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DEAR PLAYERS AND GUESTS,

WELCOME TO THE WTA ZAVAROVALNICA SAVA LJUBLJANA TOURNAMENT.

We hope you had a good journey. We are thrilled that you have chosen to come and compete in Ljubljana and beside finding success on court, we hope that you will also enjoy this beautiful and charming capital city of Slovenia.

Ljubljana, with its stunning architecture, vibrant culture, and friendly atmosphere, serves as the perfect backdrop for this tournament. During your stay, we encourage you to explore the city's charming old town, visit the iconic Ljubljana Castle, and take a leisurely stroll along the picturesque Ljubljanica River.

Following great editions of WTA tournaments in Portorose, we decided it is time to introduce women's tennis to the capital city. Center court, named after the former Slovenian player and Roland Garros winner, will be placed in the city center on the largest square in the city, Republic Square. We are running 1st edition in Ljubljana or in total 9th edition of WTA tournaments in Slovenia.

Our aim is to make your time here as enjoyable as possible and to help you we have assembled an experienced international and local team who speaks Slovenian, Croatian, English and German.

Player's Desk team will be located on-site in Tenis Center Tivoli and in the official hotel Austria Trend Hotel Ljubljana, in order to assist you with anything needed.

**GREGOR KRUŠIČ** 

Tournament director

#### DEAR TENNIS FANS,

On behalf of the WTA, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 2023 Zavarovalnica Sava Ljubljana, a WTA 125 tournament held in the beautiful capital of Slovenia.

As the WTA marks its 50th anniversary year, the Tour is celebrating its history of pioneers, spectacular athletes, rivalries, historical sporting endeavors, along with the founding principle and strive for equality. Many exciting celebrations are continuing throughout 2023 as we honor the past, enjoy the present, and look to the future.

The 2023 Zavarovalnica Sava Ljubljana plays an important role as part of the WTA 125 series of tournaments which provide a platform offering established WTA players and the new stars of the sport the ability to compete and continue their progression in reaching the highest levels of the Hologic WTA Tour. The WTA also boasts an incredibly diverse array of players and personalities, many of which you will see here at the 2023 Zavarovalnica Sava Ljubljana.

The 2023 Zavarovalnica Sava Ljubljana would not be possible without the hard work and support of their dedicated tournament team - from sponsors, local suppliers, staff and volunteers - and I would like to thank them all for their collaboration and continued commitment to women's tennis.

Finally, I would like to thank you, our loyal fans, for all you do in making the WTA the leading global sports organization for women. Whether **you've** followed and supported **women's** tennis for the last 50 years, or are joining us for the first time this season, welcome to the Hologic WTA Tour. **We're** just getting started.

All the best,

STEVE SIMON
Chairman / CFO





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17:00 Novinarska konferenca 17:00 Zabava za tekmovalko

#### PONEDELJEK / MONDAY, 11, 9, 2023

10:30 WTA glavni tumir prvi krog posamezno od / from 12:30 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog posamezno od / from 14:00 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog dvojice od / from 16:30 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog posamezno

#### TOREK / TUESDAY, 12, 9, 2023

10:30 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog posamezno od/from 12:30 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog posamezno od / from 14:30 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog posamezno 16:00 VIP dogodek

Svečana otvoritev turnirja

od / from 16:30 WTA glavni tumir prvi krog posamezno

#### SREDA / WEDNESDAY, 13, 9, 2023

10:30 WTA glavni turnir drugi krog posamezno od/from 12:30 WTA glavni turnir drugi krog posamezno od/from 14:30 WTA glavni turnir prvi krog dvojice od/from 16:30 WTA glavni turnir drugi krog posamezno

#### CETRTEK / THURSDAY, 14. 9. 2023

WTA glavni turnir drugi krog posamezno 10:30 11:00 VIP dogodek od / from 12:30 WTA glavni turnir drugi krog posamezno

od/from 14:30 WTA glavni turnir četrtfinale dvojice od/from 16:30 WTA glavni turnir drugi krog posamezno

#### PETEK / FRIDAY, 15, 9, 2023

10:00 VIP dogodek 10:30 WTA glavni turnir četrtfinale posamezno od / from 12:30 WTA glavni turnir četrtfinale posamezno od / from 14:30 WTA glavni turnir četrtfinale posamezno od / from 16:30 WTA glavni turnir četrtfinale posamezno

#### **SOBOTA / SATURDAY, 16, 9, 2023**

11:00 VIP dogodek

12:00 WTA glavni turnir polfinale posamezno od/from 13:30 WTA glavni turnir polfinale posamezno sledi / follows WTA glavni turnir finale dvojice

NEDELJA / SUNDAY, 17. 9. 2023

14:00 VIP dogodek WTA glarni tumir finale posamezno 15:00

Press Conference Players party

Main Draw Singles R1 Main Draw Singles R1 Main Draw Doubles R1 Main Draw Singles R1

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Main Draw Singles R2 Main Draw Singles R2 Main Draw Doubles R1 Main Draw Singles R2

Main Draw Singles R2 VIP Event

Main Draw Singles R2

Main Draw Doubles Quarterfinals

Main Draw Singles R2

#### VIP Event

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#### VIP Event

Main Draw Singles Semifinal Main Draw Singles Semifinal Main Draw Doubles Finals

VIP Event

Main Draw Singles Final



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10:30 WTA glarni turnir polfinale dvojice WTA glavni turnir polfinale dvojice

#### **SOBOTA / SATURDAY, 16. 9, 2023**

11:00 VIP dogodek WTA Qualifications Main Draw Singles Rt Main Draw Doubles R1

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Main Draw Singles R2

VIP Event

Main Draw Doubles Quaterfinals Main Draw Doubles Quaterfinals Main Draw Doubles Quaterfinals

VIP Event

Main Draw Doubles Semifinals Main Draw Doubles Semifinals

VIP Event



### ► WHEN IS THE WTA ZAVAROVALNICA SAVA LJUBLJANA?

Qualifying for the WTA tournament will begin on Monday, 11 September. Main draw for singles starts on Monday, 11 September and for doubles on Tuesday, 12 September.

Doubles final will take place on Saturday, 16
September afternoon at Republic Square.
Singles final will take place on Sunday, 17 September at 3 pm at Republic Square.

### ► WHERE IS THE WTA ZAVAROVALNICA SAVA LJUBLJANA BEING HELD?

The tournament takes place in the Tenis Center Tivoli in Ljubljana. The center court - Arena Mima Jaušovec is placed on Republic Square in city center.

WHICH PLAYERS ARE COMPETING IN THE WTA ZAVAROVALNICA SAVA LJUBLJANA?
 Among the registered players, the highest-ranked are Alize Cornet (66) and Anna Karolina Schmiedlova (70).
 All the best Slovenian players are competing, including Kaja Juvan, Tamara Zidanšek, Veronika Erjavec, Nina Potočnik, Ela Nala Milić and Daljila

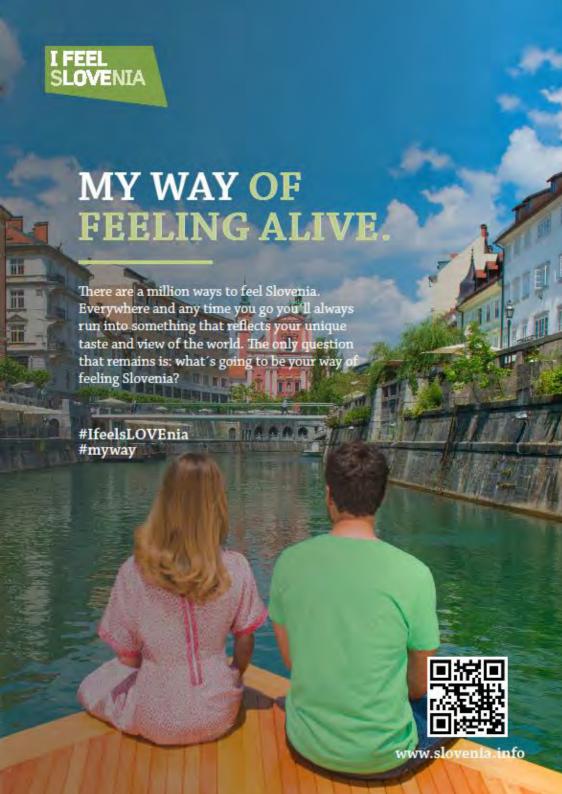
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