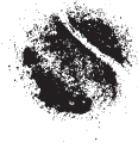


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The USTA National Spring Championships Hosted at the Indian Wells Tennis Garden

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**ATTENTION PLAYERS: ADIDAS PLAYER PARTY ON
SUNDAY MARCH 25TH AT 5:30PM IN THE OUTDOOR
PLAYER DINING AREA AT INDIAN WELLS TENNIS GARDEN**

Tournament Director: Lornie Kuhle

Tournament Referees: ITF:
Martha Gregg
(302) 598-2465
delaware10@aol.com

12's/14's/16's USTA:
John Bramlett
(951) 235-0319

Tournament Desk #: (760) 753-4705

Tournament Dates: March 24th – April 1st, 2018

Tournament Host Site: Indian Wells Tennis Garden
78-200 Miles Avenue
Indian Wells, CA 92210
(760) 200-8400 press ext. 1

Tournament Sponsors: adidas, Indian Wells Tennis Garden,
Laurel Springs School, Sanchez Casal
Tennis Academy, Wilson, SCTA,
USTA, Match! Tennis App

Tournament Website: www.easterbowl.com
Watch two different courts at the
Indian Wells Tennis Garden
STREAMED LIVE on our website and
app throughout the event!!!

Social Media Pages: www.facebook.com/easterbowl
<https://twitter.com/easterbowl>
www.instagram.com/easterbowl

Live Streaming:

Live streaming of courts PC1 & PC2 at IWTG is available throughout the week on our tournament website www.easterbowl.com and via the **Match! Tennis App**. If a player does not want to be on a court with live streaming, they must notify a tournament official in advance of their first match.

Events:

Boys & Girls' ITF: Singles draw of 64 Single Elimination. Best of 3 sets. Regular scoring. Doubles draw of 32.

Boys & Girls' ITF Qualifying: Singles draw of 64. 1st & 2nd rounds played on Saturday March 24th. 3rd round played on Sunday March 25th. 8 qualifying spots available.

PLEASE NOTE: During the second weekend there will be large crowds on the site due to the Indian Wells Arts Festival. There will be no charge for players to enter grounds or to park. Please enter through Gate 7 off Miles Avenue and proceed to the tournament desk inside the West Gate. Easter Bowl players and their families are welcome to attend the Arts Festival FREE OF CHARGE as long as they enter through Gate 7.

Boys & Girls 16's, 14's and 12's: Singles Draw of 64, Feed-In Consolation (through Qtrs.), Doubles Draw of 32, Single Elimination: 3/4/ Playoff for Singles & Doubles.

***Note** – A player should expect to play one round of main draw singles and one round of doubles. Two rounds of consolation singles starting third day.*

2018 Easter Bowl Match Formats:

Singles:

Boys and girls 14s & 16's: Main draw: Best of three sets with a tie breaker at 6 games all. Regular scoring.

Consolation: Best of two sets with a tie breaker at 6 games all. A "match tie break" (up to 10 by 2) in lieu of a third set. Regular scoring.

Boys & Girls 12's: Main and the back draw: best of two sets with a tie breaker at 6 games all. A "match tie break" (up to 10 by 2) in lieu of a third set. Regular scoring.

Doubles:

Boys and girls 12's, 14's, 16's: best of two sets with a tie breaker at 6 games all. A "match tie break" (up to 10 by 2) in lieu of a third set. Regular scoring.

ITF info listed below.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Adidas Easter Bowl Player Party & Dinner. Open to all Easter Bowl players.

WHEN: Sunday March 25th from 5:30-8:00 PM

WHERE: Indian Wells Tennis Garden Player Dining Room
Outdoor Patio.

TEAM USA Easter Bowl Coaches Reception & 2018 Awards

WHEN: Sunday March 25th from 6:15-8:00 PM

WHERE: Indian Wells Tennis Garden Player Dining Area. All Easter Bowl coaches are encouraged to attend!

The Jackie Cooper / Tory Fretz Sportsmanship Award

The tournament committee will select one overall sportsmanship award winner from the 2018 Easter Bowl. This player will receive Jackie Cooper/Tory Fretz Sportsmanship Award trophy, and will be acknowledged with a photo on the Easter Bowl website throughout the year.

SOCIAL MEDIA:

Throughout the event, tournament officials will be utilizing Twitter, Facebook & Instagram to post live updates using the hashtag **#EASTERBOWL** so we can bring as much attention to this great event as possible.

So, no matter what your preferred social media platform is, make sure to track us and use this hashtag to post about your Easter Bowl experiences!!!

**#EASTERBOWL #EASTERBOWL
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Player Registration & Doubles Sign In:

Registration Location: Indian Wells Tennis Garden
Members Lounge / Pro Shop
Inside the West Gate
78-200 Miles Avenue
Indian Wells, CA 92210
Park in **Lot 7** off Miles Ave.

B/G ITF Qualifiers AND

B/G 14's & 12's: Friday March 23rd from 12-6pm

B/G ITF Main Draw AND

B/G 16's: Sunday March 25th from 12-6pm

ITF Divisions: *Important!! All ITF players must register, complete medical release forms, pay entry fees, and pick up gift bags at the designated times above.*

ITF Divisions: The doubles sign-in deadline is 12:00pm on Monday March 26th for both genders. Players are responsible for finding their own partner and signing up as a team before the deadline.

12's, 14's & 16's Players are to email their doubles partners by Monday, March 19th doubles deadline. Please email lakewood10s@gmail.com The tournament is not responsible for matching up partners. The tournament committee will try to place teams together if any players have trouble finding one. Players on the alternate list may apply for doubles provided the draw is not full.

Ball: Wilson Heavy Duty – Boys 12s/14s/16s, Boys ITF
Wilson Regular Duty – Girls 12s/14s/16s, Girls ITF

Surface: Hard

Stringing: On-Site at Indian Wells Tennis Garden. Most string products available including Wilson, Prince, Babolat, Technifibre. Call 760-200-8200 ext. 1 for information.

Trainers: On-Site at Indian Wells Tennis Garden

Medical Release:

USTA Medical Release forms were provided to you when you registered electronically. Please fill out the form, have your parent sign it and bring it with you to Registration. Medical Release forms will also be available at Registration

Defaulting During the Tournament:

You must get approval from the on-site referee. Do not tell anyone at the desk and think you have properly defaulted. Do not call the desk to withdraw. Unless you speak to the referee IN PERSON, it will be counted as a “No-Show”.

USTA Rule of Play:

A set tiebreaker will be played at 6 all throughout the tournament. The Point Penalty System will be enforced.

Dress Code: Proper tennis attire should be worn at all times (such as tennis shorts or skirt and tennis shirts) by all participants. No gym shorts will be allowed on the court. No spandex.

Transportation: We recommend car rentals. Directions to satellite sites are included in this packet.

Dining & Shopping:

Food is available at the Indian Wells Tennis Garden in the Player Dining Area. For grocery shopping, there is an Albertsons located on the corner of Monterey and Country Club. If you're looking for a pizza delivery, we recommend Papa Dan's, a local favorite that delivers to all Rancho Mirage and Palm Desert hotels. We also recommend the Old Spaghetti Factory in Rancho Mirage!

Indian Wells Tennis Garden Info:

- 1- Easter Bowl players are ***prohibited*** from using the exercise equipment in the fitness room adjacent to the Pro Shop. Player are also prohibited from practicing on the Stadium Courts at IWTG. Anyone breaking these rules faces expulsion from the site.
- 2- No dogs or other pets on site.
- 3- No smoking.
- 4- 15% discount on all merchandise in the Pro Shop EXCLUDING sale items, food and drink.
- 5- Free Wi-Fi is available!! Connect using the "Guest Open Wi-Fi".
- 6- Food is available on site!!***

PLEASE NOTE: HYDRATE!!! Players should increase their intake of water at least 3 weeks prior to arrival to Palm Springs, and of course, bring a cooler to matches. Water and ice machines are available at each site to refill bottles and/or cups.

2018 EASTER BOWL INTENDED SCHEDULE

Intended Schedule of Play for Boys' & Girls' 12's, 14's

This is subject to change by the Referee for a cogent reason:

Singles Main Draw: Starting Saturday, March 25th: one round each day. Semi-finals on Wednesday, March 28th and finals & third place play-off on Thursday March 29th.

Singles Draw Consolation: Players who lose in the first through Quarter-finals main draw rounds will go into the consolation event. Consolation event will play twice a day until the end of event. Finalist in the consolation will take 5th & 6th place.

Intended Schedule of Play for Boys' & Girls' 16's

This is subject to change by the Referee for a cogent reason:

Singles Main Draw: Starting Monday, March 26th: one round each day. Semi-finals on Friday, March 30th and finals & third place play-off on Saturday, March 31st.

Singles Draw Consolation: Players who lose in the first through Quarter-finals main draw rounds will go into the consolation event. Consolation event may play twice a day until the end of event. Finalist in the consolation will take 5th & 6th place.

2018 EASTER BOWL INTENDED SCHEDULE (cont.)

Doubles Main Draw: One round of doubles each day. The doubles final & 3rd & 4th play-off will be held on the 5th day of event. All doubles best of 2 sets with a “match tie break” (first to 10 by 2) in lieu of a third set.

Boys & Girls ITF Intended Schedule of Play

Here is the intended schedule of play for the Boys & Girls ITF division of the Easter Bowl. This is subject to change by the Referee for a cogent reason:

Singles Main Draw: starting Monday, March 26th. One round each day, finals and third place match on Sunday April 1st.

Doubles Main Draw: starting Tuesday, March 27th. One round each day, finals on Saturday, March 31st.

Note: There is no singles consolation for the Easter Bowl ITF.

******Schedules are subject to change******

2018 EASTER BOWL INTENDED SCHEDULE (cont.)

ITF Doubles – ONLY –

Doubles matches in the ITF division will consist of two tie break sets with a deciding match tie break (10 point) in lieu of a third set. No-ad scoring will also be used.

All ITF division matches will be played at Indian Wells Tennis Garden.

All ITF players ***must wear appropriate clothing*** (no t-shirts) and ***partners must wear similar colors*** (*shorts to shorts and shirt to shirt*). Acceptance for doubles follows ITF regulations. **Logo requirements will be enforced.**

Doubles: Boys & Girls 16's, 14's & 12's

If you know who you're playing doubles with, you may email that information directly to:
lakewood10s@gmail.com

Players on the singles alternate list may play doubles provided the doubles draw does not fill initially with main draw singles players.

**2018 EASTER BOWL SITES, ADDRESSES, DIRECTIONS &
PARKING**

INDIAN WELLS TENNIS GARDEN PARKING POLICY:

All players, parents, coaches, etc. will be admitted to the grounds of Indian Wells Tennis Garden. Cars must be parked in **LOT 7 off Miles Avenue**, about a ½ mile west of Washington St. Look for the tall ADIDAS wind flags at the entrance to the lot.

If a player has a match and time is an issue, it is advised to drop the player off at the courts and proceed to the parking areas. !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

DIRECTIONS TO MATCH SITES:

(all directions begin at Lot 7 at the Indian Wells Tennis Garden)

**INDIAN WELLS TENNIS GARDEN (Main Tournament Site)
78-200 Miles Avenue
Indian Wells, CA 92210
(760) 200-8400**

*****No practicing on Stadium Courts at Indian Wells Tennis Garden. Players violating this rule face expulsion from the grounds.*****

**2018 EASTER BOWL MATCH SITES, ADDRESSES, DIRECTIONS
& PARKING (continued)**

WOODHAVEN COUNTRY CLUB

41555 Woodhaven Drive East, Palm Desert, CA 92211 - (760) 578-1218

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.5 miles). Go right on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn left onto Washington St (1.3 miles). Turn left toward Woodhaven Dr E (500ft). You will be stopped by a guard gate at the entrance to Woodhaven, where they will point you to the tennis facility. Estimated driving time 5 minutes.

RANCHO LAS PALMAS

41000 Bob Hope Dr, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270 - (760) 568-2727

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.5 miles). Go left on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn right onto Highway 111/CA-111 (5.5 miles). Turn right onto Bob Hope Dr (0.7 miles). Turn right on Avenida Las Palmas (0.2 miles). Pull up to guard gate and tell them you're heading to the Tennis Club for the Easter Bowl. They will direct you from there. Estimated driving time 11 minutes.

ALERT!!!! FOR PLAYERS WHO ARE PLAYING THEIR MATCHES AT RANCHO LAS PALMAS BE AWARE THAT SOMETIMES PARKING IS AN ISSUE. IF THE PARKING LOT IS FULL, PLAYERS MAY BE DIRECTED TO PARK AT THE HOTEL AND TAKE A SHUTTLE TO THE COURTS. PLEASE BUILD IN AN EXTRA 15 MINUTES FOR YOUR ARRIVAL TIME RANCHO LAS PALMAS JUST IN CASE THIS HAPPENS.

DEEP CANYON TENNIS CLUB

73120 Frank Feltrop Circle, Palm Desert, CA 92260 - (760) 568-6822

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.8 miles). Turn right on CA-111 N (4.2 miles). Turn left onto Hwy 74 W / Monterey Ave (1.1 miles). At about the 1-mile point, you'll see a sign indicating that Deep Canyon Tennis Club is to the left. Turn left at the Deep Canyon Tennis Club sign and you will arrive at the guard gate. Go left onto Desert Heights Cir N/Frank Feltrop Cir. You will

arrive at the guard gate for Deep Canyon Tennis Club. Once through, go right, wind around a bit, and you'll see the courts on your left. Estimated driving time 10-15 minutes.

Note: When driving up CA 74W, if you pass a large Presbyterian Church, you've gone too far. Make sure to watch for that sign at about the 1-mile mark...

PALM VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB

39205 Palm Valley Drive, Palm Desert, CA 92211 - (760) 345-2745
Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.4 miles). Go right on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn left on Washington St (2.0 miles). Turn left on Country Club Dr (1.7 miles). Turn right onto Palm Valley Drive. Pull up to guard gate and tell them you're heading to the Tennis Club for the Easter Bowl. They will direct you from there. Estimated driving time 10 minutes.

SUNRISE COUNTRY CLUB

71-601 Country Club Drive, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270 - (760) 328-6549
Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.5 miles). Go left on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn right onto Highway 111/CA-111 (5.5 miles). Turn right onto Country Club Drive (2.7 miles). After 1.1 miles, turn right in to Sunrise Country Club (onto Sunrise Dr). Pull up to guard gate and tell them you're heading to the Tennis Club for the Easter Bowl. They will direct you from there. Estimated driving time 15 minutes.

LA QUINTA RESORT & TENNIS CLUB

49-499 Eisenhower Drive, La Quinta, CA 92253 - (760) 564-7655
Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head east on Miles Ave toward Washington Street (0.5 miles). Go right on Washington. Stay straight on Washington for 3.4 miles. Go right on Avenida Fernando in to La Quinta. Take first left on Avenida Obregon. Tennis courts and parking are on the right. Estimated driving time 10 minutes.

2018 EASTER BOWL SITES, ADDRESSES, DIRECTIONS & PARKING (continued)

PRACTICE COURT POLICIES AT EASTER BOWL SITES:

The Easter Bowl uses multiple sites for matches & practice and each site has its own administration for their individual policies. In general, sites will permit players on the day of their matches to warm up before they begin for no fee...IF...there are available courts. Check with your site director when you arrive to the location for your match.

This is a link to all the tennis courts in the Coachella Valley and is a valuable tool to research practice courts, both Fee & No Fee courts:

<https://www.globaltennisnetwork.com/tennis-courts/courts>

PRACTICE COURT SITES WITH A FEE:

LA QUINTA RESORT & TENNIS CLUB

49-499 Eisenhower Drive, La Quinta, CA 92253 – (760) 564-7655

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head east on Miles Ave toward Washington Street (0.5 miles). Go right on Washington. Stay straight on Washington for 3.4 miles. Go right on Avenida Fernando in to La Quinta. Take first left on Avenida Obregon. Tennis courts and parking are on the right. Estimated driving time 10 minutes. Practice courts at La Quinta are available at \$10 per hour. Please call 760-564-7655 for reservations. Players must identify themselves as an Easter Bowl competitor when booking a practice court.

PRACTICE COURT SITES FEE (continued)...

PALM DESERT RESORT & COUNTRY CLUB

77333 Country Club Drive, Palm Desert, CA 92211 – (760) 851-1922

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.4 miles). Go right on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn left on Washington St (2.0 miles). Turn left on Country Club Dr (0.8 miles). Turn left on Resorter Blvd. Pull up to guard gate and tell them you are heading to the Tennis Club for the Easter Bowl. They will direct you to the proper lot from there.

Estimated driving time 10 minutes. 14 courts available. Players can book courts by telephone or email and make payment in advance with credit card. For all reservations please call Director of Tennis Daniel Nabedrick at 760-851-1922 or email info@palmdeserttenniscamps.com and someone will respond with confirmation. Courts are \$20/person for unlimited day pass to play and practice. Available for all players, coaches and parents. Hitting with professional coaches – available everyday from 7am-7pm for \$70/hour or \$100/1.5hrs.

WOODHAVEN COUNTRY CLUB

41555 Woodhaven Drive East, Palm Desert, CA 92211 - (760) 578-1218

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.5 miles). Go right on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn left onto Washington St (1.3 miles). Turn left toward Woodhaven Dr E (500ft). You will be stopped by a guard gate at the entrance to Woodhaven, where they will point you to the tennis facility. Estimated driving time 5 minutes. Courts available on a first come first serve basis. Advanced reservations are accepted but only with a credit card. \$10/hour per court. For reservations or hitting lessons, call 760-578-1218.

RANCHO LAS PALMAS RESORT & SPA

42001 Bob Hope Dr, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270 – (760) 862-4531

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right onto Warner Trail (0.4 miles). Turn left onto Fred Waring Dr (5.2 miles). Turn right onto CA-111 N (0.7 miles). Turn right onto Bob Hope Dr (0.4 miles). Turn right onto Avenida Las

Palmas. You will be stopped by the guard gate at the entrance of the Country Club, where they will point you to the tennis facility. Estimated driving time 12 minutes. Courts are \$20/hour. Lighted courts also available for a fee. Please call ahead to book reservations. Players will be assigned a court on a first come first serve basis. Courts will be blocked 1 hour at a time. Players may book additional time once they finish their 1st hour. Players may have to share courts. Please check in at the tennis desk and staff will assign courts. Hitting lessons available.

DESERT PRINCESS COUNTRY CLUB

28555 Landau Blvd., Cathedral City, CA 92234 - (760) 322-5178

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.5 miles). Go right on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn left onto Washington St (2.3 miles). Merge onto I-10W (10.7 miles). Take exit 126 for Date Palm Drive (signs for Cathedral City), then turn left onto Date Palm Drive. Drive 0.4 miles on Date Palm then turn right onto Vista Chino. Drive 1 mile then turn left onto Landau Blvd. Take the first right onto Desert Princess Road. Park on the left side behind the Golf shop cart barn. Walk around left side of building and you will see tennis courts down the path. Estimated driving time 19 minutes.

PALM VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB

39205 Palm Valley Drive, Palm Desert, CA 92211 - (760) 345-2745

Directions from IWTG Lot 7: Head west on Miles Ave toward Warner Trail (0.2 miles). Go right on Warner Trail (0.4 miles). Go right on Fred Waring Dr (0.5 miles). Turn left on Washington St (2.0 miles). Turn left on Country Club Dr (1.7 miles). Turn right onto Palm Valley Drive. Pull up to guard gate and tell them you're heading to the Tennis Club for the Easter Bowl. They will direct you from there. Estimated driving time 10 minutes. Advance reservations can be taken starting Wednesday March 22nd. Players assigned courts on a first come first served basis. Hours 7am-9pm. Courts may be booked 1 hour at a time. Players may have to share courts. **There will be 8 NO FEE courts available to all Easter Bowl players on Friday March 23rd, between 12pm-9pm, also on a first come first served basis.**

PRACTICE COURT SITES NO FEE:

INDIAN WELLS TENNIS GARDEN (MAIN SITE)

78-200 Miles Avenue, Indian Wells, CA 92210 – (760) 200-8400

Practice courts are available for \$10/hour per court starting Friday March 31st, but not before due to other events. On Friday March 31st, eight free practice courts will be available to ITF players and also to those USTA players in other divisions who have their first round matches scheduled at IWTG. No advance reservations will be taken and players will be assigned Court on a first come first served basis. Check into the pro shop for Court assignment. On days with matches, practice courts are available before first matches of the day at NO FEE.

Tournament cannot guarantee practice courts during the days of play at the Garden. Please use the other practice facilities during those times frames.

EMBASSY SUITES

74-700 CA-111, Palm Desert, CA 92260

These **NO FEE** courts are available for players staying at Embassy Suites only. Players must obtain a one hour voucher from the front desk and then present it to the tennis desk next to the tennis courts. Court will be assigned on a first come first served basis. Please use proper court etiquette when sharing the courts. If others are waiting, 1 hour usage is recommended. Four practice courts available.

PALM DESERT COMMUNITY CENTER

43900 San Pablo Ave, Palm Desert, CA 92260 – (760) 568-9697

These are **NO FEE** community courts and regulations are posted at the site. Please use proper court etiquette, especially if others are waiting. Six total courts available.

PRACTICE COURT SITES NO FEE (continued):

COLLEGE OF THE DESERT

43-500 Monterey Ave, Palm Desert, CA 92260

College of the Desert will allow our Easter Bowl participants to practice at the site for NO FEE from Friday March 23rd through Tuesday March 27th. Easter Bowl participants will use the courts for practice on an unregulated basis (first come first served). If others are waiting, players should share the court. Players may use the court for 1 hour if other players are waiting. COD tennis team players have priority over the courts at all times. PARKING: Use Lot 5. Parking in other areas will likely result in a ticket from campus police.

AT ALL SITES: Some days matches may finish in the early afternoon, particularly at La Quinta, The Marriott, and Desert Princess, which would open up some practice courts. Check with your site directors for FREE practice courts when matches are finished for the day.

<https://www.globaltennisnetwork.com/tennis-courts/courts>

EMERGENCY CARE

EMERGENCY CARE: One of the finest hospitals in the country, the Eisenhower Medical Center is located at 39000 Bob Hope Drive. Call 760-340-3911. For urgent care, call 760-834-3593 for the Urgent Care Center at 72780 Country Club Drive in Rancho Mirage. In the case of an emergency, it is best to call 911.