

# MIAMI BEACH

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## MEDIA ALERT

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### International Tennis Federation World Tennis Championships Return to Miami Beach

-- Sunday, October 21 through Saturday, November 3 --

**WHO/WHAT:**

With palm trees and a pristine beach as their backdrop, the finest senior tennis players from around the world will compete in the International Tennis Federation (ITF) World Tennis Championships at the Miami Beach and Flamingo Park Tennis Centers to take their swing at a win. Team championships will take center court from Sunday, October 21 through Friday, October 26 followed by individual championships beginning Saturday, October 27 through Saturday, November 3.

“The vibrant energy and elite players that ITF attracts annually is met with the excellence of our tennis facilities,” expressed Mayor Dan Gelber. “We’re especially excited to unveil the newly-renovated Miami Beach Tennis Center in North Beach.”

Top-ranked players from Brazil, Argentina, Mexico, China, Australia, the U.K., New Zealand, Spain and the United States will show off their skills in singles, doubles and mixed doubles matches — leaving spectators on the edge of their seats.

“We are quite proud of our rich tennis history in Miami Beach, and we welcome the ITF competitors to come build on that legacy and enjoy the play both on our outstanding clay courts as well as our beautiful sandy beaches,” added Commissioner John Elizabeth Alemán

Admission to all matches is free for spectators. A more detailed schedule of matches can be found by visiting [www.itfmia.com](http://www.itfmia.com).

**WHEN:**

Sunday, October 21 through Saturday, November 3, 2018

**WHERE:**

Flamingo Tennis Center (1200 Meridian Avenue)  
Miami Beach Tennis Center (501 72 Street)

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