



5th African Nations' Cup Morocco 2007

20 – 26 January 2008
INFORMATION SHEET

I- General Information:

Host Nation	Site & Surface	Tournament Director	Referee
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Accommodation	Sign in	Draw	Balls
Hôtel : Moussafir Ibis Rabat Tel : +212 37 77 49 19/26 Fax : +212 37 77 49 03 Web Site: www.ibishotel.com	Sunday 20 January 2008 - 09:00 - 11:00	Sunday 20 January 2008 - 11:30	DUNLOP FORT ALL COURT

II- Individual Competition:

Single Event: Each Nation is entitled to enter a maximum of 2 men and 2 ladies. The host nation is entitled to enter a maximum of four (4) players for each of the singles' events.

Doubles Event: Only players entered in the singles are eligible to play the doubles. Doubles pairings must be from the same nation but with the agreement of the Tournament Committee, nations with odd numbers of players may form doubles pairings.

Important: The singles will be conducted on a feed-in consolation basis whereby each player will play one singles match each day resulting in a ranking of all the players. The doubles events will be run on a knock-out basis.

Prize Money:

	Men's Single	Ladies' Single	Men's Doubles	Ladies' Doubles	Team Competition
Winner	\$4,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$3,000
Runner up	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$500	\$1,500
Third	\$1,100	\$550	\$500		
Fourth	\$900	\$450	\$500		
Fifth	\$575	\$300			
Sixth	\$525	\$275			
Seventh	\$475	\$225			
Eighth	\$425	\$200			
Total	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$4,000	\$1,500	\$4,500

III- Team Competition:

Only the two best teams fully composed of two (2) men and two (2) women may qualify for this event. Selection will be based on the points accumulated in the singles events. The host nation will be allowed to enter two Teams.

(See details below):

Ranking	Points
1 st : Winner	28
2 nd : Runner up	20
3 rd	12
4 th	11
5 th	6
6 th	5
7 th	4
8 th	3
Round of 16	1

Final Team event:

Male player N°1 team A	V	Male player N°1 team B
Male player N°2 team A	V	Male player N°2 team B
Female player N°1 team A	V	Female player N°1 team B
Female player N°2 team A	V	Female player N°2 team B

In the event of draw, a deciding mixed-double tie will be played between the two teams.

The Team totalizing a minimum of three (3) victories in the tie is declared winner.

IV- Rules and Scoring:

All events will be conducted in accordance with the ITF Rules and Regulations.

All matches will be played at the best of 3 sets with tie break in all sets if required.

At one-set all, a tie-break game will be used for the 3rd set of **consolation and feed-in matches**.

All matches of CAN will be officiated by a Chair umpire and linesmen.

There will be also three (3) ball boys per match. Mineral water will be provided to players in all matches.

V- CAN Technical Committee:

The tournaments will be run by the appointed referee of the tournaments. There will also be a Tournament Committee made up as follows:

- CAT Representative.
- CAN Director
- One (1) coach representing Morocco
- CAN Referee

Three accompanying Team coaches including one English speaking, one French speaking and one Arabic speaking.

The committee will assist the referee in making the draw of the tournament, and will thereafter meet to establish the tournament program and settle any disputes. It will also decide on all matters concerning the rules.

VI- Opening and closing Ceremonies

An opening ceremony will take place on 20 January prior to the start of the matches. A closing ceremony will also take immediately after the team events finals on 26 January 2008.

Participants are kindly requested to wear on these occasions their national team tracksuit or a national dress.

National Associations are also required to send along with their participants their national flag and an audio tape of their national anthem.

An official CAN 2008 dinner will be organised on 24 January in the evening. Time and place of the dinner will be communicated on site. Formal dress is kindly required.

VII- Travel organisation, welcome, accommodation, foods... :

Welcome at the Airport:

Delegations will be welcomed at their arrival at Casablanca airport and conducted to the CAN official Hotel.

At departure from Casablanca, delegations will be provided a hotel – airport transportation and assistance.

Accommodation / meals:

- HOTEL 1 : MOUSSAFIR Ibis Rabat *** 500 m from the site,

Tarifs :

- 92 \$ per Day, Single Full Board
- 75 \$ per Day, Single Half Board
- 58 \$ per Day, Single with Breakfast
- 52 \$ per Day, Single without Breakfast
- 133 \$ per Day, Double Full Board
- 99 \$ per Day, Double Half Board
- 71 \$ per Day, Double with Breakfast
- 52 \$ per Day, Double without Breakfast

- HOTEL 2 : OUMLIL **** 1 Km from the site

Tel: +212 37 68 34 34 – Fax: +212 37 68 65 57 – website: resaoumlil@fram.fr

- 80 \$ per Day, Single with Breakfast
- 90 \$ per Day, Single Half Board
- 102 \$ per Day, Double with Breakfast
- 134 \$ per Day, Double Half Board

Participants who will arrive before 19th January or who leave after 27th January has to inform the Fédération Royale Marocaine de Tennis for reservation.

Accompanying officials or relatives will be able to take advantage of the special rate Payment should be done by the delegations directly with the hotel.

Transportation:

An airport/hotel/airport bus transportation will be provided for all the participants including VIP Transport will be provided from the recommended hotels to the competition site.

Travel:

National Associations are responsible for buying their own airline tickets and making their own airline reservations.

Visas

Travelling teams are responsible for obtaining entry visas for Morocco in advance at the Moroccan embassy/consulate in their country, or in a neighbouring country.

For any assistance regarding this matter, please contact directly the Fédération Royale Marocaine de Tennis.

N.B.:

CAT CANNOT ASSIST IN OBTAINING VISA FOR MOROCCO

Entry Fees:

There is no entry fee.

The only affiliated National Associations to CAT can be accepted to participate in CAN.

Waiver of Claims:

All players entering CAN agree, as a condition of their entry, that no claims are brought against the CAT, the tournament organisers, and the national association sanctioning such events, with respect to any injuries, however caused, or any losses incurred, while travelling to and from, or participating in CAN.

It is therefore recommended that all players have adequate medical insurance cover.

Medical Assistance:

A medical doctor will be available at the tournament venue to provide on/off court assistance in case of injury or sickness. A physiotherapist will be on site too.

NB: any immediate medical assistance will be provided free of charge. However for any serious sickness or injury requiring a treatment or a stay in a hospital, cost will be born by the patient. We consequently invite the participants to take an appropriate insurance before coming to Morocco.

Security

The Tennis site at l'UNION SPORTIVE DES CHEMINOTS du MAROC located in a very safe area. An official security service will operate during your stay, at the tennis venue as well as the official hotel.

Restraining:

Restraining by professionals will be available at the venue for the cost of US\$ 10,00 per racket (string not included).

Badges

Each National Association must send to the Fédération Royale Marocaine de Tennis for the making of badges for their official delegation before 5 October 2006 the following information:

- Surname
- First name (s)
- Date of birth
- Status
- ID picture
- Country

VIII- Entry Deadline:

Entries must be received not later than 22 December 2007 at CAT Headquarters:

CAT: Confederation of African Tennis

Mr Hichem Riani – CAT General Manager.

Mr Heikel Lakhdhar – CAT Administrator.

BP 315 El Menzah 1004 Tunis – Tunisie

Tél: +216 71 84 77 85 Fax: +216 71 84 10 45

Email: rianihichem@yahoo.fr - cat@cattennis.com & heikel.lakhdhar@cattennis.com

Web site: [http://: www.cattennis.com](http://www.cattennis.com)

Any team withdrawing less than seven (7) days before the start of the CAN will pay a US\$400 fine.



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Entry form

Entry deadline: 22 December 2007.

Please complete the following entry form in capital letters:

The National Association of Wishes to enter the following players :

Players	Family Name	First Name	Date of birth
1- Man			
2 - Man			
3 - Lady			
4 - Lady			
- Coach	Family Name	First Name	
1-			

Each National Association is entitled to enter two men and two ladies, totally (4) players and (1) coach. Morocco as host nation can enter two teams.

Entered players must be born on 31 December 1992 or before.

ENTRIES HAVE TO BE SENT IN THE OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM.

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

SIGNATURE :

Name :

Position :

Country:

Entry form completed with names and date of birth of all participants shall be sent to CAT Headquarters by Email or by Fax at the latest 22 December 2007.

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TRAVEL DETAILS

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Country :

Arrival :

Date :

Time :

Flight N° :

Departure :

Date :

Time :

Flight N° :

PLEASE SEND THE COMPLETED FORM TO THE CAT OFFICE BY NO LATER THAN THURSDAY 3 JANUARY 2008 BY FAX OR EMAIL TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

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HOTEL RESERVATION
Players / Coaches / Officials

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The National Association of ----- wishes to reserve a hotel for the following persons:

Name	First name	Quality: Player Coach Official	Hôtel Ibis Rabat Cat: 3*	Hôtel Oumlil Cat: 5 *	Single Room Doubles Room

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