



2020 AWESOME AUTUMN NIGHT TOURNAMENT SERIES

DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

Saturday, 14 March (7 p.m. to 11 p.m.)

Entries close Thursday, 12 March

SINGLES TOURNAMENT

Saturday, 28 March (7 p.m. to 11 p.m.)

Entries close Thursday, 26 March

MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

Saturday, 2 May (7 p.m. to 11 p.m.)

Entries close Thursday, 30 April

Entry is restricted to members of The University of Queensland Tennis Club Inc. (UQ Tennis Club)

Players, who are not members, will be granted free Restricted Membership of the UQ Tennis Club to enable them to enter

These tournaments will be played using round-robin formats which guarantee that all entrants get multiple matches.

See overleaf for the complete Conditions of Entry. Each tournament is a Category A event in the UQ Tennis Club's 2018 Grand Prix.

Levels:	Open	Open to all (top level)
	A Grade	Equiv. to or lower than ITN 5 (approx. UQTC Fixtures A2 & Social low Red)
	B Grade	Equiv. to or lower than ITN 6 (approx. UQTC Fixtures B1 & Social Yellow)
	C Grade	Equiv. to or lower than ITN 7 (approx. UQTC Fixtures C1 & Social Green/Blue)

Entry Fees:	Full Members	\$30 (Singles) or \$20/player (Doubles)
	Restricted Members	\$35 (Singles) or \$25/player (Doubles)



HEAD TOUR Tennis Balls will be used in these tournaments

In each tournament, participants will go into a Head Lucky Draw for small bonus prizes.

2020 Awesome Autumn Night Tournament Series - Entry Form

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Entries close: Thursday prior to each tournament

Post entries to: UQ Tennis Club, P.O. Box 6005, St Lucia, Qld 4067

E-Mail entries to: tournaments@uqtc.org.au

Enter on-line at: <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au>

SURNAME / FAMILY NAME:

FIRST NAME:

GENDER (circle): Male / Female **DATE OF BIRTH (dd/mm/yyyy):**

HOME PHONE: **MOBILE:**

E-MAIL:

A valid e-mail address is essential for confirmation of receipt of entry and notification of match times

CURRENT ITN & FIXTURE GRADE: Current ITN (if known)

Association	Competition	Grade	Team
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TOURNAMENTS [please tick tournament(s) entering and indicate level]:

		Level	Fees
		Open/A/B/C	Enclosed
<input type="checkbox"/>	14 March (Doubles)	Partner.....
<input type="checkbox"/>	28 March (Singles)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 May (Mixed Doubles)	Partner.....

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED \$

If paying by cheque or money order, make payable to UQ Tennis Club

N.B. Late entries and entries without fees not accepted

I confirm that I have read and accept the Conditions of Entry overleaf and enclose all fees.

Office use only: Fees received..... Receipt Number.....

Signature..... Date.....

2020 AWESOME AUTUMN NIGHT TOURNAMENT SERIES - CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. These three tournaments are approved by Tennis Queensland and shall be conducted in accordance with the Rules of the Game adopted by Tennis Australia (except as varied herein), the Tournament Rules & Regulations laid down by Tennis Queensland, the Tennis Australia Code of Behaviour and the UQ Tennis Club Code of Conduct.
2. These are close tournaments being conducted by The University of Queensland Tennis Club Inc. (UQ Tennis Club) and entry is restricted to players who are current members of the UQ Tennis Club. Players who are not Full Members of the Club (i.e. Ordinary, Associate, Junior or Hon. Life Members) or Restricted Members will be granted free Restricted Membership (Tournament Player category) to make them eligible for entry. Restricted Members will pay a higher entry fee than Full Members.
3. Each tournament is a Category A Tournament in the 2020 UQ Tennis Club Grand Prix. Only Full Members earn points in the Grand Prix.
4. The Tournament Management Committee, hereinafter referred to as the "Committee", shall have the entire control and management of these tournaments. Any matter not specifically covered by these Conditions shall be resolved by the Committee members present, whose decision shall be final.
5. Entries must be submitted on the prescribed entry form or lodged on-line. For Doubles tournaments, each player must lodge an individual entry. Where players use the printed entry form, the entry form must be completed in full, signed to confirm acceptance of the Tournament Conditions and lodged with the entry fees by the designated closing dates (i.e. by 11:59 p.m. on the Thursday before each tournament). This entry form may be used to enter single or multiple tournaments. Depending on how the entry is lodged, payment may be made by Cash, Cheque, Money Order, Credit Card (MasterCard, Visa Card or American Express only) or Debit Card. If paying by cheque or money order, make payable to The University of Queensland Tennis Club Inc. (or UQ Tennis Club). Entries must be sent to the UQ Tennis Club. Entries may be hand delivered; posted to the UQ Tennis Club, PO Box 6005, St Lucia, Qld 4067; faxed to 3870 5002 (with credit card payment); scanned and e-mailed to tournaments@ugtc.org.au (with credit card payment); or lodged on-line with credit card payment at <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au> (fees listed for on-line entry include the Stripe & Tennis Australia on-line processing fee). Entry fees may also be paid by direct deposit into the Club's bank account [Bank: Commonwealth; BSB: 06 4158; Account No.: 0090 0066; Account Name: University of Queensland Tennis Club].
6. Because of the limitation on the number of players that can be accommodated at the UQ Sport Tennis Centre in a one-night tournament, the Tournament Director (at his/her sole discretion) may close entries early and/or cap the number of entries to be accepted to ensure the tournament can be played to completion in the time available.
7. All entries will be confirmed by e-mail after close of entries where an e-mail address is supplied. Players who do not receive such confirmation by 5 p.m. on the day before the tournament should contact the Tournament Director (Ph 0409 090 299, E-Mail tournaments@ugtc.org.au). Players who believe they have entered, but do not receive confirmation, have no claim on a position in the draw unless they contact the Tournament Director by 1 p.m. on the day of the tournament. Receipt of entries can be checked on-line at <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au>.
8. Entries in the Doubles Tournament on 14 March and the Mixed Doubles Tournament on 2 May will only be accepted if a Doubles partner is named and that partner also lodges an entry form with all fees.
9. Any player may withdraw prior to entries being finalized and the entry fee less relevant administrative expenses shall be refunded. No entry fees shall be refunded where a player is defaulted or where a player withdraws after entries are finalized and the courts booked.
10. Players may enter in only one event per tournament and may enter at any level equal to or above the level for which they are eligible. Event eligibility shall be decided on the basis of the ITNs or provisional ITNs allocated by the UQ Tennis Club Grading Committees and the Committee reserves the right to transfer any player to a higher grade if it deems a player is above the designated standard for the level entered. Any players who do not nominate a level shall be entered in the event equivalent to their ITNs. Where partners in Doubles events are of different standards, event eligibility shall be decided by the Committee but will generally be on the basis of the highest standard.
11. The tournament will be conducted using four levels – Open (open to all players), A Grade (equivalent to ITN 5 or lower rating, i.e. ITN 5-10), B Grade (equivalent to ITN 6 or lower rating, i.e. ITN 6-10) and C Grade (equivalent to ITN 7 or lower rating, i.e. ITN 7-10). However, depending on entry numbers, the Committee reserves the right to cancel any event or amalgamate events, to divide any event into sections and to determine the number of prizes to be awarded.
12. As a guide for eligibility, approximate grade cut-offs are set out in the List of Events (overleaf). Entrants must supply details of all current Fixture grades. If a player is found to have been allowed to play in too low a grade because of withheld or false information about Fixture grades, that player shall be defaulted and shall not be entitled to any prizes or refund of fees.
13. Pairs in the Mixed Doubles must consist of a male and a female. Players in the Men's Singles & Ladies' Singles and Men's Doubles & Ladies' Doubles must enter the event specific for their gender. However, depending on entry numbers, male and female events may be combined for the purpose of providing matches. In this situation, separate male and female winners will still be determined provided there are at least 2 entries of the respective gender.
14. The tournament will be played using Round-Robin formats which guarantee that all entrants get multiple matches because players keep playing irrespective of whether they win or lose. Depending on numbers, players in a level may be split into groups with play-offs to determine final positions or levels may be combined to provide a viable number of players for the round-robin formats. The exact format for each event shall be decided by the Committee when the entry numbers are known and may be varied on the night if there is a late change in entry numbers.
15. Each match shall consist of one tie-break set. Sets may be Short Sets, Normal Sets, Short Pro Sets, Pro Sets or Super Pro Sets as announced by the Committee at the start of play. Serve and ends shall be decided by toss. During a set, players shall change ends at the end of the first, third and every subsequent odd game. Players shall be permitted a warm-up period of 3 minutes prior to their first match only.
16. A Short Set is won by the first player/pair to win 4 games but, if the score reaches 3 games all, a sudden-death Tie-Break will be played to decide the set. A Normal Set is won by the first player/pair to win 6 games but, if the score reaches 5 games all, a sudden-death Tie-Break will be played to decide the set. A Short Pro Set is won by the first player/pair to win 8 games but, if the score reaches 7 games all, a sudden-death Tie-Break will be played to decide the set. A Pro Set is won by the first player/pair to win 9 games but, if the score reaches 8 games all, a sudden-death Tie-Break will be played to decide the set. A Super Pro Set is won by the first player/pair to win 10 games but, if the score reaches 9 games all, a sudden-death Tie-Break will be played to decide the set.
17. In any game, if the score reaches deuce twice, a sudden-death point shall be played to decide the game. The sudden-death point is served to the court nominated by the receiver(s) [except in Mixed Doubles where the player of the same gender as the server shall receive the deciding point].
18. In the sudden-death Tie-Break, the player whose turn it is to serve, serves two points and, thereafter, each player serves two points in rotation and in the same order as previously in the set. This continues until one player/pair reaches 5 points. However, if the score reaches 4-all, the player who has just served, shall serve the deciding sudden-death point to the court nominated by the receiver(s) [except in Mixed Doubles where the player of the same gender as the server shall receive the deciding point].
19. All players must report to the Tournament Office at least 30 minutes before the scheduled start of play (i.e. by 6:30 p.m.). A briefing about the playing formats to be used will be conducted at 6:45 p.m. Entrants not ready to play at 7 p.m. may be defaulted. Play will be scheduled to finish by 10:30 p.m. but, if necessary to complete the tournament, play may be extended until the lights switch off around 11 p.m. or later.
20. In the event of rain preventing or interrupting play on any Saturday night, the tournament will be played or completed on 21 March (Doubles), 4 April (Singles) or 9 May (Mixed Doubles) unless notified otherwise.
21. Entrants agree to allow the Committee to publish the tournament results (including names and scores) on the Tennis Australia Tournaments Website (<https://tournaments.tennis.com.au>).
22. Entries from players under 18 years of age are only accepted on the understanding that the supervision and protection of juniors during their participation in this tournament is the responsibility of their parents/guardians and not the Committee and Tournament Organizers
23. Entrants agree to allow the Committee to have photographs, motion pictures and videotapes taken of them during the tournament and assign to the UQ Tennis Club the right in perpetuity to use such material in any way without any remuneration (including, but not limited to, publishing in newsletters and on websites).

MAIL / E-MAIL ENTRY PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD: Credit Card Type (circle): MasterCard Visa Amex *N.B. No other cards accepted*

Card No. Expiry Date (mm/yy) /

Card Holder's Name: CVV/CVC)

By signing below, I authorize the UQ Tennis Club to charge my Credit Card the sum of \$

Signature: Date: