

## Team Wales National Camp 2019 - Selection Criteria

A National Camp is planned for the end of 2019 which will bring the best players in Wales together to train in a highly motivating performance environment.

### **Senior/U18/U16 National Camp:**

- Maximum of 16 places available on the camp, combination of male and female players
- 2-6 places reserved for senior players who will be invited to attend by Team Wales Manager
- 10-14 places reserved for U16 & U18 players according to international year of birth as follows:
  - A) 3 boys born 2001/2002 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2001 or later in domestic rankings or top 1500 ITF Juniors or have an ITF World Tennis Tour singles ranking
  - B) 3 girls born 2001/2002 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2001 or later in domestic rankings or top 1500 ITF Juniors or have an ITF World Tennis Tour singles ranking
  - C) 3 boys born 2003/2004 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2003 or later in domestic rankings or have junior ITF ranking points from singles
  - D) 3 girls born 2003/2004 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2003 or later in domestic rankings or have junior ITF ranking points from singles

Should there be less than 3 available players who meet the criteria in any one grouping the Team Wales Manager can decide to either:

- Invite additional players from other groupings who meet the criteria or
- Offer places to players who it is felt deserve an opportunity but who don't meet the criteria. These players will be considered if they demonstrate an outstanding attitude AND train abroad, have suffered long term injury/illness, have had outstanding recent results, are the reigning Welsh Champion at U16, U18, senior
- Fill the full quota of 3 players invited from that grouping by inviting players who haven't met the criteria

### **U14/U12 National Camp:**

- Maximum of 16 places available on the camp, combination of male and female players
- Up to 2 places reserved for guest hitters who will be invited to attend by Team Wales Manager
- 14-16 places reserved for U12 & U14 players according to international year of birth as follows:
  - A) 4 boys born 2005/2006 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2005 or later in domestic rankings or top 750 U14 TE or have ITF junior ranking points from singles
  - B) 4 girls born 2005/2006 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2005 or later in domestic rankings or top 750 U14 TE or have ITF junior ranking points from singles
  - C) 4 boys born 2007/2008 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2007 or later in domestic rankings
  - D) 4 girls born 2007/2008 who are ranked in the top 100 players born 2007 or later in domestic rankings

Should there be less than 4 available players who meet the criteria in any one grouping the Team Wales Manager can decide to either:

- Invite additional players from other groupings who meet the criteria or
- Offer places to players who it is felt deserve an opportunity but who don't meet the criteria. These players will be considered if they demonstrate an outstanding attitude AND train abroad, have suffered long term injury/illness, have had outstanding recent results, are the reigning Welsh Champion at U14, U12, U10
- Fill the full quota of 4 players invited from that grouping by inviting players who haven't met the criteria

### **Notes:**

Players will be notified 6 weeks prior to the camp that they have been selected according to their rankings at that time with any players who are unable to attend then being replaced.

The running of the National Camp will be funding dependent given that the intention is for it to be highly subsidised for players.