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Dear players,

Welcome to the **USIF Panthera Trophy (ITF Futures), Part of the UNIQLO Wheelchair Tennis Tour!**

Here's some information to help you:

Dates: 4-7 July, 2019 in Uppsala, Swedens

Arrival: The day before the tournament starts (i.e. July 3 2019).

Departure: Final day, afternoon/evening.

Prize money: 3 000 USD, payed in EUR

Draw sizes: M:16 M2nd:16 W:16 Q:16

Maximum amount of players: 64, as above.

Due to hotel restrictions we will not accept more players.

Players will be accepted on a ranking basis.

Entry deadline: 6 June 2019 (4 weeks ahead of the start of the tournament)

Please note that we expect all to enter, and pay, using the [digital entry form](#).

One entry per person/coach/accompanying person.

Full Entry fee: €390

Entry fee single room:

€590, i.e. €50 extra per night (pending availability)

Entry fee coach/accompanying person: €390

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Entry fee excluding accommodation: €130

Full entry fee includes: 4 nights (draw day-finals day), 4 breakfasts at the hotel, 4 lunches, 4 dinners (including players' party)

Entry form: Please fill out the [digital entry form](#).

VENUE: SEB USIF Arena

Address: Torgny Segerstedts Allé 2, 756 44 Uppsala

Telephone: +46 18 – 843 23 90

Email: reception@usif.se. Please note that questions about the tournament should be sent to the tournament organiser or the Players' contact, see below.

Number of courts: 3 match courts + 1 practice court (outdoors, clay)

Balls: RS Tour Edition

Other facilities:

-Physiotherapy

-Wheelchair Repair Station

-Restaurant, snack bar and stringer are all available at extra cost.

ACCOMMODATION: Viktoria Hotell & Konferens

Address: Almungevägen 33, 754 54 Uppsala

Telephone: +46 18-13 22 60

Email: Jenny.Blom@eurest.se

Arrival: Arlanda Airport (ARN) (~30 min by car from the venue)

You MUST send your travel details to the tournament organiser as soon as possible, in order to be picked up.

If there's no one there, please wait patiently. You might have to wait for other players to arrive. If you have any questions regarding the transport, please call the tournament director Jens Nilsson on +46 70 683 60 07.

The Tournament Desk will be set up at the tennis venue.

Sign-in must be done with the referee on the day before the matches start, i.e.

Wednesday July 3 between 14:00 and 16:00 (CET) at the venue. If you cannot make it during that time, you MUST call the referee, Bernd Priemer, before 16:00 CET sharp, or you will be left out of both the draws.

Telephone #: +46707673954.

Please note that we strongly recommend that you pay your entry digitally.

Either via the entry link: [digital entry form](#), or via credit card, since many bank offices avoid handling cash in Sweden.

Draws and Dinner:

Singles Draws will be done on July 3rd @17.00 CET, at the tennis venue.

Dinner is then served afterwards on site, at the restaurant next to the courts.

Practice courts: During Wednesday July 3rd, please contact *Players' contact* Petter Edstrom at +46 70 523 53 19 (WhatsApp).

Three courts are available 14.00-18.00 CET, 30 min sessions (sharing of courts, if needed).

Practice during the tournament: First and second match players each day will automatically be booked for practice on their match court before play starts (half court). First match players at 1 hour ahead of match start for 30 min's, and second match players for the next 30 min's. For all other practice, a booking sheet will be made available at the venue.

Doubles sign-in

Sign-in for doubles closes on the first game day, July 4th at 12.00 CET. Please expect the order of play to be updated shortly after the draw has been made.

Water: We will not provide bottled water on court. Instead you will receive a water bottle that you can fill up with excellent Swedish tap water. Please fill it up yourself and bring it to your match. Don't lose it. The tournament desk will keep a marker so that you can write your name on it.

Departure: Afternoon on the day of the singles final.

Please note that the tournament website will be updated during the tournament:
<http://www.rullstolstennis.se/panthera-trophy/usif-panthera-trophy-2019/>.

Last but not least: **You are all very welcome!**

If you have any concerns or questions, please let us know.

Safe travels, and see you in Uppsala!

Best Regards,

Jens Nilsson, Tournament Director

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