



Qatar
TotalEnergies
Open | 2025



GALA DINNER

DOHA, QATAR

Al Mirqab Ballroom, Four Seasons Doha

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8:00 PLAYER DINNER GALA INTRODUCTION

8 FEBRUARY 2025

OPEN

GOOD EVENING AND WELCOME TO THE **QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN**, THE FIRST WTA-1000 EVENT OF THE 2025 SEASON -- AND TONIGHT'S GALA DINNER.

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, BY THE END OF THE NIGHT, 4 OF YOU WILL BE LEAVING WITH **A BRAND NEW IPHONE 16** COURTESY OF THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION.

TO THE PLAYERS – THANK YOU FOR MAKING TIME TO BE WITH US . WE'RE VERY EXCITED TO HAVE SO MANY 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

** 2024 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN RECAP VIDEO

8:05 DINNER TO BE SERVED

▶ AGAIN, WE'RE EXCITED YOU'RE HERE – AND LOOK FORWARD TO AN UNFORGETTABLE WEEK HERE IN DOHA.

DINNER WILL BE SERVED IN JUST FEW MOMENTS – AND WE HAVE SOME MIND-BLOWING ENTERTAINMENT LINED-UP FOR YOU, INCLUDING OUR FRIEND OVER HERE . . . A VIRTUOSO QANUN TALENT -- WHO HAS MESMERIZED AUDIENCES THE WORLD OVER WITH THE ENCHANTING SOUNDS OF HER *HISTORICAL* INSTRUMENT. PLEASE, PUT YOUR HANDS TOGETHER . . . FOR **HADIS GHAMOUS**.

ENJOY THE EVENING!



ENTERTAINMENT | PLAYER DINNER GALA

8:10 SET-2 | JEFF CIVILICO [Pronounced: si-VIL-i-co] 40-MINUTES

FRIENDS, THANK YOU AGAIN FOR BEING A PART OF TONIGHT'S GALA DINNER. WE ARE VERY EXCITED TO EXPERIENCE THE ENERGY TONIGHT'S FEATURED GUEST BRINGS TO THE STAGE. FOR THE PAST 16-YEARS HE'S BEEN A LAS VEGAS HEADLINER WITH CESARS ENTERTAINMENT - AND HAS PERFORMED OVER 5-THOUSAND SHOWS AT ICONIC PROPERTIES LIKE **THE FLAMINGO** AND **THE PARIS**. NAMED **BEST OF LAS VEGAS** 3 YEARS IN A ROW -- GET READY FOR THE **TRIPLE SHOT OF ESPRESSO** THAT IS . . . **JEFF CIVILICO**.
[Pronounced: si-VIL-i-co]

SET-3 LIST

- * Balancing skill routine [~4 minutes]
- * Juggling with 1 volunteer comedy routine [~10 minutes]
- * Combination trick (rola bola) comedy routine [~4 minutes]
- * Basketball, plunger, red apple comedy routine [~4 minutes]
- * Bowling ball, meat cleaver, green apple comedy routine [~5 minutes]
- * Unicycle with 2 volunteers comedy routine [~7 minutes]
- * Peter Panic story / emotional connection to audience [~7 minutes]
- * Glow in the dark juggling / blackout performance art routine [3 minutes]

8:50 LET'S HEAR IT FOR JEFF CIVILICO! END

HADIS

COMING UP NEXT - TONIGHT'S QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN GALA DINNER TRIVIA. FOUR OF YOU WILL BE LEAVING HERE TONIGHT WITH A BRAND NEW IPHONE-16, COURTESY OF THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION. BUT FIRST, PLEASE WELCOME BACK - THE INCREDIBLY TALENTED **HADIS GHAMOUS**.



9:10 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN TRIVIA

IPHONE 16

INTRO

WE ALWAYS LIKE TO END THE EVENING WITH AN OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO WIN, THANKS TO THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION. WE'LL HAVE FOUR WINNERS – ALL WILL RECEIVE: **IPHONE 16 FROM QTF**

WHEN YOU CAME INTO THE BALLROOM THIS EVENING, YOU RECEIVED A COUPON WITH A TICKET NUMBER . . . **DIGITALLY**, WE WILL BE RANDOMLY SELECTING NUMBERS UP HERE ON THE SCREEN. IF YOUR NUMBER POPS UP - PLEASE STAND UP, LET US KNOW WHERE YOU'RE SEATED - AND A HOSTESS WILL JOIN YOU SO YOU CAN ANSWER ONE OF TONIGHT'S CHALLENGING TRIVIA QUESTIONS.

QUESTION 1



Which two players have demonstrated exceptional consistency and success here in Doha, holding the record for the most match wins at the Qatar TotalEnergies Open?

(A. Iga Swiatek & Petra Kvitova - B. Petra Kvitova & Victoria Azarenka - C. Victoria Azarenka & Serena Williams)

CORRECT ANSWER



B. PETRA KVI TOVA & VICTORIA AZARAENKA (22 match victories)

Petra Kvitová & Victoria Azarenka share the record for most wins in Qatar TotalEnergies Open with 22 wins each.

QUESTION 2



The Qatar TotalEnergies Open has a rich history of champions. Which nation has produced the most winners in singles and doubles in the Qatar TotalEnergies Open?

(OPTIONS: A. USA, B. Czechia, C. Poland)

CORRECT ANSWER



A. USA

- Monica Seles..... 2002
- Serena Williams..... 2009
- Liezel Huber and Lisa Raymond..... 2012
- Atawo and Abigail Spears..... 2015
- Abigail Spears (partnered with Katarina Srebotnik)..... 2017
- Nicole Melichar-Martinez (partnered with Demi Schuurs)2021
- Jessica Pegula and Coco Gauff..... 2022 & 2023



QUESTION 3

? Who is the only player to ever win the Qatar TotalEnergies Open title three times in a row?
(OPTIONS: Iga Swiatek, Victoria Azarenka, Anastasia Myskina)

CORRECT ANSWER

a **C. IGA SWIATEK**
Iga Świątek made history by winning the Qatar TotalEnergies Open three years in a row, 2022, 2023 & 2024

QUESTION 4

? How many three-set matches in the singles competition were played throughout the entire Qatar TotalEnergies Open last year? (OPTIONS: 9, 17, 13)

CORRECT ANSWER

a **A. 13**
Victoria Azarenka vs Magdalena French 6-3, 3-6, 6-3
Martic Petra vs Arantxa Rus 7-5, 3-6, 7-6(5)
Karolina Pliskova vs Anna Kalinskaya 2-6, 7-6(6), 6-4
Paula Badosa vs Ashlyn Krueger 6-3, 4-6, 6-4
Marie Bouzkova vs Sofia Kenin 7-5, 2-6, 7-5
Marketa Vondrousova vs Greet Minnen 6-2, 0-6, 6-4
Leylah Fernandez vs Paula Badosa 0-6, 6-2, 6-3
Qinwen Zheng vs Magada Linette 6-2, 2-6, 6-3.
Linda Novskva vs Maria Sakkari 3-6,7-6(2), 7-5
Anna Kalinskaya vs Anastasia Potapova 6-1, 5-7, 6-4
Ekaterina Alexandrova vs Erika Andreeva 6-0, 3-6, 6-1
Linda Noskova vs Karolina Pliskova 3-6, 7-5, 6-1
E.Navarro vs Elena Rybakina 6-1, 7-6(6), 6-4

9:30 CONGRATULATIONS AND GOOD NIGHT

► CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNERS, A BIG THANK YOU TO THE ATHELTES – AND WITH THAT WE'VE COME TO THE END OF OUR GALA DINNER.
ON BEHALF OF THE QATAR TENNIS FEDERATION AND TOTAL ENERGIES, THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN FOR JOINING US. WE HOPE YOU HAD A MEMORABLE EVENING.
AND GOOD NEWS, YOU WILL ALL RECEIVE A GIFT FROM THE QTF -- SIMPLY FOR JOINING US TONIGHT. PLEASE BE SURE TO PICK UP YOUR GIFT ON YOUR WAY OUT THIS EVENING.
SEE YOU TOMORROW AT THE KHALIFA INTERNATIONAL TENNIS AND SQUASH COMPLEX FOR DAY-2 OF THE **2025 QATAR TOTAL ENERGIES OPEN**. HAVE A GREAT NIGHT!