



**INTERNATIONAL
TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP**

PRESENTED BY:



**Girls and Boys 12 & Under
and 14 & Under**

**Qualifying December 14th - 16th
Main Draw December 17th - 23rd
2019**

Coral Gables and Key Biscayne

58th Junior Orange Bowl International Tennis Championship

GENERAL INFORMATION

Website: www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis
Facebook: Facebook /JrOrangeBowl
Twitter: Twitter@JrOBTennis
Email: tennis@jrorangebowl.org
Phone: (305) 662-6072

ELIGIBILITY

U.S. and foreign players: USTA age rules apply.

14 & under – Born in 2005 or 2006

12 & under – Born in 2007, or 2008

Players in the U12 boys and U12 girls must be 11 or 12 years by December 1, 2019 to play in the U12 division.

QUALIFYING DRAW

December 14-16, 2019

MAIN DRAW

December 17-23, 2019

ENTRY DEADLINE—OCTOBER 15, 2019

Both entry forms and fees must be received by October 15th. No late entries will be accepted. All withdrawals must be submitted in writing.

Entry Fee: The entry fee is \$130 (U.S. dollars drawn on U.S. banks) and includes a T-Shirt. No phone or fax entries will be accepted.

Entering: Applicants can enter online by going to the links provided on www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis. By entering online, applicants are agreeing to the mandatory release form at the end of this brochure.

- Applicants not entering online must provide an entry form, signed mandatory release form, and a check or money order payable to the Junior Orange Bowl Committee. Credit card payments can only be made through online registration at: www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis
- All applicants must have either a USTA number or USTA non-member number to enter. If you do not already have one, you must obtain one at <https://tennislink.usta.com/Dashboard/Main/Login.aspx>. Please go to our website for more information on how to obtain a non-member number.

Refunds: No refunds will be made after November 4th, for either main draw or qualifying draw. Before November 4th, \$100 will be refunded.

- International players must be endorsed by their respective federations. Each federation must provide an Order of Merit listing of all players in ranking order and send the list by email to the tournament director by October 15th at tennis@jrorangebowl.org. **International Players must enter at www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis. Do not enter on the USTA tennis Link site.**

Player Status

For information regarding your status (main, qualifying, or not accepted), check our website after November 6th.

IMPORTANT CHANGE : The Qualifying Draw and Main Draw will be limited this year; therefore, NOT ALL PLAYERS ENTERING WILL BE SELECTED.

QUALIFYING DRAW

Qualifying Draw Registration Check in: Boys & Girls 14U and 12U

Mandatory Check-in: December 13th, 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the University of Miami Field House (next to the WATSCO CENTER) 1245 Dauer Dr. Coral Gables, FL 33146.

Bring ID with your birth date. (Bring a picture or copy of your passport, or birth certificate.) Draws and starting times will be available online at www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis.

The Junior Orange Bowl Tennis Committee reserves the right to limit the number of players in the qualifying draw. Play begins on December 14. **All International qualifiers must be endorsed by their respective federations.** Each federation must provide an order of merit listing of all players entering in ranking order and send the list by email to the tournament director at tennis@jrorangebowl.org. 16 spaces will be reserved for qualifying players in the main draw.

14 & UNDER QUALIFYING MATCHES. (Single Elimination)

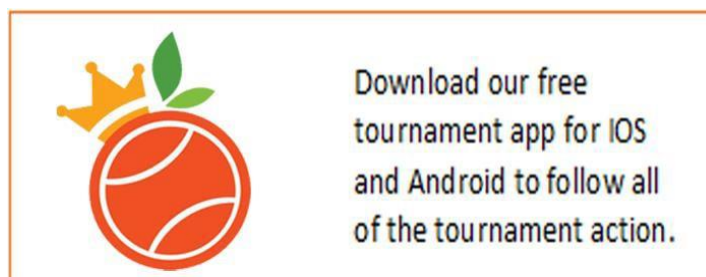
14 & Under Boys' Qualifying: will be played at the Crandon Park Tennis Center, 7300 Crandon Blvd., Key Biscayne, FL 33149 (hard courts).

14 & Under Girls' Qualifying: will be played at the William H. Kerdyk Biltmore Tennis Center 1150 Anastasia Ave. Coral Gables, Fl. 33134 (hard courts).

12 & UNDER QUALIFYING MATCHES. (Single Elimination)

12 & Under Boys' Qualifying: will be played at Salvadore Park, 1120 Andalusia Avenue, Coral Gables, FL 33134 (clay courts).

12 & Under Girls' Qualifying: will be played at Tropical Park Tennis Center, 7900 S.W. 40 street, (Bird Road) Miami, 33155



MAIN DRAW

MAIN DRAW REGISTRATION for Boys and Girls 14U and 12U

Boys and Girls Mandatory Check-in: December 16th from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the University of Miami Field House (next to The WATSCO CENTER) 1245 Dauer Dr. Coral Gables, FL 33146. **Bring ID with your birth date. (A picture or copy of your passport, or birth certificate.)** Draws and starting times will be available online at www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis.

Boys and Girls 14U and 12U will be limited to 128 players each.

Preferences will be given to nationally and internationally ranked players. Acceptance will be at the discretion of the Junior Orange Bowl Tennis Committee. **All foreign players must be endorsed by their respective federations.** Each federation must provide an order of merit listing of all players entering in ranking order and send the list by email to the tournament director. 16 spaces in the main draw will be reserved for qualifying players.

14 & UNDER MAIN DRAW MATCHES

14 & Under Boys' Main Draw: will be played December 17th through December 21st at the Crandon Park Tennis Center, 7300 Crandon Blvd., Key Biscayne, FL 33149. (hard courts.) Semi-finals and Finals will be played December 22nd through December 23rd at the William H. Kerdyk Biltmore Tennis Center, 1150 Anastasia Ave. Coral Gables, FL 33134.

14 & Under Girls' Main Draw: will be played December 17th through December 23rd at the William H. Kerdyk Biltmore Tennis Center, 1150 Anastasia Ave. Coral Gables, FL 33134.

12 & UNDER MAIN DRAW MATCHES

12 & Under Boys' Main Draw: will be played December 17th through December 23rd at Salvadore Park, 1120 Andalusia Avenue, Coral Gables, FL 33134 (clay courts).

12 & Under Girls' Main Draw: will be played December 17th through December 21st at the Crandon Park Tennis Center, 7300 Crandon Blvd., Key Biscayne, FL 33149 (hard courts)

Semi-finals and Finals will be played December 22nd through December 23rd at the William H. Kerdyk Biltmore Tennis Center, 1150 Anastasia Ave. Coral Gables, FL 33134.

SEMI-FINALS AND FINALS

Girls & Boys 14 & under and Girls 12 & under: December 22nd & 23rd - William H. Kerdyk Biltmore Tennis Center

Boys 12 and under: December 22nd & 23rd – Salvadore Park

THERE WILL BE A F FEED-IN CONSOLATION THROUGH THE QUARTER-FINALS FOR ALL DIVISIONS.
There will be a 3rd and 4th place playoff. Play is expected. Awards will be given.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Two matches per day may be scheduled. Night play and a third match in one day may become necessary. Play will be 2 out of 3 sets. The Twelve Point Tiebreaker will be used in all sets, except for the feed-in consolation. A match tie break will be played instead of a third set for the feed-in consolation. Scoring and sites may be changed due to weather conditions.
- The U.S.T.A. Point Penalty System will be enforced. Five-minute warm-up, including practice serves will be allowed. A ten-minute break is allowed between second and third set, and a new can of balls will be used for the third set. Default time is 15 minutes.
- Singles only, there are **no doubles** in this tournament.
- **No on-site alternates**

Dress Code: no compression shorts

Tennis Balls, Wilson US Open Extra Duty for boys' and girls' U14, and girls'

U12 Wilson US Open Clay Court for boys' U12

NO SPECTATOR COACHING DURING MATCHES WILL BE PERMITTED.

NO SPECTATORS ALLOWED ON COURTS

ALTERNATIVE SITES MAY BE USED IF NECESSARY

THE JUNIOR ORANGE BOWL TENNIS COMMITTEE

The tournament committee is here to assist all participants. The committee wishes you an enjoyable tournament and hopes your memories are fond ones. The committee does reserve the right to alter any of the conditions, rules, or schedules. The decision of the Executive Committee in any matter is final.

Tournament Co-Chairs: Samantha Jones,

Barbara Waters and Abby Dresnick

Tournament Director: Jodi Appelbaum-Steinbauer

Tournament Coordinator: Cathy Nordlund



ACCOMMODATIONS

The Junior Orange Bowl Committee **does not** provide housing. The Committee has secured a limited number of hotel accommodations at a special rate. Please go to our website, www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis, for a list of host hotels and possible links. Identify yourself as a Junior Orange Bowl participant when making your reservation in advance.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

It is advisable to acquire travel insurance. Check your insurance coverage for details, should any medical needs or change in travel plans occur while in the U.S.

2018 JUNIOR ORANGE BOWL WINNERS & RUNNERS-UP

GIRLS' 14 & UNDER

WINNER: Ercan Melisa, (TUR)

GIRLS' 12 & UNDER

WINNER: Ngounoue, Clervie, (USA) took out runner-up

BOYS' 14 & UNDER

WINNER: Wong, Chak Lam, (HKG)

BOYS' 12 & UNDER

WINNER: Quan, Rudy, (USA)

SALVADORE PARK

(Boys' 12 & under)
1120 Andalusia Ave
Coral Gables, FL, 33134

William H. Kerdyk Biltmore Tennis Center

(Girls' 12 & under)
1150 Anastasia Ave. Coral Gables,
FL, 33134

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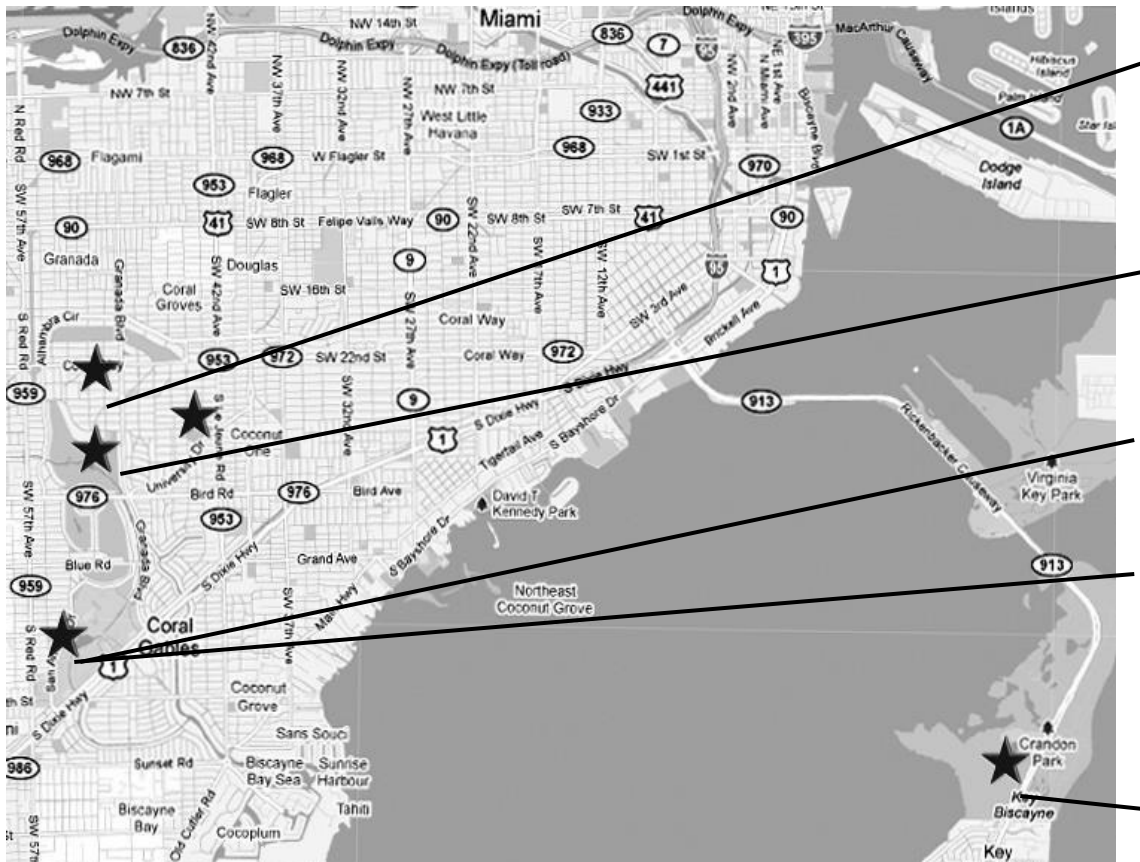
(Girls' 14 & under)
5821 San Amaro Drive
Coral Gables, FL 33146

University of Miami Watsco Center Registration Site

Fieldhouse at the Watsco Center
1245 Dauer Drive
Coral Gables, FL 33146

CRANDON PARK TENNIS CENTER

(Boys' 14 & under)
7300 Crandon Blvd.
Key Biscayne, FL 33149



ENTRY FEE: \$130 (U.S. dollars drawn on a U.S. bank). Includes a T-Shirt. Please make check out to **Jr. Orange Bowl Committee**: 250 Catalonia Ave., Suite 805 **Coral Gables, Florida 33134**. Entry form will not be accepted without fee. Both entry form and fee are due October 15, 2019, 5:00 PM E.S.T. to the Jr. Orange Bowl Office. **Credit card payments can only be made through online registration at the website: www.jrorangebowl.org/tennis**. No refunds after November 4 th. Withdrawals before November 4th will be refunded \$100. **All withdrawals must be submitted in writing.**

Name _____
First Last

Address: _____

Street #

Apt #

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Country Code + City Code

USTA # or USTA non-member #: _____
(Required for all players including international players. If you do not already have one, go to our website for instructions on how to obtain a non-member USTA number.)

Federation/Association & Country Representing: _____

Date of Birth: (Month/Day/Year) _____

Complete Mandatory Release Form Below

**CIRCLE ONE
Only:
Division**

Boys' U14

Boys' U12

Girls' U14

Girls' U12

MANDATORY RELEASE FORM

IN CONSIDERATION of accepting this entry, we the parent(s), guardian(s), and contestant, jointly and severally, and intending to legally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, do knowingly and voluntarily waive, release, exonerate, discharge and agree to defend (a) the Junior Orange Bowl Committee, Inc., (b) the Cities and Counties of event venues, (c) the owners and operators of any public or private sports, recreation or other facility used for Junior Orange Bowl events, (d) all Junior Orange Bowl Festival sponsors, (e) all Junior Orange Bowl members, staff and volunteers, (f) the individual coaches, instructors, supervisors, or supervising or coordinating organizations and (g) all members, agents, employees, representatives, successors and assigns of any of the foregoing, from any and all liability and/or claims for illness, injuries, loss of life, or damage to persons or property that may arise directly or indirectly from or be in any way connected to contestant's participation in or practice for any Junior Orange Bowl event, including contestant's travel to or from event venues.

MEDICAL VERIFICATION AND CONSENT:

We, the parent(s), guardian(s) and contestant attest that the contestant is physically able and has sufficiently trained for the competition and that contestant's physical condition has been verified by a licensed medical doctor, and we consent to the provision of any needed medical treatment for the contestant at our expense without further written or verbal authorization.

Insurance provider: _____ Policy Number: _____

CONSENT FOR MEDIA PRODUCTIONS:

We parent(s) and/or guardian(s) and contestant, hereby grant full consent to the Junior Orange Bowl Committee, Inc. for the free use of contestant's picture or name in any broadcast, telecast or other account of any of the Junior Orange Bowl practices, events and travel, for any purpose whatsoever.

I have read, understood, and agree to abide with the tournament regulations as set forth in this application.

Contestant: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____