



USA RACQUETBALL

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NATIONAL
JUNIOR OLYMPIC
CHAMPIONSHIPS

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You're Invited to the Premier Junior Racquetball Championship of the Year!

Seeing racquetball's best young players fall in love with the sport is truly memorable.

Team USA

Finalists in the Boys and Girls 14, 16 and 18 year-old singles divisions as well as the winners of these doubles divisions will qualify for a one-year appointment to the U.S. Junior National Team and have the opportunity to attend the Junior National Team Training Camp and the IRF Junior World Championships!



The Esprit National Team for younger participants will also be identified.



Player Awards Banquet + Special Surprise

U.S. Junior National Team qualifiers and All-American Athletes will be recognized at the Saturday evening awards ceremony at the University Place Waterfront Hotel on Saturday on Saturday. Entry fee includes player's ticket. Additional tickets are available on the registration website.

ALL-AMERICAN ATHLETES

Semi-Finalist in the Championship Singles and Finalists in the Championship Doubles will receive commemorative certificates.



Championship Medals!

All Championship Divisions will receive 1st - 4th place National Championship medals.

All Challenger Divisions will receive 1st & 2nd place Championship medals.

Presenting Sponsor



Fun, Fun and more Fun

Junior racquetball is great fun! National Junior Olympics is a perfect chance to get away with your family and enjoy the exuberant atmosphere of watching our young players bloom. Enjoy the camaraderie and lifelong sporting friendships.

Much to do in Central Calif.

Stockton and the surrounding areas of Lodi offer many activities.

The popular Downtown houses a multitude of shops and restaurants not far waterfront activities. Lodi Wine & Visitors center is a great place to kick off your very own wine safari. The area is also known for its Vineyards and Farm tours, local sports teams and so much more. Find more information at visitstockton.org.



Dining

Stockton dining includes an eclectic collection of dining experiences. Italian, Mexican, Chinese, Sushi and American Comfort food all can be found a short trip from the event site. Be sure to visit restaurants that feature Stockton's renowned asparagus dishes - Lincoln Center, AVE on the Mile, Angelina's, Spaghetti & Casa Flores.

Take me out to the Ballgame!

We have arranged for a family outing to the Stockton Ports vs. Visalia Oaks, Friday, 23rd, game time 7:10 PT. Ballpark is 2 blocks from host hotel. Tickets are \$5, available via R2 entry site and must be purchased by June 15th, while they last.

STOCKTON PORTS

Banner Island Ballpark
404 West Fremont Street,
Stockton, CA 95203
(209) 644-1900
info@stocktonports.com
<http://www.stocktonports.com>
Affiliation: (first year): Oakland Athletics (2005)



Accommodations

SAVE with these BELOW MARKET RATES. Mention **USA Racquetball** when reserving!

University Place Waterfront Hotel

110 West Fremont Street, Stockton, 95202
209-323-3057 **\$109 King, \$109 Double.**
Includes Breakfast. Available while supplies last and before June 6th.

La Quinta Inns Stockton

2710 West March Lane, Stockton, 95219
209-952-7800 **\$85 Queen beds.** Includes Breakfast Available while supplies last and before May 30th

Shuttle Information

Regular Service will be available from the Hotels to the Racquetball Clubs being used for the Junior Championships. This will begin Wednesday afternoon and go through Sunday mid-day. An exact schedule of pick up and drop off hasn't been finalized as of yet but you can expect service several times during the day.

Travel

9 airlines serve the Sacramento Airport with more than 30 non-stop destinations. If you want a scenic drive from San Francisco, SFO has almost 50 airlines to choose from.



Save on United fares to National Junior Olympics by calling the United Olympic Desk at (800) 841-0460 with discount code UO31

Car Rentals

Save up to 25% anytime with USA Racquetball car rental partners with these links or discount codes:



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Official Ball

Penn is the Official Ball of USA Racquetball and the ProPenn Green ball will be used in all matches.



USA Racquetball Membership

This National Championship is hosted for USA Racquetball members only. All participants must be current USA Racquetball members on all competition days. Pee-Wee Membership for 8 & under is Free.

Rules and Eyewear

USA Racquetball Official Rules will govern competition, including the mandatory use of protective eyewear tested to impact standards. It is the player's responsibility to ensure that their eyewear conforms with the standard in Rule 2.5 (a).

Officiating / Rules Test

Match losers are expected to referee a match immediately following a loss. Both players from a losing doubles team should report to the Championship Desk to see if both may be needed to referee. All Players are required to take the online A3 Junior Referee Test prior to the event. The test is FREE! Go to: www.teamusa.org/USA-Racquetball, Membership profile>>courses and testing>>my courses and tests



Looking for a Partner?

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

Championship Venues

In-Shape Sport - WestLane
1074 E Bianchi Rd,
Stockton, CA 95210



In-Shape Sport - Quail Lakes
2303 W. March Lane
Stockton, CA 9520



First Time Players—FREE

If you haven't played in the National Junior Olympics, now is your chance. The first 100 First Time players (those who haven't competed in the past three years) may enter 1 division at no entry cost. Try it, you'll like it! And bring a friend!!

To take advantage of this limited special offer, First Time Free entrants must register by May 31st by calling the USA Racquetball office between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Mountain on business days at (719) 635-5396 x 0.

Deadlines, Refunds & Fees

First Time—FREE	May 31, 2017 4pm MT
Regular	May 31, 2017 10:50pm MT
Late (\$20 fee)	June 9, 2017 4pm MT

(after regular deadline seeding not assured)

Entries must be received by USA Racquetball or made online by the deadline dates. Payment is due at the time of entry. USA Racquetball reserves the right to close entries of any division as of regular deadline. Refunds of entry (less a \$10.00 service fee) are available for withdrawals on or prior to Friday, May 31, 2017. Additional fees may include \$25 for returned checks and \$10.00 for declined debit/credit cards.

Fees: See back cover

\$75 / \$50 1st division
\$45 / \$25 2nd division
\$45/ \$25 *3rd division
(*Must be Doubles)

Starting Times: Available – June 15th @ 5:00 pm CT online at usaracquetball.com.

Check-In: Opens Tuesday - June 20th @4pm PT

Play Begins: Wednesday – June 21st @10am PT

Play Ends: Sunday - June 25th - @4pm PT

Eligibility:

Players must meet the age requirement as of January 1, 2017. Only U.S. citizens and residents are eligible to participate.

If you sign up for Challenger Divisions you may not sign up for Championship divisions and visa versa EXCEPT Mixed Doubles. If you have played in previous Junior Olympic double-bounce, you may not enter double-bounce divisions.

Format: Championship Singles will be Olympic

Format with 4 flights in each age group, Gold, Blue, Red & White, thus ensuring that a player typically has a minimum of 3 matches per division and eventually plays against similarly skilled players during the event.

IRF Recognized Championship Divisions:

(U.S. Junior Team eligible)

Boys & Girls Singles

18 & under	16 & under
14 & under	12 & under
10 & under	

Boys & Girls Doubles

18 & under	16 & under
14 & under	12 & under
10 & under	

Format: All Doubles and Challenger divisions

will be determined by the number of players and teams in each division and available space. Most will likely be round robin or pool play, though there may be need for single elimination.

Championship Mixed Doubles

(Not U.S. Junior Team Eligible)

18 & under	16 & under
14 & under	12 & under

Challenger Divisions:

(not U.S. Junior Team eligible)

Boys & Girls Singles

18 & under	16 & under
14 & under	12 & under
10 & under	8 & under

12 & under Beginners Only double-bounce

10 & under Beginners Only double-bounce

8 & under multi-bounce 6 & under multi-bounce

Boys & Girls Doubles

18 & under	14 & under	10 & under
16 & under	12 & under	

Seeding Information

www.teamusa.org/usa-racquetball/rankings/skill-division-ranking-range Download the "Seeding Criteria for National Events" document.

Input from different groups are evaluated including Staff, Junior Committee and U.S. Team Coaches. Seeds will be made available June 9th by 2pm MT. Written seeding protest must be made by June 11th 2pm MT, sent via email to the Tournament Director- Peggine@usaracquetball.com.



