

Friday 16 September 2022

Dear President / CEO / General Secretary,

I write to you following our announcement on 18 July 2022 of the dates and locations for the 2023 ITF World Tennis Masters Tour - World Team & Individual Championships.

We are informed that Pope Francis, Head of the Catholic Church, is confirmed to visit Lisbon in early August 2023 for World Youth Day, an event that is expected to see large numbers of people in the city. The ITF and Portuguese Tennis Federation ("FPT") have held further discussions with local authorities and official hotel providers in Lisbon because it is apparent that the demand for hotel rooms and the impact on room rates will be significant.

The ITF and FPT have therefore decided that the dates for the ITF World Tennis Masters Tour – 55, 60 World Team Championships must be adjusted to Sunday 13 to Friday 18 August 2023, with the 55, 60 World Individual Championships moved to Saturday 19 to Saturday 26 August 2023.

This adjustment is unfortunate but hopefully understandable and it has been taken in the best interests of the National Associations, Players, and event. We apologise for any inconvenience caused. The event dates for all other age groups and locations are not affected – as shown in the table below:

2023 ITF WTMT Team & Individual Championships (Locations and Dates)				
Age Group & Event	Location	Event Dates	Entry Deadline	Player Nomination / Team Withdrawal Deadline
30, 35, 40, 45, 50 World Team Championships	Manavgat, Antalya, Turkey	Sunday 19 to Friday 24 March 2023	09 Jan 2023	06 February 2023
30, 35, 40, 45, 50 World Individual Championships	Manavgat, Antalya, Turkey	Saturday 25 March – Saturday 1 April 2023	20 March 2023	Not applicable
55, 60 World Team Championships	Lisbon, Oeiras and Estoril, Portugal	Sunday 13 August to Friday 18 August 2023	05 June 2023	03 July 2023
55, 60 World Individual Championships	Lisbon, Oeiras and Estoril, Portugal	Saturday 19 to Saturday 26 August 2023	14 August 2023	Not applicable
65, 70, 75, 80, 85 World Team Championships	Capdepera, Mallorca, Spain	Sunday 8 October to Friday 13 October 2023	31 July 2023	28 August 2023
65, 70, 75, 80, 85, 90 World Individual Championships	Capdepera, Mallorca, Spain	Saturday 14 to Saturday 21 October 2023	09 October 2023	Not applicable

As previously stated, individuals are advised not to make non-refundable flight or accommodation bookings until the official Fact Sheet is released, which we are aiming to share not less than 4 months prior to each event.

Please contact MastersWC@itftennis.com if you have any questions.

Kind regards,



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