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# Japan Open 2020

36th INTERNATIONAL WHEELCHAIR TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS in IIZUKA  
Part of UNIQLO Wheelchair Tennis Tour



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- Dates:** Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April - Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2020
- Grade:** ITF Super Series (SS)
- Prize Money:** US\$50,000 ※subject to local tax deduction
- Venue:** IIZUKA SPORTS RESORT (Newly built resort complex on the site of Chikuho Heights.)  
and Ryokuchi Park (adjacent to IIZUKA SPORTS RESORT courts)  
8-37 Niho, Iizuka-City , Fukuoka, 820-0115 JAPAN  
Tel: +81 948-82-3177 Fax: 0948-82-3178 Website: <http://the-retreat.jp/>
- Surface:** Hard (Deco-Turf)  
8 outdoor courts, and 4 indoor courts (resurfaced with new lights) as backup
- Balls:** Dunlop Australian Open
- Tournament Director:** Junichi Kanegae  
Tel: +81 948 25 7144 Fax: +81 948 25 7520 E-mail: [info@japanopen-tennis.com](mailto:info@japanopen-tennis.com)
- Tournament Referee:** Aoi Kobayashi (ITF Silver Badge Referee)  
Mobile +81 90 8987 0083 Email: [aoikobayashi@gmail.com](mailto:aoikobayashi@gmail.com)
- Events:**  Men's (Singles/Doubles) - Main Draw (32/16); Second Draw (16/8)  
 Women's (Singles/Doubles) - Main Draw (24/12); Second Draw (16/8)  
 Quad (Singles/Doubles) - Main Draw (24/12); Second Draw (16/8)
- Sign-In:**  SINGLES.....1:00pm- 4:00pm Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Apr. at Referee Desk on site  
 DOUBLES.....By 12:00pm Tuesday 21<sup>rd</sup> Apr. at Referee Desk on site  
Telephone Sign-in also accepted. No sign, No play.
- Registration:** Monday 20<sup>th</sup> 11:00am–4:00pm at Tournament Desk  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> and Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:00am– 5:00pm at Tournament Desk
- Official Hotels:** 1. THE Retreat (A new dormitory-type accommodation on site. Former site of Chikuho Heights)  
8-37 Niho, Iizuka-City, Fukuoka ,820-0115 JAPAN  
Tel:+81 948 82 3177 Fax: 0948-82-3178 Website: <http://the-retreat.jp/>
- Type of rooms: Twin room (2 beds) with loft, bath and toilet. (accommodates up-to two wheelchair users and two non-users)
  - Fully wheelchair accessible room numbers are limited, booking priority will be first given to Quad players.
  - Room Rate: per person, per night, including breakfast, dinner and tax

When the room shared by

1 person (Single Use)	2 persons	3 persons	4 persons
JPY16,250	JPY12,250	JPY11,250	JPY10,250



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- The tournament rate will not be applied for the extra nights of stay before 19<sup>th</sup> and after 27<sup>th</sup>, please contact Yoko at the tournament office.
  - VISA, MasterCard, JCB, American Express, Diners Club will be accepted.
2. Nogami President Hotel (With breakfast. Not including accommodation tax.)
- JPY 7,200/night/person (when a twin room is shared with two people)
  - JPY 8,200/night/person (single room)
- 12-37 Shintateiwa, Iizuka-City, Fukuoka 820-0004 JAPAN  
Tel: +81 948 22 3840 Fax: +81 948 25 3798 <http://www.nogami-p-hotel.jp/>
- VISA, MasterCard, JCB, American Express, Diners Club will be accepted.

**Entry Closing Date:** Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2020

**Send entries to :**

Yoko Yanase  
NPO Kyushu Wheelchair Tennis Association, Japan Open  
6-1 Kayanomori, Iizuka-City, Fukuoka-ken  
820-0011 JAPAN  
Fax: +81 948 25 7520 Email: [iizukajapanopen@gmail.com](mailto:iizukajapanopen@gmail.com)

**Entry Fees:**

US\$200

Inclusive of lunches on site from Tuesday to Sunday, 2 dinners at social functions on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 26<sup>th</sup>, transportation and a player pack. Accommodation is not included.

**Rules:**

ITF Rules of Tennis, ITF Regulations for Wheelchair Tennis, and ITF Wheelchair Tennis Code of Conduct will be applied.

**IPIN Registration:**

All players must have the IPIN at the time of the entry. <[www.itftennis.com/ipin](http://www.itftennis.com/ipin)>

**Nearest Airport:**

Fukuoka International Airport

\* Connecting flights: from Tokyo/Narita International Airport, Nagoya/Chubu Centrair International Airport, and Osaka/Kansai International Airport, etc.

**Airport Pickup:**

Available from Sunday 19<sup>th</sup>, and will be arranged according to your flight schedule

**Visa:**

If you require an invitation letter for your visa, a visa request must be received before 10<sup>th</sup> March 2020. Please send your full name, nationality, date of birth, passport copy, and postal address.



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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Practice Courts:** Monday ; 8 outdoor courts and 4 indoor courts are available from 11:00am to 4:00pm.  
Tuesday–Saturday ; Practice courts are automatically assigned for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> match players on the match courts before their matches. Players with later matches must book practice courts at Practice Booking Desk on Site after Order of Play is released.
- Practice Balls:** Available from Monday at Practice Booking Desk. They can be exchanged daily with better-condition balls.
- Transport:** Transport between Hotel and Court will start from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April.  
Please check Bus Schedule and book your seat on the morning bus at the official hotels daily
- Match Schedule:** Order of Play will be published after 4:00pm and posted on site and at the hotels.
- Players Lounge:** Located in THE Retreat. Additional lounge will be set up next to the indoor courts. Staffed all day.
- Meals on Site:** Lunch, Snacks, Cup noodles, fruits, beverages will be served at Player Lounge, free.
- Wi-Fi:** Free Wi-Fi available at the hotels and at Player Lounge. Free PC is also available
- Live Score:** Not available. Manual Score-Update Service available at Player Lounge.
- Stringer:** Professional Stringer on Site from sign-in. Ask Stringer for the fees.
- Repair Station:** Available on Site from 9:00am to 5:00pm
- Laundry Service:** Bring your laundry to Tournament Desk 1,000yen or \$10/ bag for overnight service.  
(There are coin-operated washing machines and dryers in THE Retreat. hotel guests only.  
JPY only)
- Physio and Medical Room:** Located on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the swimming pool, 9:00am to last match.
- Wheelchair Storage:** Located near the indoor courts, staffed all day, and locked for the night.
- Prize Money Tax deductions:** Resident: 10%, Non-resident: 20%
- Notice for the players from **Korea and USA** - Please bring a photocopy of your passport (for the players from both countries) and the original residency certification (Please refer to <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/international-taxpayers/form-6166-certification-of-us-tax-residency>, from USA only) to avoid the tax in Japan, to the Tournament desk.
- Social Functions:** Opening Ceremony 5:00pm~and Welcome Party 6:00pm~ on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> at the Nogami President Hotel  
Fukuchi Town Friendship Party: Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> 6:00-8:00pm at Fukuchi Town Gym
- Award Presentation:** Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles and Quads presentation: Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> Apr.  
The Emperor's Cup (Men's Singles), The Empress's Cup (Women's Singles) presentation: Sunday 26 Apr.
- Travel Desk:** Travel Desk on Site, happy to help you with your tickets and other requests.
- Language Volunteers:** English Language Volunteers are on site