



**WORLD TEAM TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026** 

# EVENT DELIVERY BOARD RECRUITMENT

In May 2026, London will host the World Team Table Tennis Championships (WTTTC26) welcoming more than 500 players from around the world to compete in 10 days of competition at the OVO Arena, Wembley.

What makes 2026 particularly special is that the Championships will celebrate the centenary of the International Table Tennis Federation; table tennis was born in London in 1926. With that in mind, our ambition is to deliver an inspirational, accessible, and inclusive Championships.

We want the OVO Arena, Wembley to be rocking through the exhilaration of world class table tennis and a memorable atmosphere generated by 30,000+ fans. We aim to increase awareness and visibility with more eyeballs, more broadcast and more people talking about table tennis.

Through the Championships, we want to inspire a new generation of players, volunteers, and fans. We plan to flood the country with tables, creating social change and lasting community impact, where lives are enhanced through the power of table tennis.





To support delivery of a successful Championships, we have created a Event Delivery Board to provide oversight and direction to the development, planning and staging of WTTTC26. We are now seeking interest from those willing to contribute their time, skills, and expertise to help us achieve our ambitions:

# ATHLETE EXPERIENCE

You will be a current elite or recently retired elite athlete with experience performing on the major event stage. From the moment you qualify for a major event, you will know what makes for a great experience through the lens of a high performing athlete, you will know what services athletes expect and the demands on them from media and organisers and you will know the atmosphere that enables athletes to perform at their very best.

# **FAN JOURNEY**

The event experience begins now - you will have taken fans, spectators, and customers on that journey.

Your experience will support us to guide our audience through every touchpoint, from the anticipation of the WTTTC26, the creation of quality content for fans so that they can become fully involved through the live event itself as we seek to provide fans with an immersive and unforgettable experience, through to postevent involvement ensuring we are able to maintain a lasting relationship with fans and continue to engage them.









#### COMMERCIAL

Your expertise will play a significant part in helping us achieve our revenue targets. That might be in guiding our ability to attract investment from sponsors, you may have experience in ticketing strategies that will help us achieve 30,000+ spectators or you will have led hospitality experiences that not only generate income but create memories that last a lifetime.

#### **MARKETING & COMMUNICATION**

Your expertise will help us achieve our ambition to increase awareness and visibility of table tennis. Your guidance will support our marketing campaigns and our targeted and wider communications designed to get the media and sports fans talking about table tennis.

# **COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND SOCIAL IMPACT**

We believe that sport can transform lives, that major events amplify awareness of sport and create excitement and memorable moments and their impact on local communities can transcend so many barriers. You will know this because you will have the lived experience to ensure we are not just delivering a fabulous event, but an extraordinary, lasting legacy.

# **OTHER IMPORTANT STUFF**

It is expected that all Event Delivery Board meetings will take place in London.

While these roles are not remunerated, we will reimburse all reasonable expenses.

We can also promise you a huge amount of fun in being part of creating an event that the global table tennis family will remember for many years to come.

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# **INTERESTED?**

We really hope we have excited your interest to be part of the centenary celebrations of international table tennis and the staging of WTTTC26.

We love to celebrate and support diversity and equality; in fact we thrive because of it. We are committed to building a team with a variety of backgrounds, skills, and views - the more inclusive we are, the better our work will be.

If we have, please send your CV and covering letter to our Head of People, Emma Sutherland – emma.sutherland@tabletennisengland.co.uk - no later than Friday 26 April 2024.









