

ITF World Tennis Masters Tour 30, 35, 40, 45 World Team Championships 2025

Event Fact Sheet

(as of November 2024)

ITF Masters World Team Championships for Men's and Women's 30,35,40,45 and over age groups:

Men's 30 Cup (Men's 30) Women's 30 Cup (Women's 30)

Italia Cup (Men's 35) Suzanne Lenglen Cup (Women's 35)

Tony Trabert (Men's 40) Young Cup (Women's 40)

Dubler Cup (Men's 45) Margaret Court Cup (Women's 45)

Sunday 9 March to Friday 14 March 2025 Ali Bey Club, Manavgat, Turkiye

Please send all queries (except hotel queries which must be sent to the specific email address noted) relating to the ITF Masters World Championships to the following address: masterswc@itftennis.com

Tournament Dates

Team Competition Dates: Sunday 9 March to Friday 14 March 2025

Team Entry Deadline: Monday 13 January 2025

Player Nomination Deadline: Monday 27 January 2025

Captains Meeting & Saturday 8 March 2025

Opening Ceremony:

Final Matches: Friday 14 March 2025*

*All teams and players <u>must</u> be ready and able to play throughout the entire tournament, including the entirety of Friday 14 March 2025. **Players must not book travel to leave until Saturday 15 March.**

Entry Details: Entries can only be accepted if received from a National Association. The Entry form is available for NAs from masterswc@itftennis.com



Entry Fee

Entry Fee: \$650 USD per team.

Nomination Deadline: Teams must nominate 3 or 4 players by the player nomination deadline (Monday

27 January 2025)

Withdrawal Deadline: Monday 27 January 2025

Booking Hotels & Travel Booking

It is the responsibility of the National Association / Team / Players to book and pay for travel and accommodation. The ITF recommends travel arrangements include a refundable/transferable option. Details of the official Tournament Hotels are listed within this Fact Sheet.

Tournament Event Dates

Captains Meeting

When: Saturday 8 March 2025 at Ali Bey Club Manavgat (from 13.00pm)

Time: 13.15pm – Women's 30, 35, 40, 45 **Time:** 15.00pm – Men's 30, 35, 40, 45

Where: Fitness Area (signs will direct you to this area). In the event of rain, this will take place undercover

at the bar area of the Tennis Facility.

Captains' meetings are open to Team Captains only unless a request is submitted to bring an additional team member to act as an interpreter.

This will be followed by the Opening Ceremony

Opening Ceremony When: From 16.30pm, Saturday 8 March 2025 at Ali Bey Club Manavgat

All team members are to be at the opening ceremony in their nation's tennis wear (tracksuit or tennis outfit). Teams are requested to meet at the Pool Area near the main restaurant at 16:30pm. Full details of the Opening Ceremony will be shared at the captains meeting. The Ceremony should conclude by 18.00pm.

Official Team Dinner: When: 19.30pm on Wednesday 12 March 2025

Where: Ali Bey Club (Pool Side near Main Restaurant)

- Free of charge for all nominated Players and Team Captains
- Free of charge for all accompanying persons staying at Ali Bey Club Manavgat
- Cost for Guests not staying at the official hotel: 55 Euros per person
- Reservation Deadline for paying guests: 12:00pm Tuesday 11 March.
- Payment can be made on site by cash or credit card.
- Guests of teams who are not staying at the hotel will be provided with a wristband.



Medal Ceremony

Medal ceremonies will take place on Friday 16 March with medals awarded to all teams finishing from 1st to 4th place in each event. All medal teams (1st to 4th place) must attend the Medal Ceremony which will be held on Centre Court following the completion of all medal matches.

Venues and Court Surface:

All Cups will be played on Red Clay Courts at one (1) venue:

Ali Bey Club, Manavgat (up to 54 Courts)

Ali Bey Club Manavgat, Kızılağaç Turizm Merkezi, 07600 Manavgat / Antalya, Türkiye

Website: https://www.alibey.com/en/club/tennis

Official Practice Days

When: Friday 7 March and Saturday 8 March 2025

A practice court schedule will be made shared in an online Captains' folder (available mid-February 2025)

Practice Balls: Practice balls will be provided for a small refundable deposit subject to the balls being returned immediately after the practice time.

Draw Format

Draw Format: Teams will be drawn into Round Robin groups that will be played on Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday. Additional matches, including the Quarter Finals, Semi Finals and Finals will be played on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

Match Times: *Unless advised otherwise, practice 1 will start at 8.20am, practice 2 will start at 8.45am and Ties will start at 9.30am each day.

Scheduling & Courts: Each tie will consist of 2 singles and 1 doubles match. Doubles matches must be played in all round-robin groups regardless of the score after singles.

To be confirmed by January 2025

* If there are high entry numbers which requires more than 54 ties (54 courts) to be played in a day, it may be necessary to play ties in the morning with a second round of ties starting later in the day. Details will be confirmed in February, following the player nomination deadline.



Scoring Format

Singles Scoring Format (30,35,40,45): Best of 3 tie-break sets in all singles matches.

Doubles Scoring Format: All doubles matches will consist of a 2 tie-break sets and 10-point match tie break (this includes round-robin stage and knock-out position stage).

Order of Play: Order of Play and Practice times during the tournament week will be confirmed at the Captains meeting and communicated during the week online and at the official hotel.

Format of Play

Format of Play will be determined by the number of entries for a specific team cup. The draw format will be released to captains in February, following the player nomination deadline.

Advancement of 2nd Placed Teams from the Round Robin Stage.

Draw sizes of between 17-23 teams in the ITF Masters World Team Championships. The method is determined by the ITF Masters Committee, who last reviewed the procedure in October 2024.

Each group winner shall qualify for the Quarter Finals of the main draw knock-out.

Any vacant positions in the main draw Quarter Finals will be filled by 'lucky loser' teams in line with the following process:

- All teams that finish in 2nd place in the final group standings will be ranked in order of their two (2) highest ranked players based on the latest ITF Masters Singles Rankings within the same age category.
- Not all 2nd placed teams will be included in the lucky loser draw process. The number of second-placed teams considered for the lucky loser draw process will depend on the number of vacancies:
 - If there is one (1) vacancy in the main draw quarter finals, this shall be drawn amongst the (2) highest-ranked teams finishing in 2nd place in their round robin group.
 - If there are two (2) vacancies in the main draw quarter finals, this shall be drawn amongst the three (3) highest-ranked teams finishing in 2nd place in their round robin group.
 - If there are three (3) vacancies in the main draw quarter finals, this shall be drawn amongst the four (4) highest-ranked teams finishing in 2nd place in their round robin group.
- Vacant positions in the Quarter Finals shall firstly be allocated to the opponent of Line 1 (expected #1 seed), followed by Line 2 (expected #2 seed), and so on.
- Except for draw formats where only one (1) "lucky loser" is drawn, a "lucky loser" shall not be drawn to play the winner of their own round-robin group.
- Teams that are not drawn shall be included in the playoff stages for position 9th onwards.
 - Draw Formats of 6 and 12-16 teams will advance group winners and 2nd placed teams to Quarter Finals.
 - Draw Formats of 17-23 teams will advance to Quarter Finals with group winners and one (1), two (2),



Completion of Matches

All singles and doubles matches in the round-robin <u>and</u> playoff stage must be completed. This includes all medal matches. Failure to play any match shall result in all players in the team receiving zero (0) ranking points for their participation in the ITF Masters World Team Championships.

Notes:

- The mandatory completion of doubles matches in the playoff stage has been introduced by the ITF Masters Committee for all 2025 ITF Masters World Team Championships.
- Significant ranking points are available in the ITF Masters World Team Championships, based on wins at each stage of the competition.
- The ITF promote opportunity and participation. Teams often nominate four (4) players for the event. Non-completion of doubles often restricts the ability for players to compete in the event.

Player Registration and Accreditation

All players will be provided with accreditation that must be worn at all times on site. Player Accreditation will be available for collection prior to the Captains Meeting. Player Accreditation will be collected by the Team captain at the following time:

When: Friday 7 March & Saturday 8 March 2025

Where: 10:30am - 12:00pm

Sports Medicine Physiotherapists

On-court Treatment – free of Charge.

Off-court Treatment will be charged at 25 Euros for 15 minutes.

Please note payment is **Cash ONLY**

Stringing

Stringing Services are available at both tennis venues
Cost: 20 Euro (labour only without strings)
Payment by cash or credit card

Live Streaming & Live Scoring

Live streaming of a limited number of match courts will be provided during the event.

Live Scoring will also be provided from some courts.



Official Hotel Accommodation

OFFICIAL HOTEL (available for duration of Team & Individual Championships)

Ali Bey Club Manavgat

Kızılağaç Turizm Merkezi, Manavgat, Turkiye, 07600

Tel: +90 242 748 73 73 Website: www.alibey.com

All players can be accommodated on site in the guesthouses benefiting from full access to the beach.

Hotel Room Prices (in Euros €)

Standard room: Single room – from 155,00€/night Twin room – from 110,00€ per person per night Superior room: Single room – from 170,00€/night Twin room – from 120,00€ per person per night

Payment can be made by cash or credit card at check in time.

The rates provided are fully inclusive of the items listed below:

- Local Taxes
- Breakfast, Lunch, Snack and Dinner (open buffet).
- All local drinks (except some special wines and champagne); orange juice at breakfast;
- Mini-bar in room (2x soft drinks, 2x water, 2x mineral water, 2x beer);
- Ice-cream

Payment may be made with cash, and all major credit cards, including VISA, MasterCard and AMEX.

BOOKING INFORMATION (bookings by email only)

Deadline Date: Saturday 22 February

Tel: +90 242 748 7373 Email: belibol@alibey.com

When booking directly with the hotel, please remember to indicate that you are participating in the ITF Masters World Team Championships. Do not attempt to make reservations through the ITF.

Bookings should be made by email only – online bookings will not receive the same rates. Bookings must be a minimum of three (3) days

Players travelling from Germany, Austria, and Switzerland can choose the option to book the hotel and/or

Patricio Travel Offer: Click Here for More Details

Tel: +49 8591 93 99 133

Email: seniors@patricio-sport-events.com



Other Hotel Information

Tennis: The Tennis complex is located within the hotel grounds. A Tennis shop is present offering Tennis Point products and stringing services etc.

Restaurants: There are five on site restaurants.

Entertainment: Provided each night for hotel guests. Performances include world-famous musicals, live music, karaoke, and themed evenings.

Mini Club: Offered for 4 years upwards. Baby stroller rental service and babysitting (extra charge) available.

Aquapark: Built on an area of 25.000m2 and decorated with trees. Equipped with 25 different slides.

Fitness Studio: Further details available onsite

Spa: (extra charge): Further details available onsite

Cancellation Details

Cancellation of booking must be 7 days before to avoid any charges.

If booking is cancelled or changed with less than 7 days, a charge of 3 days rates will occur.

Guests who are not staying at Ali Bey Club

Ali Bey Club is a private all-inclusive facility which is accessible for all hotel guests, and players competing in the World Championships. Guests of players who are staying outside of the official hotel shall be permitted access to the tennis facility at no charge in line with the following:

- Up to 2 guests per team shall be permitted with complimentary access to the tennis facility. These persons are required to pay €40.00 euros per day should they wish to eat or drink on site.
- Without limit, any additional guests of teams or players who are not staying at Ali Bey will be required to pay €40.00 euros per day, which will also allow them to eat and drink at the facility.
- Any player not staying at the hotel will be required to pay €40.00 for each day that they wish to eat
 or drink at the tennis facility. Players not staying at the hotel <u>must not</u> eat in the restaurant or have
 drinks/snacks from the bar unless this daily payment is made.



Travel and Transport Details

Antalya International Airport (AYT) is located 75km from Ali Bey Club, Manavgat.

Tournament Shuttle services will run every two hours, at a cost of 35€ Euros one way. Booking must be made at least 48 hours in advance of your arrival via email – fgucumen@alibey.com

Private shuttle transfer is also available (max. 4 persons) and must be booked in advance via email – fgucumen@alibey.com (48 hours in advance)

Cost: 105€ Euro if two persons in a car (€ Euro – 52.5 per person) 125€ Euro if three persons in a car (€ Euro – 41.6 per person) 145€ Euro if four persons in a car (€ Euro – 36.25 per person)

Visa Details

Visa Letters are available through the online IPIN service (players only). Please contact mastersWC@itftennis.com for assistance with visa invitation letters

Tournament Officials & ITF Personnel

Tournament Referee: To Be Confirmed **Assistant referees:** To Be Confirmed

Tournament Director: Hakan Erçağ, Ali Bey Club

ITF Personnel: Matt Byford, Head of Juniors and Masters

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