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THE RULES OF TOURNAMENT:

Competition types and age categories:

Men singles: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+, 60+, 65+, 70+, 75+, 80+, 85+

Women singles: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+, 60+, 65+, 70+

Men doubles: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+, 60+, 65+, 70+

Women doubles: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+, 60+, 65+

Mixed doubles: 35+, 45+, 55+, 65+, 75+

Courts:

Matches will be played on 12 clay courts.
The matches may be played under artificial light if necessity arises. In case of bad weather the matches will be played indoor (7 courts - Teroflex).

Balls:

The matches will be played with DUNLOP balls.

The rules:

The rules for Seniors competition established by ITF. The player can compete in singles, **her/his age category only**. All players can participate in **maximum two (2)** competitions only. If the number of competitors in a given category is lower than 8, all of them will be transferred to compete in the younger age category. The tournament ladder of players in the linked categories will be based of the younger age category ranking in singles, while in doubles – on the total ranking of the both players. All losers in the first round will have a chance to play in the consolation event.

Chair umpires:

During the matches the competitors will be umpiring by themselves. Tournament Committee have rights to any interpretation of order of play.

Prize money 12.000 USD and Prizes

Minimum 8 players in singles category – 250 USD

Above 16 players in singles category – 500 USD

Above 32 players in singles category – 750 USD

Above 64 players in singles category – 1.000 USD

For winners in singles category above 12 players: WINNER – 150 USD, RUNNER UP – 100 USD

For winners in singles category above 16 players: WINNER – 300 USD, RUNNER UP – 200 USD

For winners in singles category above 32 players: WINNER – 450 USD, RUNNER UP – 300 USD

For winners in singles category above 64 players: WINNER – 600 USD, RUNNER UP – 400 USD

CAUTION! Prize money will be paid in USD – 20% tax will be deducted. Finalist and semi-finalists of the main tournament and finalists of the consolation event will receive medals, diplomas and cups.

The draw:

30th of June 2006 at 3:00 p.m. (men's category: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+, 60+, 65+). The matches start on July 1, 8.00 am.

1st of July 2006 at 3:00 p.m. (men's category: 70+, 75+, 80+, 85+; women's category: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+, 60+, 65+, 70+) The matches start on July 2.

The players will only be classified for drawing after they have paid the entry fee. All participants of the tournament are expected to be ready for play on the day of beginning of matches in their age category.

Training courts:

Will be available 2 days before the beginning of the tournament and during the tournament.

Entry fee:

60 € - equivalent in PLN by course of NBP from the date of payment. The entry fee includes accompanying activities for the participant. Extra invitations are available at the Promotion Office

Applications:

The applications will be received until **June 18, 2006**. The application should include First and Christian Name, Nationality, and full date of birth (in clear writing, preferable block letters). Applications without date of birth will not be accepted.

The participants who wish to play only in doubles are asked to mention this in their application.

All resignations from the tournament participation should be made in writing. Each participant is expected to make sure that his or her application and the receipt of entry fee payment have reached the club office and their name has been included to the list of participants. Please send by post, fax or e-mail to:

SOPOT TENNIS CLUB, 81-718 Sopot, 5 Ceynowy Street, phone/fax: (+48 58) 551 52 67, e-mail: promocja@skt.com.pl

The application deadline is 2006, 18 th of June. The entry fee must be paid to Club or Sopot Tennis Club account:

Bank Millennium o/Sopot 88 1160 2202 0000 0000 6195 0695

Hotels:

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The reservation of accommodation in private apartments is made by the Office of Entertainment Promotion and Organisation, phone no. /+48 58/ 551 52 67, promocja@skt.com.pl