



2019 ANNUAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

7-8 September & 14-15 September

Entries close: Thursday 29 August

Entries can be lodged on-line at <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au>

Entry is restricted to players who are Ordinary, Associate or Junior Members of the UQ Tennis Club

The tournament will be played using a knock-out format. Matches will be best-of-three sets (Singles) or best-of-two sets (Doubles).

The Time Draw should be available on <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au> by the Wednesday before each weekend.

EVENTS

OPEN (7-8 September) - top level - open to all players

- 1. Open Men's Singles (OMS)
- 2. Open Ladies' Singles (OLS)
- 3. Open Men's Doubles (OMD)
- 4. Open Ladies' Doubles (OLD)
- 5. Open Mixed Doubles (OXD)

A GRADE (14-15 September) - open to players equivalent to or lower level than ITN 5 [approx. UQTC A Grade, low Social Red]

- 6. A Grade Men's Singles (AMS)
- 7. A Grade Ladies' Singles (ALS)
- 8. A Grade Men's Doubles (AMD)
- 9. A Grade Ladies' Doubles (ALD)
- 10. A Grade Mixed Doubles (AXD)

B GRADE (7-8 September) - open to players equivalent to or lower level than ITN 6 [approx. UQTC B1 Grade, Social Yellow]

- 11. B Grade Men's Singles (BMS)
- 12. B Grade Ladies' Singles (BLS)
- 13. B Grade Men's Doubles (BMD)
- 14. B Grade Ladies' Doubles (BLD)
- 15. B Grade Mixed Doubles (BXD)

C GRADE (14-15 September) - open to players equiv. to or lower level than ITN 7 [approx. UQTC B2/C Grade, Social Green/Blue]

- 16. C Grade Men's Singles (CMS)
- 17. C Grade Ladies' Singles (CLS)
- 18. C Grade Men's Doubles (CMD)
- 19. C Grade Ladies' Doubles (CLD)
- 20. C Grade Mixed Doubles (CXD)

Entry Fees: Singles - \$30 Doubles - \$20 per person

HEAD HEAD TOUR Tennis Balls will be used in this tournament



2019 Annual Club Championships - Entry Form

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Entries close: Thursday 29 August

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:

FIRST NAME:

E-MAIL:

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

EVENT NO.	EVENT NAME	PARTNER'S NAME (Doubles Only)	FEES (\$)
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED			

**N.B. Late entries and entries without fees not accepted
Each player must submit a separate entry form
No time exemptions allowed**

I have read and accept the Conditions of Entry and enclose all fees. I am a current paid member of the UQ Tennis Club.

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

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

2019 ANNUAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS - CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. This tournament is approved by Tennis Queensland and shall be conducted in accordance with the Rules of the Game adopted by Tennis Australia, the Tournament Rules & Regulations laid down by Tennis Queensland, the Tennis Australia Code of Behaviour and the UQ Tennis Club Code of Conduct.
2. This tournament is being conducted by The University of Queensland Tennis Club Inc. (UQ Tennis Club) and entry is restricted to players who are 2019 financial Ordinary, Associate or Junior Members of The University of Queensland Tennis Club Inc. (UQ Tennis Club). Entry is not open to Restricted Members or non-members.
3. This is a Category A Tournament in the 2019 UQ Tennis Club Grand Prix.
4. The Tournament Management Committee, hereinafter referred to as the "Committee", shall have the entire control and management of the tournament. 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 via the Tennis Australia Tournaments Website. Where players use the printed entry form, the entry form must be completed in full, signed to confirm acceptance of the Tournament Conditions. Entries must be lodged with all entry fees by 11 p.m. on Thursday 29 August, 2019. Depending on how the entry is lodged, payment may be made by Cash, Internet Banking, 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). Payments may be made by Internet Banking directly into the Club's account [*Bank: Commonwealth; BSB: 06 4158; Account No.: 0090 0066; Account Name: University of Queensland 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; scanned and e-mailed to tournaments@uqtc.org.au; 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).
6. All entries will be confirmed by e-mail where an e-mail address is supplied. Players who do not receive such confirmation by 6 p.m. on Tuesday 3 September should contact the Tournament Director (Ph 0409 090 299, E-Mail tournaments@uqtc.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 10 a.m. on Wednesday 4 September. Receipt of entries can be checked on-line at <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au>.
7. Any player may withdraw prior to the draw 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 being placed in the draw.
8. The Committee reserves the right to postpone any event to such time and date as it considers suitable; to abandon any match; to use any type of court surface; to vary the length of a match from that advertised; and to schedule or complete matches under lights.
9. The Committee reserves the right to cancel any event or amalgamate events if insufficient entries are received and to determine the number of prizes to be awarded. For an event to be conducted, a minimum of 4 entries will usually be required. Where there are less than 4 entries, the entrants will be given the option of transferring to another event or receiving a refund.
10. No player is permitted to enter in more than 3 events. If entered in 3 events, at least 1 event must be a Doubles.
11. Entries in Doubles events shall only be accepted where players nominate their own partners.
12. 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). Level eligibility shall be decided on the basis of the ITNs or provisional ITNs allocated by the Club Grading Committee. Players may enter any event equivalent to their ITN ratings or any event at a higher level. Players must enter events specific for their gender. For Doubles events, where partners are of different standards, level eligibility shall be decided by the higher standard. The Committee reserves the right to transfer any player to a higher level if it deems a player is above the designated standard for the level entered.
13. Entrants must supply details of all current Fixture grades. As a guide for entrants who play in Fixtures conducted by the UQTC, the approximate grade cut-offs corresponding to each ITN level are set out on the entry form (overleaf). 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.
14. Players must be available at all times during the tournament. The tournament time draw cannot be organized around players' other activities. Requests for time exemptions will be ignored. However, where possible, Open & B Grade events will be played on 7-8 September and A Grade & C Grade events will be played on 14-15 September; but the Committee reserves the right to play an event on all days if it deems that entry numbers and weather conditions would make it impracticable to complete the event in 2 days.
15. All events shall be conducted using the knock-out format. There are no consolation events.
16. In all Singles events, matches shall be the best-of-three tie-break sets. In all Doubles events, matches shall be the best-of-two tie-break sets [i.e. if the score reaches one set all, a match deciding tie-break (10 points) shall be played]. In any set, if the score reaches 6 games all, a tie-break game shall be played to determine the winner of the set. A warm-up period of 5 minutes shall be permitted prior to the commencement of each match. Play shall be continuous from the first service until the match is concluded; except that after the second set in a three-set match, a player shall be entitled to a rest which shall not exceed 5 minutes.
17. All players must report to the Tournament Office 15 minutes before the scheduled time of their matches. Any player not ready to play or refusing to play within 15 minutes of the match being called may be defaulted.
18. It is the player's responsibility to ascertain the draw and to be in attendance at the courts at the times set down. Match times can be checked on-line at <https://tournaments.tennis.com.au>.
19. Where a player is scheduled for more than one match in a day, that player shall be entitled to a minimum break of 30 minutes between matches.
20. 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>).
21. Entries from players under 18 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.
22. 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 and social media).

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: