



Wairarapa Closed Tournament 2024

Sunday 10th March

Key Information Sheet

VENUE:

Masterton Tennis Centre,
147 Dixon Street, Masterton

GRADES:

Entry is open to all players who meet the age/grade criteria:

·10's: Aged 10 years old or under at the 31 March 2024

·12's: Aged 12 years old or under at the 31 March 2024

·14's: Aged 14 years old or under at the 31 March 2024

·16's: Aged 16 years old or under at the 31 March 2024

MATCHES

Singles only - All players are guaranteed at least 3 singles matches (weather permitting)

ENTRIES NOW OPEN:

All entries are to be made through Tournament Planner:
<https://tnz.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/8E6A5555-D001-4E46-AD8B-28D41169F74C>

ENTRY DEADLINE:

Entries close 5pm Monday 4th March 2024

DRAWS & SCHEDULE:

Will be posted on Tournament Planner 6pm Saturday 9th March.

ENTRY FEES:

\$40.00 per player (includes a barbeque offering)

METHODS OF PAYMENT:

Internet Banking
Wairarapa Tennis Association
Westpac Bank 03 0687 0326225 00
Details: "PLAYER'S NAME" Ref: "CLOSED"

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MATCH FORMAT:

10's: Best of 3 TB Sets to 4 (with a margin of 2 games) with a 3rd Set decided by a Super Tie-Break (10 points).

12's/14s/16s: Best of 3 TB Sets to 6 (with a margin of 2 games) with a 3rd set decided by a Super Tie-Break (10 points).

PLEASE NOTE: The match format (for any event) may change at the discretion of the Tournament director/Officials. E.g. 'No ad' deuces may apply to games that are going over time.

OFFICIAL BALL:

DUNLOP AO and Dunlop low pressure green dot balls, used at the discretion of the tournament director

STARTING & REPORTING TIMES:

Please refer to the Draw for your start time.

All players are required to arrive and report to the tournament director 30 minutes prior to their scheduled match time.

RESULTS:

All results will be recorded on Tennis NZ's Configure Rankings grading system.

FOOD & CATERING:

The Wairarapa Tennis Association will provide some BBQ food. And Jucies' Ice blocks will be available for sale.

PLAYER CODE:

Configure Rankings player code must be supplied on the entry form. Players must be members of an affiliated club/school to the Wairarapa Tennis Association to play in this tournament. If you do not have, or do not know, your player code please contact the Wairarapa Tennis Association before submitting your entry form.

SEEDING:

Seeding is based on the latest available matchub points at the time of the draws being made.

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. These are available from the offices of Tennis NZ on request.

CANCELLATIONS:

This event may be postponed or cancelled. If the tournament is cancelled due to weather or natural disaster, then a \$10 administration fee (per player) will be deducted from refunds. Players are advised to check the Tournament Planner website and the WT Facebook page for an update on the tournament.



FURTHER INFORMATION

1. The tournament is open to all members of Clubs, affiliated to the Wairarapa Tennis Association.

2. The tournament will be conducted under the International Rules of Tennis, the Rules and Regulations and the Code of Conduct of New Zealand Tennis.

3. The New Zealand Tennis Inc Code of Conduct will be posted at the Tournament venue and will be strictly adhered to.

4. It is expected that all players and parents will participate with discipline, honesty and fair play. Appropriate action can, and will be, used by the Tournament Officials under the International Rules of Tennis if needed.

5. All players must wear approved tennis clothes and non-marking shoes.

6. The court surface is Astroturf and the official ball is DUNLOP.

7. Play will commence at 8:30am each day unless otherwise stated. See the Draw.

8. Tournament Officials reserve the right to alter the match format/s should circumstances dictate.

9. The warmup period shall not exceed five minutes.

10. All match results will be uploaded to Tennis NZ's Configure Rankings grading system.

11. All players must be prepared to umpire.

12. The Umpire's decision on a point of fact shall be final.

13. Parents, Coaches and spectators must not communicate tactical or strategic match advice with the players or be on the courts during matches. Support for players is encouraged.

14. Certificates for Winners & Runners-up, together with prizes will be awarded.

15. Tournament Officials reserve the right to restrict entries, alter, combine or cancel any grades that have less than 8 entries. .

16. Entries must be accompanied with payment of the correct entry fee for the relevant age group/s.

17. Withdrawals & defaults: Entry fee refunds for players withdrawing from the tournament must be received in writing and will be processed based on the following sliding scale.

(a) All medically or non-medically supported withdrawals made before the entry deadline of Midnight, Monday 4th March will be issued with a full refund of their entry fee.

(b) Any medically supported withdrawals after Midnight, Monday 4th will be issued with a refund of 90% of their entry fee.

(c) Any non-medical withdrawals after Midnight, Monday 4th March will be issued a refund of 75% of their entry fee.