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#### **EVENTS**

Men's and Women's Individual events will be offered in the following age categories:

Open: 18 - 29
Senior: 30 - 39
Master: 40 - 49
Grand Master: 50 +

Medals will be awarded in "A" & "B" (skill) divisions. Each competitor will enter the appropriate age category. Play will determine in which division players will ultimately compete.

### **EQUIPMENT**

- Balls: WSF approved tournament balls will be provided by Host.

BRACKETING: All competitors will be placed in the same draw within their age category.

A match is the best of 3 or 5 games; 3 games for pool play and 5 games for finals. Each game is played to 11 points. The player who scores 11 points first wins the game except if the score reaches 10-all, the game continues until one player leads by 2 points. Either player may score points (PAR-point-a-rally). The server, on winning a rally, scores a point and retains the service; the receiver, on winning a rally, scores a point and becomes the server.

For age categories with 8 or more competitors:

Preliminaries- Round Robin Pool Play: Competitors will be assigned to pools of 4 or 5 players per pool. Preliminary Matches: best of three games.

Finals: "A" and "B" DIVISIONS: The 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place competitors in each pool will advance to "A" Division; the 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> (& 5<sup>th</sup>) place competitors in each pool will advance to "B" Division. All age categories in each Division will play single elimination finals, with matches being best of five games.

For age categories with 7 or less competitors:

Pool Play: All competitors within the age category will be in one pool and play will decide medal placement. Matches to be best of five games.

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## **SCHEDULING**

- Allow 30 minutes for each Preliminary match.
- Allow one hour for each Finals match.
- Competition to be conducted over 3 days.

# **SQUASH: GENERAL RULES**

Racquets: Each competitor must provide his/her own WSF-approved racquet.

<u>APPROVED EYE PROTECTION</u> IS MANDATORY AND SHALL BE PROVIDED BY THE COMPETITOR.