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FIP PROMISES Ancona, the Next Gen of padel in Italy

While the big players are in Cagliari for the **FIP PLATINUM Sardegna**, Italy is also hosting another big tournament this weekend, at the youth level. A stage of the **FIP PROMISES** is being played in **Ancona**, with five categories on court: three men's (Under 14, Under 16 and Under 18) and two women's (Under 14 and Under 18). Among the Under 14s, **Vicente Soto** and **Alvaro Bartolome**, who have already won some stages of the tour (Soto won another tournament in Italy, in Bari, a few weeks ago), lead the draw.

Number 2 seeded, Italians **Gabriele Laurino** and **Alessandro Stella**. **Enzo Vista** and **Antonio Veneziani** lead the Under 16 entry list (**Stefano Indomenico** and **Alessandro Pirrotta** the number 2), while the Under 18 tournament will be played in two rounds of three pairs each. Round robin formula also in the women's at the **Bola Padel Next**, with five pairs competing for the **Under 14** title and as many engaged in the **Under 18**.

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