



S-Ranked Tournament Series 2020

Piloted in 2018, our S-Ranked tournaments are aimed towards up and coming players and players new to tournament play under the age of 18.

Players are grouped with others on similar points in order to encourage participation and the opportunity to gain grade promotion.

Each tournament is comprised of three divisions according to ability and completed on the day. Players usually play a minimum of 3 matches.

This year, points will be awarded across 3 tournaments with each division winner receiving a trophy.

All events will be run at Mitchell Park in Lower Hutt unless informed otherwise.

Dates

5 July

2 August

13 September



Evolve S-Ranked Tournament Series 2020

Fact Sheet

Format	<p>Players will be split into 3 divisions based on their most recently updated Match Hub points.</p> <p>Each division will consist of 16 players, with players guaranteed a minimum of 3 matches based upon a full draw (defaults/withdrawals aside).</p> <p>Players will be given series points based on their progress in the tournament, as well as the opportunity to gain grade promotion.</p> <p>The player(s) with the most series points from each division across the three tournaments will be deemed the winner. Players must enter 2 tournaments to be eligible as the overall winner.</p>
Dates	5 July, 2 August, 13 September 2020 from 8.30am
Venues	Mitchell Park Racquets Centre, 10 Mitchell St, Epuni, Lower Hutt
Eligibility Criteria	This tournament is open to members of clubs affiliated to a Tennis Association recognized by ITF. Males and females 18 years and under (as at 31/12/20) with a Match Hub Ranking are eligible.
Entry Deadline	Entries must be received by 9pm the Wednesday prior to the tournament. Entries will be limited to the first 48 players.
To Enter	Enter online at tnz.tournamentsoftware.com
Draws	Draws will be posted on the Tennis NZ Tournament website: tnz.tournamentsoftware.com
Entry Fees	<p>\$45/player or \$40/player if 2+ players from the same immediate family per single tournament. \$35/player or \$30/player (same immediate family) for the third tournament if all 3 tournaments are entered.</p> <p>Please pay entry fee via internet banking within 24 hours of entering online. Entries received without payment will be deleted from the draw.</p> <p>Account. Number: 06 0541 0235769 000 Account Name: Evolve Tennis Coaching Code: Player's name Reference: Tournament date</p>

Official Ball	Tecnifibre X-One
Surface	AstroTurf
Sign-in	15 minutes before your first scheduled match
Results	Recorded in Match Hub
Player Code	Match Hub player code must be supplied when entering online. If you do not have or do not know your player code please contact your Club or Association administrator before submitting your entry.
Seeding	Seeding for all events will be based on Match Hub ranking points
Match Format	Weather permitting, matches will be the best of 3 tiebreak sets with the third set being replaced by a super tiebreak (10 points, win by 2). The organiser reserves the right to alter the format as deemed fit.
Withdrawals & Defaults	Tennis NZ Player Code of Conduct will apply. Please familiarise yourself with these rules and regulations as they will be strictly enforced. https://tennis.kiwi/assets/Resources/2017-18-Code-of-Conduct.pdf
Warm-up	The warm-up must not exceed 5 minutes
Dress Code	All players shall dress and present themselves in an appropriate manner for tennis. Clean and customarily acceptable tennis attire shall be worn. The organiser has the final decision if the clothing worn is appropriate. Please refer to Tennis NZ Player Code of Conduct for further clarification.
Rules	The tournament will be played in accordance with the Tennis NZ Rules and Regulations, ITF Rules of Tennis and Tennis NZ Player Code of Conduct. These are available from the Tennis NZ website. Parents, coaches and spectators must not communicate with the players or be on the courts during matches.
Player Behaviour	Tennis NZ Player Code of Conduct will apply. https://tennis.kiwi/assets/Resources/2017-18-Code-of-Conduct.pdf
Stringing	Stringing is available on site.
Food	Available at various retail outlets close to venue.