

**RWANDA CHALLENGER**  
**KIGALI 1, RWANDA (2913)**  
**02 - 07 MARCH 2026 (SATURDAY FINAL)**



**ATP Challenger 75**  
**Prize Money: \$107,000**

**IMPORTANT:** Request your accommodation on-time. Deadlines below

**TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

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| <b>SITE:</b><br>Iprc Kicukiro Ecology Tennis Club<br>Kk 374 St,<br>Kigali<br>Rwanda<br><br>T: +250 798 813 423 |                                                              |                      |                                              |
| <b>SURFACE:</b>                                                                                                | Outdoor Clay                                                 | <b>LAUNDRY:</b>      | In the hotel                                 |
| <b>SURFACE BRAND:</b>                                                                                          | Clay                                                         | <b>LAUNDRY COST:</b> | \$6                                          |
| <b>BALL:</b>                                                                                                   | Artengo Kuikma All Court Pro                                 | <b>FOOD:</b>         | Catering subcontractor, Buffet style         |
| <b>PRACTICE COURTS:</b>                                                                                        | Two (2) all on-site                                          | <b>FOOD COST:</b>    | At cost, approx.\$16 (Prize Money Deduction) |
| <b>AVAILABLE FROM:</b>                                                                                         | Saturday 28 February                                         | <b>DEPOSIT:</b>      | Practice balls and towels: \$10              |
| <b>STRINGING FEE:</b>                                                                                          | \$16 (Prize Money Deduction)                                 | <b>TRANSFERS:</b>    | Shuttle car every 30 min                     |
| <b>FULLY EQUIPPED GYM:</b>                                                                                     | Fully Equipped Gym In Hotel + Warm-up/Cool-down Area On Site | <b>COMBINED:</b>     | No                                           |
| <b>ELECTR. LINE CALLING</b>                                                                                    | No                                                           | <b>TIME ZONE:</b>    | UTC +2                                       |
| <b>SPECIAL EVENTS:</b>                                                                                         | TBC                                                          |                      |                                              |

**CONTACTS**

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| <b>TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR</b> | Arzel Mevellec                                                                 | T: +33 6 63 69 83 42 | <a href="mailto:arzelmevellec@hotmail.com">arzelmevellec@hotmail.com</a>                 |
| <b>ASSISTANT TD</b>        | Katell Ruet                                                                    | T: +33 6 74 19 63 07 | <a href="mailto:katell.ruet@gmail.com">katell.ruet@gmail.com</a>                         |
| <b>HOTEL RESERVATIONS</b>  | Katell Ruet                                                                    | T: +33 6 74 19 63 07 | <a href="mailto:rwandachallenger.kigali@gmail.com">rwandachallenger.kigali@gmail.com</a> |
| <b>TRANSPORTATION</b>      | Gisèle                                                                         | T: +250 780 762 226  | <a href="mailto:rwandachallenger.kigali@gmail.com">rwandachallenger.kigali@gmail.com</a> |
| <b>PRACTICE BOOKING</b>    | T: +250 780 762 226 (Gisèle) via WhatsApp. Available from Thursday 26 February |                      |                                                                                          |
| <b>PLAYERS' DESK</b>       | T: +250 780 762 226 via WhatsApp. Available from Thursday 26 February          |                      |                                                                                          |
| <b>INT. EMERGENCY NO</b>   | 112                                                                            | <b>POLICE</b>        | 112                                                                                      |
|                            |                                                                                | <b>AMBULANCE</b>     | 912                                                                                      |
|                            |                                                                                | <b>FIRE</b>          | 112                                                                                      |
| <b>ATP STAFF ON SITE:</b>  |                                                                                |                      |                                                                                          |
| <b>ATP Supervisor</b>      | Stephane Cretois                                                               | T: +33 6 10 27 27 45 | <a href="mailto:stephane.cretois.ic@atptour.com">stephane.cretois.ic@atptour.com</a>     |

**DRAWs, CUTOFFS & SCHEDULE**

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| <b>QUALIFYING</b><br><b>MAIN DRAW SINGLES</b><br><b>MAIN DRAW DOUBLES</b>   | <b>Start</b>    | <b>Final</b>             | <b>Size</b> | <b>DA</b> | <b>WC</b> | <b>Q</b> | <b>SE</b> | <b>NG</b> | <b>2025 Cut Offs</b> |
|                                                                             | Sunday 01 March | -                        | 24          | 20/18     | 4         | -        | -         | 0/2       | 662                  |
|                                                                             | Monday 02 March | <b>Saturday 07 March</b> | 32          | 23/18     | 3         | 6        | 0/2       | 0/3       | 344                  |
|                                                                             | Monday 02 March | Saturday 07 March        | 16          | 14        | 2         | -        | -         | -         | 569                  |
| <b>Main Draw will be made on:</b> Saturday 28 February after 6PM local time |                 |                          |             |           |           |          |           |           |                      |

**ENTRY & SIGN-IN DEADLINES**

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| <b>Main Draw Singles:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>Monday 09 February 2026</b>    | at 12:00 noon Eastern Time (Florida, USA) through ATP PlayerZone                                                                        |
| <b>Qualifying Draw:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>Wednesday 11 February 2026</b> | at 12:00 noon Eastern Time (Florida, USA) through ATP PlayerZone                                                                        |
| <b>Doubles Advance Entry:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>Monday 23 February 2026</b>    | at 12:00 noon Eastern Time (Florida, USA) through ATP PlayerZone                                                                        |
| <b>On-site Sign-In Deadlines - via Email or Text Message:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                   |                                                                                                                                         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Stephane Cretois</b>           | <a href="mailto:stephane.cretois.ic@atptour.com">stephane.cretois.ic@atptour.com</a> T: +33 6 10 27 27 45 (to be used for sign-in only) |
| <b>Main Draw Doubles entry deadline:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>Sunday 01 March 2026</b>       | at 12:00 noon local time                                                                                                                |
| <b>Preserved Eligibility Deadline:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Saturday 28 February 2026</b>  | from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. local time                                                                                                       |
| <b>Alternate Sign-In for Qualifying Draw*:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>Saturday 28 February 2026</b>  | from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. local time                                                                                                       |
| <b>On-Site Alternate Sign-In*:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                   | 30 minutes before the start of qualifying matches                                                                                       |
| *Any player with a PIF ATP Ranking (singles or doubles) and who is on-site may sign in.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                   |                                                                                                                                         |
| All players must sign-in (Doubles, Alternates, Lucky Losers) and/or preserve eligibility by either sending email or by phone via a text message to the Supervisor/Qual Supervisor on email and number above. The player is responsible for having his request for preserving eligibility and/or entry confirmed by the Supervisor that his e-mail or text was received in a timely manner. |                                   |                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>No other means of contact than those stated on the detail sheet are accepted.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                   |                                                                                                                                         |

**PIF ATP RANKING POINTS AND PRIZE MONEY BREAKDOWN**

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| <b>PRIZE MONEY:</b> U.S. Dollars paid through the ATP<br>Tax Withheld: 15% |               |                 |                      |                  |             |            |          |           |
|                                                                            | <b>Winner</b> | <b>Finalist</b> | <b>Semi-Finalist</b> | <b>Quarter-F</b> | <b>R/16</b> | <b>R32</b> | <b>Q</b> | <b>Q2</b> |
| <b>Ranking Points</b>                                                      | 75            | 44              | 22                   | 12               | 6           | -          | 4        | 2         |
| <b>Singles PM</b>                                                          | \$17,000      | \$9,600         | \$5,510              | \$3,095          | \$1,740     | \$1,045    | \$530    | \$265     |
| <b>Ranking Points</b>                                                      | 75            | 50              | 30                   | 16               | -           | -          | -        | -         |
| <b>Doubles PM</b>                                                          | \$4,980       | \$2,880         | \$1,730              | \$1,010          | \$580       | -          | -        | -         |

**HOTEL ACCOMMODATION**

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| <b>Primary Hotel:</b><br>Zaria Court Kigali - Tapestry Collection by Hilton<br>KG 17 Ave. Remera,<br>Kigali, Rwanda<br>T: +250 788 156 100<br><a href="#">Website</a> | <b>Distance To Site:</b> 3.6 km<br><b>Single Room:</b> \$150<br><b>Double Room:</b> \$150<br><b>Breakfast:</b> Included for all<br><b>Additional Tax:</b> 0 |
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**RESERVATIONS & COMPLIMENTARY ACCOMMODATION**

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| <b>IMPORTANT:</b> All players must reserve their rooms via UNO by the deadlines below. This requirement includes all players accepted into the Main and Qualifying Draws and all nights, including complimentary accommodation nights.<br>Player accepted into both Singles and Doubles events must comply with the deadline that occurs earlier.                                                        |
| <b>Failure to make a reservation by the relevant deadline shall result in that player's automatic forfeiture of hotel accommodations for the tournament week.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Failure to CANCEL or CHANGE reservation (i.e. if arriving later than Complimentary Accommodation Start Date) by the relevant deadline shall result in that player's forfeiture of hotel accommodations for nights reserved but not used. In addition, the tournament shall have the right to charge the player at the official tournament hotel's published rate for each night he did not use the room. |
| A player still competing in either singles or doubles in the prior week's tournament must keep the tournament informed if his reservation(s) may change and confirm the final arrival date with the tournament when his travel plans are finalized.                                                                                                                                                      |
| For any assistance or additional information about your hotel booking contact: <a href="#">TOURNAMENT HOTEL RESERVATIONS UNO - LINK</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

|                           | Reservation Deadline                         | Amendment & Cancellation Deadline           | Compl. Accommod. Start Date | Compl. Accommod. Finish Date                                                                             |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Qualifying                | Friday 20 February<br>11:59 PM local time    | Thursday 26 February<br>11:59 PM local time | Saturday 28 February        | Check out - the day after the player's last match                                                        |
| Singles Main Draw         | Friday 20 February<br>11:59 PM local time    | Thursday 26 February<br>11:59 PM local time | Saturday 28 February        | Thursday 05 March<br>check out OR the day after the player's last match check out, whichever is later    |
| Doubles - Advance Entry   | Wednesday 25 February<br>11:59 PM local time | Thursday 26 February<br>11:59 PM local time | Sunday 01 March             | Wednesday 04 March<br>check out OR the day after the player's last match check out, whichever is later** |
| Doubles - On-site Sign-in | Sunday 01 March<br>3:00 PM local time        | Sunday 01 March<br>3:00 PM local time       |                             |                                                                                                          |
| Alternates*               | Thursday 26 February<br>11:59 PM local time  | Thursday 26 February<br>11:59 PM local time | as per relevant draw        | as per relevant draw                                                                                     |

\*Players moving into the Qualifying and Singles Main Draw between the above Reservation Deadlines and Thursday prior to the tournament's start. Players moving into the draws after Thursday, must make their hotel reservation room request and notify the tournament of their arrival date without delay.

\*\*Main draw doubles player who shares a room with another main draw doubles player shall have a minimum of six (6) nights or through the night of that player's last match, whichever is later.

#### TRANSPORTATION

**Nearest Airport:** Kigali (KGL). Airport pickup is provided for all players. Distance from airport to hotel is max 15 min. Airport pickup available from: Friday 27 February.

Airport pickup requests must be made via [UNO](#)

Contact for transportation assistance and additional information: Gisèle (see email and tel no in CONTACTS section)

#### ACCREDITATIONS

All credential requests must be made via [UNO](#)

#### TRAVEL HEALTH ADVISORY

All players are advised to check example websites below (or a travel website in your home country) and follow all health related recommendations and requirements for travelling to

<https://travelhealthpro.org.uk/countries>

<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/list>

Players are also responsible for checking with the Consular Section of the country of transit and/or destination if any **COVID-19 restrictions** are enforced before travelling.

#### VISA

**PLEASE NOTE: Border restrictions may apply.**

Before entering this event, all players should check with their local Consular Service of Rwanda to confirm if they will be permitted to enter the country and if any special authorizations are required.

Passport must be valid at least six (6) months after the date of entry into Rwandan territory.

For visa requirements go to: [WEBSITE LINK](#) or [WEBSITE LINK](#)

For advice on recommended vaccination and health consideration go to: [Rwanda Biomedical Centre](#)

Travel support documents, including a letter of invitation are available on UNO. For any further information, please contact the ATP Hotline at [Members@Support.ATPTour.com](mailto:Members@Support.ATPTour.com), **WhatsApp +44 7 596 860 316** or call any of the Tour Managers.

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