



SPANISH JUNIOR OPEN '26

28TH-30TH AUGUST 2026
SANTA CRUZ DE TENERIFE



SEGUROS DEPORTIVOS

EVENT

Spanish Junior Open is hosted by Real Club Náutico de Tenerife in Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Spain, and is supported by the Royal Spanish Squash Federation (<https://realfederaciondesquash.com/>) and Canarian Squash Federation.

STATUS

This is a Bronze event, part of the ESF Junior Circuit, with ranking opportunities linked to ESF and PSA categories as applicable.

Categories under 13, 15, 17 and 19 will earn ranking points to the ESF junior ranking.

The U19 and U17 categories will also earn ranking points to the PSA Ranking. Players will need to claim those points directly to the PSA after the event.

DATES

Friday 28th to Sunday 30th, August 2026.

Matches are expected to start on Friday 28th 2026 at 9:00 AM (local time). The trophy ceremony will take place on Sunday 30th at 14.30 hrs (local time), following the finals.

Closing: 2nd of August 2026 - last day for entry, payment and adding arrival/departure details.

ORGANIZATION & CONTACT INFORMATION

Tournament director: Francisco Mateo Castro - [✉ fronton@rcnt.es](mailto:fronton@rcnt.es) - [☎ +34 666836986](tel:+34666836986)

Tournament referee: Samuel Sosa Barreto

Entries/packages/event coordination: [✉ smorena@realfederaciondesquash.com](mailto:smorena@realfederaciondesquash.com)

HOST CITY



Playa de las Teresitas



Parque Marítimo & Auditorio

Santa Cruz de Tenerife, the capital of the island and host city of the Spanish Junior Open 2026, is a place where competition meets the beauty of the sea, the warmth of the climate and the energy of a vibrant city. With its nearby beaches, welcoming atmosphere and relaxed lifestyle, it offers an experience that goes beyond the tournament for players, families and fans alike.

VENUES

The tournament will be held across three venues, each situated within a 10-minute distance of one another. Complimentary shuttle transportation will be provided between venues for athletes, coaches, and accompanying persons who have purchased accommodation packages.

REAL CLUB NÁUTICO DE TENERIFE

Address: Av. Francisco La Roche, s/n - 38001 Santa Cruz de Tenerife

Event headquarters: 2 courts, changing rooms, gym and pool facilities, food area, relaxation area, and VIP zone



social building & pool



court #1

CLUB DE TENIS TENERIFE

Address: Av. Bélgica 27 - 38007 Santa Cruz de Tenerife

2 courts, changing rooms, players' area and terrace café.



main building



court #2

Pabellón Deportivo Paco Álvarez

Address: C. Heliodoro Rodríguez López, 38005 Santa Cruz de Tenerife

4 courts, changing rooms, players' area, food corner.



venue view



court #1 and stands

CATEGORIES

Spanish Junior Open 2026 is open to players of any nationality under the age of 19, 17, 15 and 13 on the final day of the event, provided that the player is not banned under the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines section C.4.e, section E.4.a or section E.4.b. Players may enter only one category. Each category is limited to 64 entries.

ENTRIES

Only entries made through and/or endorsed by the relevant national federation will be accepted.

To enter the tournament please use the official entry form and send it by e-mail to this mailbox: smorena@realfederaciondesquash.com

Please use the following subject line: "SJO2026 – [Federation] – [Name Surname]"

Entries will only be recognized on reception of the entry form and the full Entry/ Package Fee according to the entry form no later than the closing date.

By entering this tournament the MNA confirms that they will make sure that all relevant people (including coaches, managers and players) are aware of the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines and their requirements as well as the rules for this tournament. Players will need to have an ESID number.

ELIGIBILITY

Players are only allowed to enter one category.

A minimum of 4 players per draw. TD reserves the right to amalgamate categories with fewer than 4 players entered.

Any player is entitled to enter, provided they are under the required age according to the category entered on the final scheduled day of the event.

As specified by the European Squash Federation; to compete in an ESF registered event, all players, coaches, managers and other officials must hold an active European Squash ID (ESID), which is approved and validated by their MNF and ESF. The national MNF is responsible for ensuring that all players, coaches, managers and other officials are registered with ESF prior to entry, and that their entry is fully supported.

COACHES

All team or individual player coaches designated by their Nation as part of their event onsite management team (either solely or with an appointed team manager) at any Championship held under the auspices of ESF must be ESF registered, i.e. have an ESID, as their license to attend as a formal representative. This is required when they are registered by their national federation.

ESID

All players, coaches, managers and other officials must be registered with ESF. This must be approved and validated by the relevant MNF. The MNF is responsible for ensuring that all players, coaches, managers and other officials are registered with ESF prior to entry, and their entry is fully supported.

Register for an ESID through the ESF tournament software website: [ESID REGISTRATION](#)

DRAWS AND SEEDING

The seeding and schedules will be published on: <https://realfederaciondesquash.com/competicion/> and <https://europeansquash.com/events/>. The seeding and draw will be carried out using the ESF Junior Rankings valid at the tournament closing date, in accordance with the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines section D.

MATCHES

All matches will be played as best of five games with PAR 11 scoring to 2 clear points.

All players will be guaranteed a minimum of three scheduled matches.

All positions in the categories will be played out.

BALL

DUNLOP PRO XX

CLOTHING & EYE PROTECTION

Players will not be allowed to play, practice or compete on court without:

- Wearing approved eye protection.
- Wearing suitable squash attire including non-marking shoes.

REFEREEING

All players will be expected to mark and referee matches. typically the next match on the court they have just played at. Adult referees will be appointed to the most important matches, such as semifinals and finals.

PRIZES

There will be trophies in all categories.

INSURANCE

Players enter and play in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the organizers, the RFES nor the ESF or WSF accept any responsibility for injury arising from participating in the event. Players must arrange their own insurance.

RECORDING OF MATCHES/WEB PUBLISHING/LIVE STREAMING

The recording of matches for coaching/performance analysis purposes is acceptable provided the players and/or their parents/coaches do not object. The event organizers will be publishing draws, results, photos and videos of persons at the event as well as live streaming. By attending the event, participants are deemed to accept this condition.

SAFEGUARDING, HEALTH AND SAFETY

Adults interacting with juniors in the organization and running of ESF Junior Circuit events are in a position of trust and influence. They should always ensure that junior players are treated with integrity and respect. Tournaments should be run in a safe, positive and encouraging atmosphere. The Tournament Director and

Tournament Referee should be trained in safeguarding children according to the host MNF national standards for child protection. The health and safety of all persons (players, officials, spectators, tournament staff) involved in or attending a tournament is of paramount importance. The host MNF is responsible for ensuring an appropriate plan is in place for the tournament.



ESF REGULATIONS AND PENALTIES

The tournament is part of the ESF Junior Circuit and will be run in accordance with the ESF Junior Guidelines, a copy of which is available on the ESF website <https://europeansquash.com/junior-circuit/>

MNFs should make sure that all relevant people (including coaches, managers and players) are aware of the Guidelines and their requirements.

A late withdrawal is a withdrawal made 2 days or less before the start date of the tournament. Ranking penalties may be applied to the records of the players who fail to turn up or who make a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate.

Please note: The medical certificate must clearly state the players name, date of birth and nature of the illness/injury the certificate must cover the date of the relevant tournament and must be sent to the ESF Office within 2 days after the final day of the tournament.

If a player:

- a) Has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- b) Fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she may receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- c) If zero points are awarded the points will count as one of the players 4 best results for the rolling 12 months period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically
- d) Commits either of these offences for a second time within a 12 months period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Juniors Circuit for a period of 12 months.

TOURNAMENT PACKAGES

A variety of packages is available to suit different lengths of stay and individual needs, including accommodation, meal plans, and transportation options. All bookings are managed exclusively through the official reservation form.



OFFICIAL HOTELS

1) Hotel Adonis Plaza * * *

Address: Plaza de la Candelaria, 10, 38002 Santa Cruz de Tenerife

2) Hotel Príncipe Paz * * *

Address: C/Valentín Sanz, 33, 38002 Santa Cruz de Tenerife

3) Hotel NH Santa Cruz * * *

Address: C/Candelaria, 3, 38003 Santa Cruz de Tenerife

Packages are based on shared double/twin or triple occupancy, depending on the package selected. Single-room occupancy is available on request, subject to an additional charge of 53€ per night. Extra nights are also available on request.



MEALS

All meals included in the packages are served at the Real Club Náutico de Tenerife venue, with complimentary fruit juices and water also available for players. Meal service includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner according to the package schedule.



TRANSPORT

All accommodation packages with hotel include shuttle transport between the hotels and the competition venues, as well as local transfers between event locations when required.

Airport transfers (on request): Tenerife North at 25€ return/person and Tenerife South at 42€ return/person.



FAMILIES

Family packages (C1 & C2) are designed for a one-week stay and offer a complete event experience for accompanying families. They also include two complimentary tickets per person for Santa Cruz attractions (Palmetum and Parque Marítimo), and families are welcome to attend the official tournament party.



PLAYER PACKAGES BENEFITS

Player packages also feature tournament gifts (t-shirt, bag and bottle), free access to training courts subject to reservation, complimentary fruit, juices and water at the venues, gym facilities and a relaxation area with a PlayStation zone.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

Accommodation packages are subject to limited availability and will be confirmed on a first-come, first-served basis. Final confirmation is subject to receipt of the entry form and payment. Minors under 18 must be accompanied by a responsible adult for hotel check-in.

PACKAGE SUMMARY

PACKAGE	PRICE	ENTRY FEE	HOTEL	MEALS	TRANSPORT	ALSO INCLUDED
A1 [Players]	350€	YES	3 nights Th27/Sun30 in dbl/trpl	Fri 28: Bk,Ln, Dn Sat 29: Bk, Ln, Dn Sun 30: Bk, Ln	YES	ESF LEVY, GIFTS, GYM PLAYSTATION AREA, PARTY
A2 [Coaches/ Parents]	300€	-	3 nights Th27/Sun30 in dbl/trpl	Fri 28: Bk,Ln, Dn Sat 29: Bk, Ln, Dn Sun 30: Bk, Ln	YES	FREE ACCESS RCNT FACILITIES, PARTY
B1 [Players]	405€	YES	4 nights Th27/Mon31 in dbl/trpl	Fri 28: Bk,Ln, Dn Sat 29: Bk, Ln, Dn Sun 30: Bk, Ln	YES	ESF LEVY, GIFTS, GYM PLAYSTATION AREA, PARTY
B2 [Coaches/ Parents]	355€	-	4 nights Th27/Mon31 in dbl/trpl	Fri 28: Bk,Ln, Dn Sat 29: Bk, Ln, Dn Sun 30: Bk, Ln	YES	FREE ACCESS RCNT FACILITIES, PARTY
C1 [1 Player+ 2Adults]	1275€	YES	6 nights Mon24/Sun30 in triple room	Tue 25-Thu 27: Bk Fri 28: Bk, Ln, Dn Sat 29: Bk, Ln, Dn Sun 30: Bk, Ln	YES	ESF LEVY, GIFTS, FREE ACCESS RCNT FACILITIES, GYM, PARTY, LOCAL TICKETS
C2 [2 Players+ 2Adults]	1750€	YES	6 nights Mon24/Sun30 2x double/twin rooms	Tue 25-Thu 27: Bk Fri 28: Bk,Ln, Dn Sat 29: Bk, Ln, Dn Sun 30: Bk, Ln	YES	ESF LEVY, GIFTS, FREE ACCESS RCNT FACILITIES, GYM, PARTY, LOCAL TICKETS
Y	70€	YES	NO	NO	NO	ESF LEVY, GIFTS, GYM PLAYSTATION AREA,

(*) Dbl= Double/twin room, Trpl=Triple room || Bk= Breakfast, Ln= Lunch, Dn=Dinner

Other packages can be arranged on an individual basis if required.

PAYMENT DETAILS

IBAN: ES83 0075 0293 1606 0733 2303

BIC/SWIFT: BSCHEM33

Bank: Banco de Santander

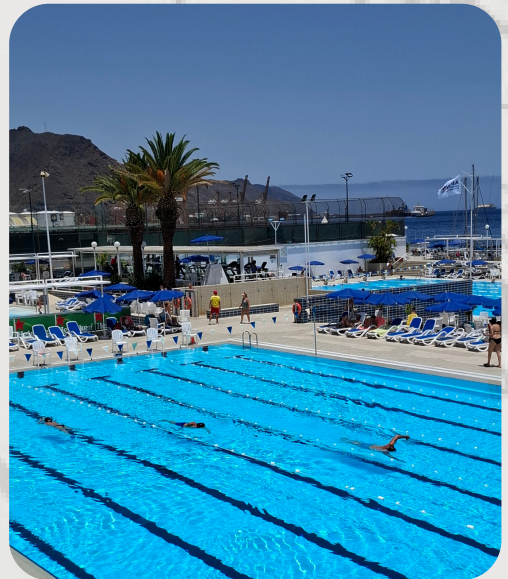
Account Holder: Real Federación Española de Squash

Please mark payment clearly with: "SJO2026" and "[Players/Federation name]".

In case of withdrawal, fees will be reimbursed according to ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines, section E.

Package fees cannot be refunded for any cancellations on or after 15th August 2026. For cancellations between 2nd and 15th August (inclusive) only 50% of the package fee (less bank charges) is refundable.

SEE YOU IN TENERIFE!



SEE YOU AT SJ02026!

A unique junior squash experience in Santa Cruz de Tenerife

Hosts



With the institutional support of

