

ITF Super-Seniors World Team Championships

Fact Sheet (as at 15 May 2019)

Kitty Godfree Cup (W65), Althea Gibson Cup (W70), Queens' Cup (W75), Doris Hart Cup (W80), Britannia Cup (M65), Jack Crawford Cup (M70), Bitsy Grant Cup (M75), Gardnar Mulloy Cup (M80) & Men's 85 Team Cup

Sunday 15 September 2019 - Saturday 21 September 2019
Umag, Croatia

Team Entry Deadline Date:	Monday 24 June 2019
Team Nomination Deadline Date:	Monday 5 August 2019
Team Competition Dates:	Sunday 15 September - Saturday 21 September
Finals:	Friday 20 September 2019*

**In the event of bad weather or other unforeseen circumstances, teams may be required to play on Saturday 21 September. Indoor courts may also be used if necessary.*

Venues and Court Surface:

All Cups will be played on Red Clay Courts.

Please note that it may be necessary to have a morning and afternoon session. Some matches may be allocated to other venues if there are not sufficient courts on a specific day. Full details will be confirmed at the Captains Meeting or before if possible.

ATP Stadium (13 Courts)*

Savudrijska cesta bb, 52470 Umag

TC Umag (6 Courts)*

Savudrijska 15a, 52470 Umag

Umag Tennis Academy (Katoro) (16 Courts) **

Katoro bb, 52470, Umag

Umag Tennis Academy (Polynesia) (5 Courts) **

Katoro 31, 52470 Umag

TC Park (5 Courts)

Ladin gaj 132a, 52470 Umag

TC Punta (6 Courts)

Jadranska ul. 75, 52470, Umag

*Please note that ATP Stadium Umag and TC Umag are classed as one venue and some matches may be moved from one club to another if court space dictates it.

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Player Accreditation

Location:	Welcome office at ATP Stadium, Savudrijska cesta bb, Umag
Date:	12 -13 September 2019
Times:	09:00hrs – 18:00hrs (12:00hrs – 18:00hrs on 12 September only)

Captains' Meetings (including Draw)

Date and Time:	Saturday 14 September 2019, 12:00hrs – 16:00hrs Exact time of each cup meeting will be confirmed directly with team captains.
Location:	ATP Stadium

Tournament Events

Opening Ceremony:	Saturday 14 September 2019, 17:00hrs, ATP Stadium
Official Team Dinner:	Wednesday 18 th September. Further details to be confirmed.
Medal Ceremony:	Friday 20 September - ATP Stadium 18:00hrs. This is compulsory for all medal-winning teams. Medals will be presented to 1 st , 2 nd 3 rd and 4 th placed teams.

Practice Courts & Balls

Tournament Ball:	HEAD TOUR
Practice Courts:	A practice court schedule and bookings system will be published after the nominations deadline. Reservations must be made before the start of the championships.
Practice balls:	A refundable deposit of 10€ will be required for practice balls. Practice balls must be returned immediately after practice ideally, or within 24 hours, to receive a full refund.

Stringing

Stringing will be available on site for a fee of €13 (labour only). Please note that payment will be accepted in Euros or Croatian Kuna - if paying in Croatian Kuna the exchange rate of 8 September will be used to calculate the fee.

Sports Medicine Physiotherapists

A Sports Medicine Physiotherapist will be on site during play at all venues.

Treatment Cost: **On-court – Free of Charge**
 Off-court - 20 Euros for 20 minutes.

Travel and Transport Details

- **OFFICIAL AIRPORT:** Trieste Airport (TRS), Aeroporto Friuli Venezia Giulia SpA, Ronchi dei Legionari

Trieste International Airport, Via Aquileia 46, I-34077 Ronchi dei Legionari (GO), ITALY

Tel.: +39 (0)481 773224

Fax: +39 (0)481 474150

Airport Website: www.aeroporto.fvg.it/

Distance from Hotel Complex in Umag: 112kms

- **UNOFFICIAL AIRPORT:** Pula Airport (PUY), Aeroporto di Pola/ Zračna luka Pula

Zračna luka Pula, Ližnjan, Valtursko polje 210, 52100, Pula, CROATIA

Tel.: +385 52 550 926

Fax.: + 385 52 550 914

Airport Website: <https://airport-pula.hr/en/>

Distance from Hotel Complex in Umag: 86kms

- **UNOFFICIAL AIRPORT:** Venice Marco Polo Airport (VCE), Aeroporto di Venezia Marco Polo

Aeroporto di Venezia Marco Polo, Viale Galileo Galilei, 30/1, 30173 Venezia VE, ITALY

Tel.: +39 041.2609260

Airport Website: <https://www.veniceairport.it/en/>

Distance from Hotel Complex in Umag: 207kms

Players should look out for the ITF Super-Seniors World Team Championships welcome desk which will be displaying signage with the ITF logo (Trieste Airport only).

Airport Transfers:

All team members will be taken from Ronchi Legionari International Airport in Trieste **to the official hotels only** from **Thursday 12 September – Friday 13 September**, provided that the Player Arrival Form ([link below in blue](#)) is received before the deadline (to be confirmed in due course).

Please click on the link below ([in blue](#)) to provide arrival and departure details:

[Transport requests – Arrival and Departure request Link](#)

Please note that one (1) transport arrival form is needed per person as it is necessary to provide a full list of names at border control.

Other days **may** be available on request, however, may be priced differently.

Any enquiries relating to Transportation should be referred to the Transport Manager (not the ITF): Robert Crevar

Transport Manager

Email: robert@htsv.hr

Tel: +385 99 2083 033

Transfers to and from Pula and Venice airports can also be requested separately (using the same link above) and agreed according to a limited schedule, details of which will be communicated at a later date. Please contact the tournament organisers directly to enquire about this option.

Please note that a number of shuttle services will take place daily on the dates above and players will need to be flexible.

Transport during the tournament will only be provided to the venues **from the Official hotels only.**

Please note that there will be a charge for all (**players and accompanying guests**) as follows:

- cost of a two-way ticket from Ronchi Legionari Airport in Trieste, Italy to one of the Umag hotels (and back to the airport) is € 60 per person. (€ 30 per person one way).
- This cost also covers daily transportation between hotel and clubs with ample daily shuttles provided.

Unofficial Pick-up points

- **Transport from Pula Airport (€ 60 per person each way)**

- Transport from Venice (€ 75 per person each way (min 3 persons))

Please note that payment will be accepted in Euros or Croatian Kuna - if paying in Croatian Kuna the exchange rate of EUR/HRK 7.5 will be used to calculate the charge.

In order to benefit from this service, an arrival form will be created shortly providing full details including a deadline date for information.

TRANSPORT DURING THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL BE PROVIDED FROM THE OFFICIAL HOTELS TO ALL VENUES FOR PLAYERS WHO HAVE BOOKED ACCOMODATION USING THE TOURNAMENT CODE.

Team Arrival/Departure Form

Please click on the link below ([in blue](#)) to provide arrival and departure details:

[Transport requests – Arrival and Departure request Link](#)

Deadline to complete and submit the arrival form: **15 July 2019**

The transportation team will email all players to inform them of their allocated pick-up times once a team arrival form has been received and the transport schedule has been produced. The shuttle will arrive at the airport at specified times only. The shuttle will not be waiting at the airport throughout the day.

Departure Dates: Saturday 21 September – Sunday 22 September.

Transportation to **Ronchi Legionari Trieste Airport, Italy** will be provided at a cost (detailed above and in arrival/departure form).

Transfers to and from Pula and Venice airports can also be requested separately (at a different price) and agreed according to a limited schedule, details of which will be communicated at a later date. Please contact the tournament organisers directly to enquire about this option.

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Visa Recommendations

Please note that players arriving at Ronchi Legionari International Airport or Trieste Train Station in Trieste, Italy, will require a visa **for Italy, Slovenia and Croatia** as the transport route transits via Slovenia.

Please contact the Croatian, Italian and Slovenian embassies in your country to find out about visa requirements for entry into Croatia, Italy and Slovenia

Should you require an invitation letter to apply for visas, the Croatian Tennis Association will forward you an appropriate letter. To start the process please forward your request for an invitation letter to the CTA to Ms. Željka Pongracic at hts@hts.hr, (phone +385 1 48 30 747, fax: +385 1 48 30 720) as early as possible to avoid problems obtaining visas.

Neither the ITF nor the CTA can take any responsibility for the failure of any player to obtain a visa.

Accommodation (see Accommodation document)

(All Official Hotels offer Shuttle service to the courts)

Please refer to the Accommodation Document on the ITF Seniors website.

Tournament Code: SVP19 (this code must be used at the time of booking)
Booking website: www.plavalaguna.com/
Email address: booking@plavalaguna.com
Telephone Number: +385 52 700 700

Please do not attempt to book through the ITF.

Please **specify tournament code SVP19** when booking online (home page search engine), by phone or e-mail.
If you experience any issues, please write directly to hotel email provided and refer to tournament code.

Please ensure that you book your accommodation as soon as possible as each hotel has an allocated number of rooms reserved for the Championships. It is recommended that accommodation is booked at one of the **official accommodation providers.**

Please note that transportation will only be provided to and from the official hotels to players who have booked their accommodation via the official website using the official tournament code. A band will be provided by the hotel to confirm this.

Tournament information will be distributed only to official hotels to Info desks.

Tournament Officials & ITF Personnel

Referees:	Tom Kinloch – Katoro & Polynesia Vladimir Kaić – ATP & TC Umag Stefan Čukić - Punta Branko Merdović - Park
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