



We are pleased to announce that İZMİR International Open and Veteran Tournament will take place between 4-8, August 2018 at **Kaya İZMİR Thermal & Convention Center**.

#### 1. TOURNAMENT PROGRAM

Please find program below.

PROGRAM	
Friday, 03 August 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Entry to Kaya İZMİR Thermal &amp; Convention Center</li> <li>• Playing venue will be open for practice between 18:00-22:00</li> </ul>
Saturday, 04 August 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registration 08:00-09:00</li> <li>• Opening Ceremony at 09:00-09:30</li> <li>• Group qualification matches in Veteran Singles and knockout matches</li> </ul>
Sunday, 05 August 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Veteran knockout matches in Singles</li> <li>• Veteran knockout matches in Doubles</li> <li>• Veteran Semifinals and Finals of Singles &amp; Doubles events</li> <li>• International İzmir Veteran Tournament Award Ceremony</li> </ul>
Monday, 06 August 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International İzmir Open Group matches</li> </ul>
Tuesday, 07 August 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International İzmir Open Singles Group Elimination matches</li> <li>• International İzmir Open Doubles Group Elimination matches</li> </ul>
Wednesday, 08 August 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International İzmir Open Singles &amp; Doubles Semifinals and Finals matches</li> <li>• International İzmir Open Tournament Award Ceremony</li> <li>• Closure</li> </ul>

## 2. CATEGORIES

Veteran categories are as follows for the Veteran Tournament

<b>VETERAN Tournament</b>
<b>Veteran Singles, Age Groups (M&amp;W)</b>
• 30 - 39 age
• 40 - 49 age
• 50 - 59 age
• 60 - 64 age
• 65 - 69 age
• 70 - 74 age
• 75 + age
<b>Veteran Doubles, (M&amp;W)</b>

OPEN Tournament categories are as follows ;

- Open Singles (Men)
- Open Singles (Women)
- Open Doubles

## 3. RULES

- The Qualifying Competition in singles & doubles in Veteran and Open matches will be played in groups (all play all). A group of four is preferred (according to the entries). The first and second placed will play in the knockout matches, the third and fourth (or if more than four in a group, according to the entries) placed will play in the consolation matches.
- Players eligible to plays final in their age categories in Veteran Tournament will be accepted to the Open tournament without registration fees.
- Each player has to participate in his own event category. Exceptions will be made for doubles pairs, where players do not belong to the same event category. In such cases, the pair will participate in the event category of the youngest player.

## 4. REGISTRATION

The IVO 2018-izmir is open to all interested players aged 30 years and over or who will reach their 30<sup>th</sup> birthday during the 2018 (born 1978 or earlier). This also includes participants who will reach the age of 30 during the course of the months after the event is scheduled.

- Registration will be accepted separately for izmir Veteran and Open Tournament.
- Registration might be limited if participation reach to a high numbers and might be subject to a ranking of the players.

Registration fees of the tournaments are as follow in EURO ;

Event Name	Attendance Fee
Open Singles (Men)	80
Open Singles (Women)	80
Open Doubles	25
Veteran	50

## 5. AWARDS

There will be awards for OPEN Tournaments only and details are as follow in EURO ;

Event Name	Prize 1 <sup>st</sup>	Prize 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Prize 3 <sup>rd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup>	Prize 5/8	Prize 9/16
OPEN Singles (Men)	4000	2000	800	150	75
OPEN Singles (Women)	4000	2000	800	150	75
OPEN Doubles	300	150	75	40	-

## 6. HOTEL RESERVATION

- **Kaya İZMiR Thermal & Convention Center** is the official hotel for the IVO 2018.
- **Ege Kongre** is the partner agency to arrange all Hotel reservation, airport-hotel-airport transfers, players party and sightseeing registrations.
- Registration & Accommodation requests will be completed via online forms that will be available soon at official web page of IVO2018.  
[www.ivott2018.com](http://www.ivott2018.com)
- All payment regarding registration and accommodation will be completed via Ege Kongre official partner of IVO2018.
- It will provided shuttle service from İzmir-Adnan Menderes Airport for those who take the accommodation package **OPTION 1**.
- Cost such as transfers, gala party and excursion tours will announce later.
- There will be cookies, tea & coffee served at playing venue twice a day during the tournaments and participants who stays at Kaya İZMiR Thermal & Convention Center will not pay any extra however players who choose **OPTION 2** (not staying at Kaya İZMiR Thermal & Convention Center) will pay daily fee.
- Lunch will also be available at Kaya İZMiR Thermal & Convention Center and each players and/or accompanying person will pay directly to the hotel.
- Accommodation and hospitality options are as follows ;

### **OPTION 1:** Players staying at Kaya Thermal Hotel

- Single room per day : 85 € + 8% VAT
- Double room per day: 110 € + 8% VAT
- Triple Room per day: 135 € + 8% VAT

**Note:** Includes full accommodation with meals, cookies and tea & coffee served at venue twice daily and airport transportation.

**OPTION 2:** Players not staying at Kaya Thermal Hotel

- Hospitality Fee per day: 15 €

Option 2 includes cookies and tea & coffee served at playing venue twice daily.

**Note 1:** Participants that are not staying at Kaya Thermal Hotel are responsible for their own accommodation, transportation and meals.

**Note 2:** Players that are not staying at Kaya Thermal Hotel and would like to participate OPEN and/or Veteran tournaments are subject to choose **OPTION 2** and pay daily hospitality fee.

**Note 3:** Organizing committee will offer Airport transfer where requested. (Cost of transfer will announce later.)

## **7. ILLNESS / ACCIDENT**

- To compete, participating players of the IVO 2018 are responsible for their physical and mental fitness. It is recommended that a routine check-up ahead of the IVO 2018 should be carried out by a doctor.
- The Organizing Committee (İZVET) does not provide health insurance for participants. First aid/medical duty personnel will be available at the IVO 2018 during the competition.

## **8. ENTRY CANCELLATION**

- Cancellation of participation is possible until 15 July 2018 to be sent to the Ege Kongre. After this deadline, cancellation will not be accepted.

## **9. DEADLINES**

- Final entries for Veterans 31 July 2018
- Final Entries for Open Tournament 15 July 2018