



Butterfly Ultimate Table Tennis Challenger Cup: November 12th to 15th, 2026 Prospectus

1. Entry Deadline & Draw Schedule

- Entries will close four (4) days prior to the tournament draw. The official draw will be conducted three (3) days before the tournament commencement.

2. Fixtures & Draws Publication

- Fixtures and draws will be published on the UTT website and displayed at the tournament venue by 6:00 PM on the day preceding the tournament.

3. Tournament Categories

The tournament will feature the following categories:

- U-11 Boys Singles
- U-11 Girls Singles
- U-13 Boys Singles
- U-13 Girls Singles
- U-15 Boys Singles
- U-15 Girls Singles

4. Minimum Entry Requirement

- Each category is subject to a minimum of eight (8) entries. Categories failing to meet this requirement may be cancelled at the discretion of the organising committee.
- Entries will be accepted for the event on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Maximum total entries accepted will be 300.

5. Player Eligibility & Ranking Restrictions

The following top-ranked players from their **respective states (based on the latest available official state rankings)** are **ineligible** to participate in their respective categories:

- U-11 Boys & Girls Singles: Top 8 ranked players in the particular category.
- U-13 & U-15 Boys & Girls Singles: Top 12 ranked players in the particular category.

6. Player Age Criteria:

- U11 - Born on or after 1.1.2016
- U13 - Born on or after 1.1.2014
- U15 - Born on or after 1.1.2012

7. Match Format

- All league-stage matches will be played as the best of three (3) games.
- All knock-out stage matches will be played as the best of five (5) games.



8. Tournament Format

- The tournament will follow a league-cum-knockout format.
- League Stage: Players will be divided into groups, playing every other player in their group once.
- Knockout Stage: The top one (1) player from each group will advance to the main knock-out draw.
- Depending on the number of entries in a respective category, we may have lucky losers (selected by draw of lots on the spot) qualifying for the knockout stage.
- The losing semi-finalists in each category will be eligible for the 3rd place Prizes.

9. Registration & Documentation

- All players must fill and submit the official registration form.
- Participants are required to present their original birth certificate along with one (1) photocopy for verification at the tournament venue.

10. Entry Fees

- The standard entry fee for each category is **INR 700**.
- On-the-Spot Entries: May be permitted at the sole discretion of the organising committee, based on vacancy in the event draw. The fee for on-the-spot entries is INR 1,000, payable via the official QR code provided at the venue.

11. Payment Procedure

Payment must be made by scanning the official QR code during registration. The **player's full name** must be mentioned in the payment description to enable verification by the organisers.

12. Prize Money

The following prize money will be awarded for each category:

- Winner: INR 5,000
- Runner-Up: INR 3,000
- Semi-Finalists: INR 1,500 each

13. Equipment - All tournaments will be played using Butterfly tables and balls.