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ATP ISSUES UPDATED 2020 PROVISIONAL CALENDAR

LONDON: The ATP has issued further updates to the 2020 Tour calendar, setting a provisional schedule for the remainder of the regular season. The revised calendar marks a continuation of the plan to resume the ATP Tour season, following suspension in March due to COVID-19.

Under the updated schedule the ATP Masters 1000 tournament in Rome, the Internazionali BNL d'Italia, will now be scheduled one week earlier, in the week previously assigned to the recently cancelled Mutua Madrid Open, and will have a Monday final. The Rome event will be followed by the ATP 500 Hamburg European Open in the week prior to Roland Garros.

The updated schedule includes the final section of the calendar comprising the European indoor swing, including events in St. Petersburg (St. Petersburg Open), Antwerp (European Open), Moscow (VTB Kremlin Cup), Vienna (Erste Bank Open), Paris (Rolex Paris Masters), Sofia (Sofia Open) ahead of the season-ending Nitto ATP Finals in London. Among the changes, the St. Petersburg Open will be elevated to ATP 500 status for its 2020 edition.

Week	Start Date	City	Tournament Name	Surface
34	Aug 22	Cincinnati ¹	Western & Southern Open	H
35	Aug 31	New York	US Open	H
36	Sep 7	New York	US Open	H
36	Sep 8	Kitzbühel	Generali Open	CL
37	Sep 14	Rome	Internazionali BNL d'Italia	CL
38	Sep 21	Hamburg	Hamburg European Open	CL
39	Sep 27	Paris	Roland Garros	CL
40	Oct 5	Paris	Roland Garros	CL
41	Oct 12	St Petersburg	St Petersburg Open	IH
42	Oct 19	Antwerp	European Open	IH
42	Oct 19	Moscow	VTB Kremlin Cup	IH
43	Oct 26	Vienna	Erste Bank Open	IH
44	Nov 2	Paris	Rolex Paris Masters	IH
45	Nov 8	Sofia	Sofia Open	IH
46	Nov 15	London	Nitto ATP Finals	IH

¹ The Cincinnati ATP Masters 1000 will be hosted at Flushing Meadows in New York.

Andrea Gaudenzi, ATP Chairman, said: "Tennis is starting to find its way back and, while we must first and foremost look after the health and safety of everyone involved, we are hopeful we will be able to retain these playing opportunities and produce a strong finish to the season. I would like to commend the tournaments for their continued commitment, flexibility and resourcefulness in finding solutions to operate under these challenging circumstances."

The ATP continues to explore options for additional events to be added to the schedule, including opportunities to issue a limited number of single-year licenses for the remainder of the 2020 season.

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The provisional calendar remains subject to change and continued assessments will be made relating to health & safety, international travel policies, and governmental approval of sporting events. All events will be held under strict guidelines related to health & safety, social distancing, reduced or no fans on-site.

The revised calendar also provides confirmation that the Next Gen ATP Finals in Milan will not take place in 2020 due to the impact of COVID-19.

The 2020 ATP Tour provisional calendar can be found [here](#).

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About The ATP

The ATP is the governing body of the men's professional tennis circuits — the ATP Tour, the ATP Challenger Tour and the ATP Champions Tour. With 64 tournaments in 30 countries, the ATP Tour showcases the finest male athletes competing in the world's most exciting venues. From Australia to Europe and the Americas to Asia, the stars of the 2020 ATP Tour will battle for prestigious titles and FedEx ATP Rankings points at ATP Masters 1000, 500 and 250 events, as well as Grand Slams (non-ATP events). The 2020 season launched in January with the inaugural ATP Cup in Australia and will culminate with only the world's top 8 qualified singles players and doubles teams competing for the last title of the season at the Nitto ATP Finals in November. Held at The O2 in London, the event will officially crown the 2020 ATP World No. 1. For more information, please visit www.ATPTour.com.

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