



TALLEY'S SPRING OPEN 2020

This tournament is part of the Tennis New Zealand Junior Masters Points Race. Age groups and graded draws will be based on "Match Hub" rankings.

Age eligibility cut off is at 30th September 2020 (e.g: to enter the 12s age group, players must be 12 or under at the 30th September 2020)



- 10s: No minimum requirement
- 12s: players graded S7 to S9
- 14s: players graded S5 to S8
- 16s: players graded S5 to S7

Tournament Experience

This pilot should create a greater tournament experience for all players, and will increase the possibilities of all matches being competitive.

DATE/S	Friday Sept 18th doubles starting 10.30am 19 th & 20 th September Singles starting at 8.30am
VENUE	Richmond Tennis Club Gladstone Road, Richmond Second Venue (entry dependent) – Hope Tennis Club
AGE GROUPS	10u, 12u, 13+ graded, Mens & Women's Tennis Hot Shots, Red, Orange & Green level.
ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA	Players age as at 30 th September 2020
ENTRY DEADLINE	Entries must be received by Sunday 13th September 2020 Online entries to pay their entry fee as they enter on line Late entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the tournament All entries must be accompanied by entry fee payable online.
ENTRY INFO	Players may only enter 1 singles age group and 1 doubles age group, not 2 doubles age groups or 2 singles age groups
CONTACTS	Event coordinator – Ali Telford, alison@tennisnelson.co.nz 0273891102
REGIONAL/CLUB WEBSITE	https://clubspark.kiwi/NelsonBaysTennisAssociation
TOURNAMENT WEBSITE	Visit TNZ tournament site www.tnz.tournamentsoftware.com
CANTEEN	Will be available during the event

FEE/S

Early Bird Entry until 2nd August – Doubles or singles only \$30, doubles and singles \$45. Entry post 2nd August – Doubles or singles only \$35, singles and doubles \$50.
Tennis Hot Shots players - \$15



OFFICIAL BALL SURFACE

Wilson Australian Open Ball, green dot 8 's & 10's
Tasman Club Deco-turf, Synthetic Grass at Hope Club

ENTRY INFO

Players may enter 2 events; 1 singles and 1 doubles, not 2 singles

DRAWS

Draws will be available from 15th September 2020 on tournament website. Results will be processed for MatchHub Ranking Points.

PLAYER CODE

MatchHub player code must be supplied on the entry form. **If you** do not have or do not know your player code please contacts your Club or Association secretary before submitting your entry form.

MATCH FORMAT

Weather Permitting

Singles 10's will play best of 2 sets to 4.

If tie-break 4 all – short tie-break to 7. If a set all 10pt tie break for 3rd set. Standard deuce for all singles matches. Final best of 3 full sets.

Singles 12's + - matches will play three tiebreak sets, with tie-break 6 games all. All feed in plate matches (with the exception of 8's & 10's) will play the best of 2 sets with conventional tie-break at 6 games all. If one set all a 10 point match tie break game to be played. Standard deuce.

Doubles 10's - will play best of 2 sets to 4.

If tie-break 4 all – short tie-break to 7. If a set all 10pt tie break for 3rd set. Sudden death deuce.

Doubles 12's + - best of two tiebreak sets with sudden death deuces & tie break at 6 games all. If one set all a Super Tie break (10 point) to be played.

(Tournament Officials have the right to alter the length of matches; play on a different surface or under lights if circumstances make it necessary).

WITHDRAWALS/CANCELLATIONS

Withdrawals after the 17th September 2019 will receive a refund less a 50% admin fee. If the tournament does not proceed due to inclement weather, a refund, less administration fee, will be made.

DRESS CODE

All players shall dress and present themselves in an appropriate manner for tennis. Please refer to Tennis NZ Player Handbook or Players Code of Conduct for further clarification.

RULES

The tournament will be played in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of Tennis NZ, Rules of Tennis and Tennis NZ Player Code of Conduct. Players must be able to self-umpire and players must be prepared to adjudicate if called upon.

PLAYER BEHAVIOUR

Tennis NZ Player Code of Conduct will apply. No person other than match players, appointed adjudicator or referee may converse with players unless given permission by referee. Players must be able to self-umpire. NO parent or spectator to interact with the process of the game.