



Hanover Horse Cup 2024

tournament guide



Dearest participants, the organisation team is excited to welcome you to the first Hanover Horse Cup! Get ready to meet people from more than 20 nations, witness thrilling matches and experience unforgettable moments on and off the courts. Whether you're a seasoned GLTA-participant or new to the tour, this guide will provide you with all the information you need to make the most of your tournament experience. Enjoy!

1. Time Schedule

Monday-Wednesday

- ⌚ Limited practicing courts are available all day on request (FREE) for bookings and/or practicing partners, please contact the Orga team:
+ 4915156119026 (WhatsApp or SMS please)
- ⌚ Hanover hosts an amazing cabaret festival in its famous baroque gardens of Herrenhausen (no play on Monday). Dozens of artists as acrobats, magicians, comedians on stages all around the gardens will provide you an enchanting evening. After the event the gardens are illuminated until midnight. For further information look for “kleines Fest im großen Garten, Hannover”.
The Orga team has secured a few tickets for Tuesday and Wednesday:
+ 4915156119026 (WhatsApp or SMS please)

Thursday

- ⌚ Limited practicing courts are available all day until 5pm on request (FREE) for bookings and/or practicing partners, please contact the Orga team:
+ 4915156119026 (WhatsApp or SMS please)
- ⌚ 7pm - 9pm get-together at “Schöne Aussichten 360° Beachclub Hannover”
address: Röseler Str. 7, 30159 Hannover
The Beachclub provides a large selection of drinks, food and free WiFi
➔ Collect your HHC 2024 welcome bag and receive a voucher for a FREE drink

Friday

- ⌚ 07:30am tournament desk opens for registration.
- ⌚ 08:00am start of the tournament
➔ Please check your start time at the glta tournament software and check-in at the tournament desk latest 15mins prior to your scheduled match time!
➔ We will send a WhatsApp-message and an e-mail as soon as the times are published.
- ⌚ 07:30am- approx. 5pm: Coffee, cold beverages and a selection of bread rolls and cakes can be purchased at the venue.



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- ⌚ Approx. 11:00am till late: The BBQ grill, the beer counter, the beach bar and the beach lounge are open, BBQ food and alcoholic beverages can be purchased.
- ⌚ Approx. 06:00pm: The minister of Interior and Sports in Lower Saxony and the second mayor of Hannover will visit the venue.
- ⌚ Approx. 06:30pm- 9pm: Mediterranean buffet is available while matches will continue according to the schedule
 - ➔ For HHC 2024 participants, the buffet is FREE as it is included in the entry! Please note that beverages need to be purchased extra.
 - ➔ Guests can join the buffet for 25 Euro.
 - ➔ The DJ will play accompanying music.
- ⌚ Approx. 9pm: The buffet closes, the DJ will play more dancing music.

Saturday

- ⌚ 07:30am tournament desk opens for registration.
- ⌚ 08:00am- approx. 05:30pm scheduled matches
 - ➔ Please check your start time at the GLTA tournament software and check-in at the tournament desk latest 15 minutes prior to your scheduled match time!
 - ➔ We will send a WhatsApp-message and an e-mail as soon as the times are published.
- ⌚ 07:30am- approx. 05:00pm: Coffee, cold beverages and a selection of bread rolls and cakes can be purchased at the venue.
- ⌚ Approx. 11:00am- approx. 05:00pm: the BBQ grill, the beer counter, the beach bar and the beach lounge are open, BBQ food and alcoholic beverages can be purchased
- ⌚ Approx. 05:30pm: matches stop, so the participants can get changed and get ready for the dinner.
- ⌚ 07.30pm dinner at the “Brauhaus Ernst-August“, which is famous for its homemade beer and live music, address: Schmiedestr. 13, 30159 Hannover
 - ➔ For HHC 2024 participants, the dinner is FREE as it is included in the entry! Please note that beverages need to be purchased extra.
 - ➔ Guests can join the dinner for 25 Euro
 - ➔ The Brauhaus is famous for its live music. However, the location in the city center is close to other bars, party locations and clubs. Ask the Orga team (especially Inga) for further information.



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Sunday

- 09:00am tournament desk opens for registration.
- 09:30am- approx. 03:00pm semifinals and finals
- 09:00am- approx. 03:00pm: Coffee, cold beverages and a selection of bread rolls and cakes can be purchased at the venue
- Approx. 11:00am- approx. 03:00pm: the BBQ grill, the beer counter, the beach bar and the beach lounge open, BBQ food and alcoholic beverages can be purchased
- Approx. 3pm award ceremony and farewell

2. Match rules

- Matches in all categories and levels will be played in accordance with the rules of the ITF and the GLTA.
- Tennis rules from the International Tennis Federation apply when not specifically regulated by GLTA. The rules are partly described below.
- Please check-in at the tournament desk at least 15 minutes prior to each match.
- Warm-up times are strictly limited to 5 minutes!
- Main Draw matches are played in best-of-3 sets (match tie-break as third set; first to 10 with a winning margin of 2 points).
- Please, report the match results to the tournament desk after the match.
- Consolation is planned only for Singles but depending on capacities doubles consolation will be considered by the tournament directors.
- The consolation matches are to be played as 8 game pro-sets with a regular tie-break (up to 7 with a winning margin of 2 points) at 8-8. Consolation finals best of three sets, Match-tiebreak (up to 10 with a winning margin of 2 points).
- In all main draw events, winner and runner up prizes are awarded. Please note that winners receive a Horse Cup! The runner ups will get a Horse Cup medal.
- In consolation rounds only the winners are awarded with a medal.
- HHC2024 reserves the right to change the rules due to unforeseen events, delays and bad weather conditions.

3. Further information

Venue

- Address: Paderborner Str. 7, 30539 Hannover
➔ please find a map and how to get there on the tournament website:
<https://www.hanover-horse-cup.de/veranstaltungsorte/>
- FREE water and bananas for all participants
- FREE WiFi: ask the Orga team for the WiFi codes



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Tournament contacts and WhatsApp-Group

- 📞 Tournament phone number: +4915156119026
- ✉ Tournament e-mail: turnierleitung@hanover-horse-cup.de
- 📱 We will use the HHC2024 WhatsApp-Group to distribute further information before and during the tournament. Please let us know if you do not have WhatsApp or if you do not want to be member of the WhatsApp-Group



Public transport/HHC2024 Shuttle

- 📍 Depending on the weather conditions and duration of matches, the tournament will be played at one venue only. The venue in the Paderborner Strasse can be reached by different options. Please check out the information on our tournament website:
<https://www.hanover-horse-cup.de/veranstaltungenorte/>
- 📍 For short distances to the tram station limited shuttle capacities are available. Please ask the Orga team for availabilities.

Stringing Service and tournament balls

- 📍 Our cooperation partner TennisPoint provides stringing services during the event.
- 📍 Our tournament balls are TennisPoint Premium balls.

Miscellaneous

- 📍 We tried to provide as much information as possible in this tournament guide. If we missed something important, please let us know. Some more details and one or two little surprises will be disclosed during the event. Please note that any details could be changed by the Orga team if necessary.
- 📍 Cashless payment is provided at the venue and try to avoid cash.



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4. Cooperation partners, promoters and sponsors

