

DOHA, OATAR

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8:00 F

PLAYER DINNER GALA INTRODUCTION

OPEN

GOOD EVENING AND WELCOME TO THE 2023 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN AND TONIGHT'S PLAYER DINNER GALA.

A VERY WARM WELCOME TO THE HIGHER ORGANIZING COMMITTEE OF THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION - MEMBERS OF TOTAL ENERGIES - OUR VIP GUESTS - SPONSORS - AND DIGNITARIES.

SET-UP VIDEO

WE LOOK FORWARD TO A GREAT EVENING WITH FANTASTIC FOOD, AMAZING COMPANY, AND FUN ENTERTAINMENT. IN FACT, I HEAR THAT BY THE END OF THE NIGHT, 4 OF YOU WILL BE LEAVING WITH A BRAND NEW IPHONE 14 COURTESY OF THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION.

TO THE PLAYERS – THANK YOU FOR MAKING TIME TO BE WITH US TONIGHT. WE'RE VERY EXCITED TO HAVE 13 RETURNING CHAMPIONS WITH US THIS YEAR (IN BOTH SINGLES AND DOUBLES).

BUT WE ALSO HAVE SOME NEW FACES AND TEAMS MAKING THEIR DOHA DEBUT. SO, TO GIVE YOU A TASTE OF WHAT TO EXPECT - LET'S TAKE A LOOK BACK AT LAST YEAR'S QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN.

8:02

** 2022 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN RECAP VIDEO

8:05 DINNER TO BE SERVED

AGAIN, WE'RE EXCITED YOU'RE HERE - AND LOOK FORWARD TO AN ELECTRIC WEEK OF TENNIS IN DOHA.

DINNER WILL BE SERVED IN JUST FEW MOMENTS – AND WE HAVE SOME UNFORGETTABLE ENTERTAINMENT LINED-UP FOR YOU, INCLUDING OUR FRIENDS OVER HERE...

ENJOY THE EVENING - AND PUT YOUR HANDS TOGETHER FOR DOHA JAZZ!





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ENTERTAINMENT | PLAYER DINNER GALA

8:15 EUPHORIA | SET 1

10 MINUTES

VTRO

DOHA, TONIGHT'S FIRST ENTERTAINERS HAVE WOWED AUDIENCES THE WORLD OVER - PERFORMING THE CLASSICS OF MOZART LIKE YOU'VE NEVER HEARD - OR SEEN - BEFORE. WHILE THEY MAY BE CLASSICALLY TRAINED -- AS YOU'RE ABOUT TO WITNESS, THIS TROUPE OF TREMENDOUS TALENT IS ANYTHING BUT ORDINARY. ALL PROUD GRADUATES OF THE KIEV MUSIC ACADEMY OF UKRAINE, WE'RE SO LUCKY TO HAVE THEM WITH US TONIGHT --- GET READY TO EXPERIENCE: EUPHORIA!

8:30 STEVEN BRUNDAGE, MAGICIAN | THIS INTRODUCES A HIGHLIGHT VIDEO

35 MINUTES

INTRO

TONIGHT'S HEADLINE PERFORMER HAS BEEN VIEWED 1-BILLION TIMES ON TELEVISION AND YOUTUBE. HE HAS PERFORMED ON GOOD MORNING AMERICA, THE TODAY SHOW, THE STEVE HARVEY SHOW - AND HE EVEN FOOLED PENN & TELLER ON THEIR SHOW "FOOL US." YOU MIGHT RECOGNIZE HIM AS THE RUBIK'S CUBE MAGICIAN FROM SEASON-11 OF AMERICA'S GOT TALENT, WHERE HE FINISHED AS A TOP-12 FINALIST! -- AND NOW, PLEASE PUT YOUR HANDS TOGETHER FOR STEVEN BRUNDAGE!

9:15 EUPHORIA 10 MINUTES

NTRO

ONE MORE TIME, DOHA - PLEASE WELCOME BACK TO THE STAGE - FROM UKRAINE - THE INCREDIBLY TALENTED...**EUPHORIA**!





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9:30 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN TRIVIA

iPHONE 14

WE ALWAYS LIKE TO END THE EVENING WITH AN OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO WIN, THANKS TO THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION. WE'LL HAVE THREE WINNERS – ALL WILL RECEIVE: **iPHONE 14 FROM QTF**

INTRO

WHEN YOU CAME INTO THE BALLROOM THIS EVENING, YOU RECEIVED A COUPON WITH A TICKET NUMBER. I'LL PICK THE WINNING NUMBERS FROM THIS BOWL – SHOULD I CALL YOUR NUMBER, WE'LL SEND A HOSTESS OVER TO YOU WITH A MICROPHONE TO SEE IF YOU CAN CORRECTLY ANSWER A VERY CHALLENGING QUESTION AND WIN.

QUESTION 1

ONLY 2 PLAYERS HAVE WON BACK-TO-BACK TITLES AT THE QATAR TOTALENGERIES OPEN. WHO ARE THEY?

CORRECT ANSWER

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- A. ANASTASIA MYSKINA AND VICTORIA AZARENKA
 - ANASTASIA MYSKINA (2003-2004)
 - VICTORIA AZARENKA (2012-2013)

QUESTION 2

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WHAT YEAR WAS THE FIRST EVER QATAR TOTALENERGIES OPEN HELD?

CORRECT ANSWER

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C. 2001

• THE FIRST TOURNAMENT WAS HELD IN 2001 AS THE QATAR TOTAL FINA ELF OPEN

QUESTION 3

WHAT IS THE CURRENT CAPACITY OF CENTER COURT AT THE KHALIFA INTERNATIONAL TENNIS AND SQUASH COMPLEX?

CORRECT ANSWER

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B. 6911

• CENTER COURT HAS A CAPACITY OF 6911 SPECTATORS.

QUESTION 4

NAME THE ONLY PLAYER RETURNING TO DOHA THIS YEAR WHO HAS REACHED THE DOUBLES FINAL 3 TIMES?

CORRECT ANSWER

A. JELENA OSTAPENKO

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- 2018 CHAMPION WITH GABRIELA DABROWSKI
- 2020 FINALIST WITH GABRIELA DABROWSKI
- 2021 FINALIST WITH MONICA NICULESCU





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9:45 CONGRATULATIONS AND GOOD NIGHT



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNERS, A BIG THANK YOU TO OUR PLAYERS – AND WITH THAT WE'VE COME TO THE END OF OUR PLAYER DINNER GALA.

ON BEHALF OF THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION AND TOTAL ENERGIES, THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN FOR JOINING US. WE HOPE YOU HAD A MEMORABLE EVENING.

SEE YOU TOMORROW AT THE KHALIFA INTERNATIONAL TENNIS AND SQUASH COMPLEX FOR DAY-1 OF THE 2023 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN. HAVE A GREAT NIGHT!