# **CEDRIC OBA**



Rating: 2326 Home: East Orange, NJ

Birthdate: Dec. 11, 1992 (26 years old) Birthplace: Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

• Former table tennis champion of Côte d'Ivoire. Nine-time U2500 winner at Westchester.

### **NISHAAD SHAH**



Rating: 2366 Home: Mumbai, India

Birthdate: Oct. 17, 1996 (23 years old)

Birthplace: Mumbai, India

• Student at Columbia. Silver medalist (individual and team) at the 2013 Iran Fajr Cup.

### **ELIEL SOSIS**



Rating: 2336 Home: Sharon, MA

Birthdate: Jan. 24, 2002 (17 years old)

Birthplace: Manchester, CT

• Semifinalist in Junior Doubles and Junior Teams at the 2019 U.S. Nationals.

### **CHEN WANG**



Rating: 2413 Home: New York, NY

Birthdate: Jan. 17, 1974 (45 years old)

Birthplace: Beijing, China

• Owner of the Wang Chen Table Tennis Club. Quarterfinalist at the 2008 Olympics.

### **KAI ZHANG**



Rating: 2677 Home: Pleasantville, NY

Birthdate: June 22, 1997 (22 years old)

Birthplace: Beijing, China

• College student. Recently helped Team USA reach the quarterfinals of the World Cup.

# **JAYDEN ZHOU**



Rating: 2456 Home: Short Hills, NJ

Birthdate: Jan. 24, 2005 (14 years old)

Birthplace: New York, NY

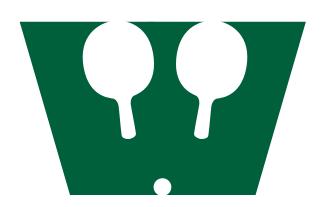
• Junior Boys singles champion at the 2019

El Salvador Junior & Cadet Open.

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# Triple threat ALGUETTI BROTHERS



Adar, Sharon and Gal Alguetti (L-R)

• Born: Dec. 7, 1999 (Adar), May 14, 2001 (twins Sharon & Gal) — all three in San Diego, CA

• Home: Tenafly, NJ

• USATT ratings: 2530, 2638 and 2624, respectively

• All started playing table tennis at ages 7-8. Adar: "My dad was playing for fun at a local club, and one day I was tired of watching."

• Gal is 2019 U.S. men's doubles national champion, U.S. Nationals U21 singles finalist, and Canada Open junior teams champion

• Sharon is the 2019 junior men's singles champion; also four-time champion of the Westchester Open — one of only two American-born winners

• Adar won the National Team Trials Tournament twice (2017 and 2018)

• Sharon and Gal are first-year students at Indiana University's Kelley School of Business; Adar is a third-year student at NYU's Stern School of Business

• How are they different? Gal — "I am more organized and creative"; Adar —

"More mature and independent"; Sharon — "I'm the crazy one. :)"

• How competitive are they? Adar: "We are very tight with each other, laugh and joke about anything. We grew up as best friends, and we preferred getting along than fighting. On the court it's every man for himself."

### **KOKOU FANNY**



Rating: 2447 Home: Pleasantville, NY

Birthdate: Apr. 15, 1987 (32 years old)

Birthplace: Lomé, Togo

• Full-time coach at the Westchester TTC. World-ranked #220 by the ITTF.

# YIJUN (TOM) FENG



Rating: 2641 Home: New York, NY

Birthdate: Feb. 12, 1997 (22 years old)

Birthplace: Nanjing, China

• U.S. Nationals champion, 2015. Runner-up, 2016. Represented U.S. at 2016 Olympics.

# **JEREMY HAZIN**



Rating: 2621

Home: Richmond Hill, Ont.

Birthdate: Feb. 27, 2000 (19 years old) Birthplace: Richmond Hill, Ont.

• Two-time Canadian men's table tennis champion. World-ranked #153 by the ITTF.

#### MISHEL LEVINSKI



Rating: 2513 Home: Brooklyn, NY

Birthdate: Mar. 19, 1995 (24 years old)

Birthplace: Beer Sheva, Israel

• Former Israeli junior national champion. Subject of a 2016 table tennis documentary.

### **JUAN LIU**



Rating: 2700

Home: Flushing, Queens, NY Birthdate: Feb. 14, 1985 (34 years old) Birthplace: Hubei Province, China

• U.S. Open champion, 2012 & 2018. Threetime Westchester Open champion.

### JIANG NIU



Rating: 2487 Home: New York, NY

Birthdate: Jan. 29, 1993 (26 years old)
Birthplace: Shanxi Province, China
• Runner-up at the October Westchester

Open.