

WTT Youth Contender Dammam 2024: Suhana Saini leads India's strong show in table tennis - list of winners

India swept all titles in the girls' singles age groups besides winning the U15 boys singles title and mixed doubles events in the U19 and U15 categories.

[Indian table tennis players](#), led by **Suhana Saini**, dominated the **WTT Youth Contender Dammam 2024**, winning six of the 12 titles on offer at the Green Sports Halls from September 23 to 26.

India swept the girls' singles titles across all age groups, winning in the under-19 (U19), under-15 (U15), and under-11 (U11) categories. The boys' U15 singles crown and mixed doubles titles in both U19 and U15 divisions also went India's way.

In an all-Indian U19 girls' singles final, 18-year-old Suhana Saini outlasted Taneesha Kotcha in a five-game contest, winning 3-2 (12-10, 5-11, 11-1, 5-11, 11-5). Sayali Wani and Pritha Vartika reached the semi-finals but could not progress further.

The U19 mixed doubles final saw Muthu Rajasekaran and Jennifer Verghese cruise past Jash Modi and Taneesha Kotcha 3-0 (11-6, 11-3, 11-7). In the boys' U19 singles, Ankur Bhattacharjee finished as the runner-up, falling to Kazakhstan's Alan Kurumangaliyet 3-1 (5-11, 11-6, 11-8, 11-8).

Hansini Mathan, 15, emerged victorious in the U17 girls' singles, defeating Syndrel Das in a close contest 3-2 (11-4, 8-11, 11-7, 2-11, 11-8). However, in the U15 final, Hansini was edged out by compatriot Kavya Bhatt 3-2 (11-4, 9-11, 11-8, 9-11, 11-3).

Sarthak Arya secured the U15 boys' singles title with a 3-1 (11-5, 14-16, 11-7, 13-11) victory over Chinese Taipei's Fang Yong-En. Sarthak also teamed up with Kavya Bhatt to clinch the U15 mixed doubles title, winning 3-0 (13-11, 11-9, 11-8) against Soham Mukherjee and Syndrel Das.

The WTT Youth Contender Dammam 2024 was played without players from traditional powerhouses such as the People's Republic of China, the Republic of Korea, Japan, and Sweden. India delivered a strong performance against teams from Chinese Taipei, Kazakhstan, Egypt, South Africa, Qatar and Yemen.

WTT Youth Contender Dammam 2024: Indian winners

- Suhana Saini (under-19 girls' singles)
- Muthu Rajasekaran/Jennifer Verghese (under-19 mixed doubles)
- Hansini Mathan (under-17 girls' singles)
- Kavya Bhatt (under-15 girls' singles)
- Sarthak Arya (under-15 boys' singles)
- Sarthak Arya/Kavya Bhatt (under-15 mixed doubles)