 March**
- Best Continental Teams & Selected Coach

Website

- **Coming on next Monday**

Goals :

- Prestigious Elite event for top players only
- Continental team development
- Worldwide foosball development and intercontinental player integration

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