

UAE
2013 Davis Cup by BNP Paribas, Asia Oceania Zone Group III
week commencing 9 September
FACT SHEET

Tournament Organiser	Slah Bramly POBox 22466 - Dubai	Tel: +97142677876 Mob: +971507655686 E-mail: tennisemirates@yahoo.com
Venue	Dubai Aviation Club PO Box 22466, Dubai	Tel: +97142677876 Mob: +971507655686 E-mail: tennisemirates@yahoo.com
Court Surface:	Hard Court	
Official Ball:	Wilson, (TBC)	
Stadium Capacity:	Centre 1 x 5,500 Plus 3 x 1500 Plus 6 x 300	
Nearest Airport:	Dubai International Airport Distance from Airport to venue: 5 km	
Times of Play:	1630	
Ticket Prices:	Free	
Tie Hotel:	<p>Tel: TBC Fax: TBC Email:</p> <p>Single room: TBC Double room: TBC</p> <p>Hotel reservations and flight arrival details should be sent to Slah Bramly tennisemirates@yahoo.com at the Tennis Emirates with a copy to alison.sowersby@itftennis.com</p> <p>Visiting Nations (4 players and captain) are not expected to pay any lunch (on site) or bed and breakfast costs.</p> <p>Deadline for nations to confirm accommodation requirements: 1st August</p>	
Lunches (on site):	Coupons will be issued to players and captains for a food court on site.	
Stringing Service:	US\$15	
Travel:	<p>Visiting Teams will be responsible for their own travel costs to the Event.</p> <p>Hospitality/hotel expenses on site - The hospitality grant to the Host Nation is based on \$60 per day/per team member for the week (maximum of 5 people per competing Nation).</p> <p>Visiting Nations are not expected to pay any on-site food or accommodation costs</p>	
Television:	Host Broadcaster:	Dubai Sports Channel

Official Functions:	Captains' meeting:	Tuesday 10th September	1200 hrs	Onsite
	Official Draw:	Tuesday 10th September	1200 hrs	Onsite
	Official Dinner:	Tbc	Time TBC	Venue TBC
	Opening Ceremony:	Wednesday 11th September	1600 hrs	Onsite
	Official Arrival Day	Monday 9th September	NA	NA
<i>Please note that days of play are subject to change if there is a format change.</i>				

Nations (8): Cambodia, Hong Kong - China, Iran, Malaysia, Oman, Pacific Oceania, UAE, Vietnam

Withdrawals:

Format:

Round-robin basis:
Eight (8) teams are currently scheduled to compete and they will be drawn into two (2) pools of (4) four. These matches will be played from Wednesday 11 September through Friday 13 September.

Top two teams in each pool will then play in a new "promotion" round robin pool on Sat and Sun (counting any previous results against nations in that pool). The two highest placed nations in this pool will be promoted to Asia/Oceania Zone Group II in 2014.

The bottom two teams in each pool will play in a "relegation" round robin pool on Sat and Sun (counting any previous results against nations in that pool). The two last nations in this pool will be relegated to Asia/Oceania Zone Group IV in 2014.

Please note that the ITF may amend the format if any nation withdraws.

Team Nomination Deadline: 10th August

Referee
Neutral Chair
Official

Nitin Kannamwar (IND) – Gold Badge
Abhishek Mukherjee (IND) – Bronze Badge

Chief Umpires: TBC

VISA INFORMATION

As per Davis Cup Regulation 29, the Host Nation should make every effort to assist the visiting nations with visa requests. However ultimately, it is responsibility of every participating nation to check with their embassy if they require a VISA to travel to the hosting country as well as to ensure that all the members of the teams have all the required vaccination to access that country.

Please send all requests for letters of invitation (including names and passport numbers) to the following address: tennisemirates@yahoo.com, with a copy of the same to Alison.sowersby@itftennis.com