

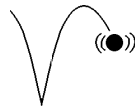
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2008 MILLCREEK OPEN TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

ERIE PA • OCTOBER 18-19, 2008

**ROUND-ROBIN EVENTS!
20 QUALITY TABLES**

A Two-Star Tournament
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Glass House Inn, & The Millcreek Parks
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Event	Age/Rating Limit	Starting Time	Entry Fee	Awards 1st-2nd-3rd-4th-etc.
1. U900	900	SAT. 10:00 A.M. }	\$ 7	T-P
2. U1600	1600	SAT. 10:00 A.M. }	10	T-T-\$10B-10B
3. U1100	1100	SAT. 12:00 P.M. }	8	T-T-\$10B-10B
4. U1800	1800	SAT. 12:00 P.M. }	10	\$60-30-10B-10B
5. U1300	1300	SAT. 2:00 P.M. }	9	T-T-\$10B-10B
6. U2000	2000	SAT. 2:00 P.M. }	11	\$100-50-20-20
7. Junior U-17	16 & under	SAT. 4:00 P.M. }	7	\$30-15-10B-10B
8. Senior	40 & over	SAT. 4:00 P.M. }	11	\$60-30-10B-10B
9. 3400 Doubles	3400/team	SAT. 6:00 P.M. }	7/ea.	\$60-30
10. Open Warmup	top 16 over 1800	SAT. 6:00 P.M. }	11	\$50-25 each group
11. U2400	2400	SUN. 10:00 A.M. }	13	\$175-80-35-35
12. U1450	1450	SUN. 10:00 A.M. }	9	T-T-\$10B-10B
13. Senior Esquire	60 & over	SUN. 12:00 P.M. }	10	T-T-\$10B-10B
14. Open Singles	over 1450	SUN. 12:00 P.M. }	15	\$750-375-175-80-40-40-40-40
15. Junior U-14	13 & under	SUN. 12:00 P.M. }	6	T-P-\$10B-10B
16. 2800 Doubles	2800/team	SUN. 2:00 P.M. }	6/ea.	\$40-20
17. U2200	2200	SUN. 2:00 P.M. }	12	\$125-60-25-25
18. Open Hardbat	-	SUN. 4:00 P.M. }	10	\$50-25-10B-10B
19. U1750	1750	SUN. 4:00 P.M. }	10	\$50-25-10B-10B
20. U700	700	SUN. 4:00 P.M. }	7	T-P

Matches are best of 5, 11-point games, except Open playoff is best of 7, and Hardbat is best of 3, 21-point games. Event #9 may carry over to Sunday. You may enter up to four events per day, and you may not enter two events with the same starting time. "T"=Trophy, "P"=Plaque, "B"=Butterfly Equipment Certificate. Some players may be seeded out of the round-robin stage. Cash winners may exchange part of their winnings for a custom engraved trophy.

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Event Eligibility: Ratings used will be obtained from the Internet on 10/10/09. Age-limited events (7,8,13,15) are age as of date played. If unsure of rating or eligibility, enter the event in question and you will be advised by phone of any problems. Unrated players may enter any singles events but may not advance from the round robin in rating-limited events, and may not enter doubles. Tournament director may assign or revise ratings where adequate supporting evidence exists.

Tournament Eligibility: You must be a member of the USATT or ITTF to enter. Adult membership \$40 per year, or \$105 for 3 years. Junior (U-17) or Collegiate \$20/year. Or, adults may purchase a one-time playing permit for \$10.

Equipment & Rules: All top-quality USATT-approved equipment: 20 Butterfly and Stiga tables and nets, white 40mm Butterfly balls. USATT rules including dress code will be enforced, clothing must not be white or near-white. Wooden gym floor and bright white fluorescent lighting. Hardbat event is played under Hardbat Committee rules (www.hardbat.com).

Format: All singles events consist of a round robin qualifier followed by a single elimination playoff, except Open Warmup which has no playoff, and Open, with a 4-person final round robin group. All doubles are single elimination.

Tournament Party: There will be a free party Saturday night at 9:00 pm for tournament entrants and their guests. Maps will be available at the tournament. Four color TV's or DVD players will be given away to tournament entrants-one each day at 6:00 pm, and two at the party, at 10:30 pm & 12:00 am. Must be present to win.

Tournament Committee: Director, Sam Steiner. Referee, Ron Arcaro (CR). Staff, Miklos Balogh, Dan Waugaman, Tom Burik, Jim Burik, Greg Soltys, Joe Grandalski

Directions: McDowell Intermediate School, 3320 Caughey Road, Erie, Pennsylvania, 16506. Take I-90 to I-79, then I-79 north to Route 20 (26th St.). Follow 26th street west about 2 miles to the 5th traffic light, just after the Dairy Queen. Turn left at the light onto Caughey road, and go 1/4 mile to the school. Turn right into school driveway and go left around the school. Parking & gym entrance are about 1/3 of the way around. Showers & locker rooms are available.

Hotels: Tournament Hotel **Glass House Inn**, 1/2 mile from tournament, double \$76, (814) 833-7751. Mention table tennis to receive tournament rate. Other hotels: Comfort Inn, 2 miles, double \$93, 835-4200. El Patio Motel, 3 miles, double \$65, 838-9772. Golden Triangle Motel, 2 miles, double \$60, 838-2572. See club website for complete list.

Entries: Deadline is October 16 (**received with payment**). E-mailed entries will be accepted when paid using PayPal- see Erie club web site for details. No Canadian money orders. Late or phone entries, if accepted, will be charged a \$7 fee. ALL PLAYERS please check the web site, or call, to confirm that your entry was received!! Cancellations by 6:00 P.M. Oct. 17 will receive a full refund. Players rated over 2500 will have their entry fees refunded on arrival. Make checks payable to and send to: Sam Steiner, 3616 Zimmerly Road, Erie PA 16506

Information: Sam Steiner (814) 833-8704 E-Mail: SamSteiner@compuserve.com
Tom Burik (814) 866-3849 Tournament Desk Cell Phone (814) 602-1367

Visit the Erie club website for tournament info: <http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/samsteiner>

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Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Birth date _____ USATT rating _____ USATT expiration date _____

Circle events entered: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Doubles Partner(s) _____ E-mail Address _____

Entry Fees \$ _____ USATT Membership \$ _____ Rating fee \$5.00 Late/Phone fee \$ _____

Total paid \$ _____ Home Club _____ Will you attend the party? Yes No

I agree to abide by all USATT rules and all decisions of the tournament officials, and I assume sole and complete responsibility for any injury or property loss I may incur as a result of attending the tournament or related functions.

_____ Date _____

Contestant's signature (if a minor, parent or guardian must sign)