

USTA - ITF FLORIDA SENIOR CIRCUIT
GRADE 3 INTERNATIONAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT
FOR CATEGORY I - II AND SECTIONAL ADULT PLAYERS
65+ 70+ 75+ 80+ 85+

TOURNAMENT FACT SHEET

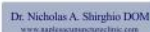
TOURNAMENT DATES	ENTRIES	IPIN REQUIREMENT
Qualifying: September 29 - October 1, 2017 Main Draw: October 2-6, 2017 Players will be accepted into the main draw based on their ITF ranking first and then USTA ranking second. If more entries than main draw size then there will be a qualifying.	All singles entries and withdrawals are made online at www.itftennis.com/ipin . A player may enter and compete in one (1) singles event in a tournament plus two (2) doubles. A player applying for entry shall be deemed to apply for entry into Main Draw or Qualifying of the tournament.	All players must have an IPIN and valid IPIN membership to enter an ITF Senior event.
		ELEGIBILITY
		To be eligible to participate in any Age Group, a player shall have reached the minimum age limit by 31 st December of the year.
		ENTRY FEES
		\$60 first event - \$20 additional event

CATEGORIES	START DATES	SINGLES DEADLINES
+65 +70 +75 +80 +85 Men's Singles Men's Doubles Women's Singles Women's Doubles Mixed Doubles	Singles Qualifying: September 29 Singles Main Draw: October 2 All Doubles: October 3	Singles entries: September 12 Singles withdrawals: September 21
	MAIN DRAW SINGLES SIGN-IN	DOUBLES DEADLINE
	October 1 until 6pm	Doubles entries (on-line and on-site): October 2 until 2pm

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR US TENNIS PLAYERS IN THE TOURNAMENT				
Level of play is intended for Category I-II and Sectional National Adult Tournaments	Play at this same level with international players from all around the world	Only tournament of this category in the US	Gain points for the USTA Adult National Ranking as well as a ITF World Ranking	Stay fit, forge friendships, have fun and enjoy one of the best facilities in Southwest Florida

MATCH FORMATS	CONSOLATION EVENTS	COURTS FOR PRACTICE
Best of three Tie-Break sets. Men's & Women's 80+ 85+ third set will be a 10 point Match Tie-Break game.	First match loser consolation for singles will be held.	6 courts for practice free of charge for all players from September 28 from 10am to 4pm

TOURNAMENT ACTIVITIES
October 3 - 6pm: Welcome Cocktail at the Pool. Complimentary finger food and cash bar available

THE VENUE
Academia Sanchez-Casal is the home of one of the most well known tennis academies in the world. Under the management of it's CEO Emilio Sanchez Vicario it is the largest tennis facility in Southwest Florida with 38 courts, acting as a tennis hub in the whole region.

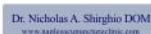


THE CITY
Naples, FL is a unique blend of small-town living and the sophistication of a metropolitan city, wrapped within immense natural beauty and perfect tropical weather. Naples' sandy beaches, warm sunsets, boating, fishing, golf and abundance of shopping and dining venues are all within a short drive from Academia Sanchez-Casal.

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THE ITF SENIOR CIRCUIT	THE ITF SENIORS WORLD RANKING
<p>The ITF Seniors Circuit consists of over 380 tournaments staged in 72 countries on all continents, with almost 25,000 players taking part each year. Tournaments are classified into Grades A - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5, with A being the highest and 5 being the lowest. Complete Rule and Regulations can be found at http://www.itftennis.com/seniors/tournaments/rules-regulations.aspx</p>	<p>The official ITF Seniors World Rankings are calculated on a 52-week rollover system and are published weekly throughout the year. This will include rankings for Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles. Each ranking takes into account only points earned the preceding 12 months from the ranking date. To receive ranking points in a singles, doubles or mixed doubles tournament, a player must reach a round where points are available. The number of points available varies depending upon the grading of the tournament and the round reached.</p> <p>The best four singles results in ITF Seniors tournaments are taken in consideration for each ranking (singles, doubles and mixed doubles).</p>

TOURNAMENT HOTELS	
<p>Hawthorn Suites Naples \$94 Studio Suite (plus 10% tax) \$99 One bedroom (plus 10% tax) Two bedroom rates per request To make reservations please call Kimberly (239) 593-2404 or Sandi (239)593-2403 and ask for the Sanchez-Casal Tournament Rate 2 miles from the site Breakfast, full kitchen, internet and parking included</p>	<p>Residence Inn Marriot Naples \$99 Studio / One Bedroom Suite (plus 10% tax) \$149 Two bedroom Suite (plus 10% tax) To make reservations please call (239)659-1300 and ask for the Sanchez-Casal Tournament Rate 4 miles from the site Breakfast, full kitchen, internet and parking included Complimentary beach transportation daily</p>

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