

## THE FINNISH TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION HELSINKI OPEN INVITATION

FTTA and the Helsinki District are going to arrange an international table tennis competition in Helsinki on **19-21 May 2006**. The venue is the Ruskeasu Sports Hall (address Ratsastie 3). Last time we had players from Sweden, Russia, Estonia, Latvia, Norway and Mongolia.

### Events

*Friday, beginning at 16.00*

Girls doubles 14, 17

Boys doubles 14, 17

*Saturday, beginning at 10.-10.30*

Girls 9, 11, 13, 15, 17

Boys 9, 11, 13, 15, 17

Women's singles, Men's singles

*Sunday, beginning at 8.30-9.30*

Girls 10, 12, 14, 16

Boys 10, 12, 14, 16

Class 9-years is for players born -96 or later,  
class 10-years is for players born -95 or later,  
... class 17-years for players born -88 or later.

### Playing system

Junior single events with group system.  
Group with 4 or 5 players from which two  
players to the cup rounds. Senior events  
and doubles with cup system.

### Limitations

Max two entries in group events and one  
cup per day. Girls may not participate in  
boys classes. Max number of entries in  
one class is 64. Number of participants  
can be limited if necessary.

### Participation fees

Singles event 7,5 eur. Doubles 6 eur.

Can also be paid before to FTTA:s  
account

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### Entries

Shall be received not later than **28 April  
2006** by Pekka Tennilä. Email  
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### Draw

On 8 May at 12.00 in FTTA:s office.

### Schedule and list of participants

In internet [www.sptl.fi](http://www.sptl.fi) from 13 May.

### Tables and balls

30 blue Stiga-Expert tables and white  
Stiga\*\*\*.

### Umpires

Referee Asko Kilpi. In groups players do  
by themselves, in cup systems umpires  
will be provided by the organizer.

### Prizes

Medals, Merchandise and Prize  
money. In the biggest event for girls  
and boys the **winner gets Nokia's  
mobile phone. In 16- and 17-singles  
prize money (125-25 eur)** for 4 best  
according to the number of  
participants. In case 16- or 17-class is  
the biggest the prize is mobile.

### Café

Café Thalia in the hall.

### Accommodation

Hotel Pasila ([www.sokoshotels.fi](http://www.sokoshotels.fi))

Hostel Olympic Stadium

([www.stadionhostel.fi](http://www.stadionhostel.fi))

For example room for 5 persons 100 eur.

**Reserve before 15 April,**  
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**WELCOME TO THE BIGGEST AND  
MOST COMPETITIVE JUNIOR EVENT  
IN FINLAND !**