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# AUTUMN MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

The Club's Tournament Program for 2019 continues with the **Awesome Autumn Series Mixed Doubles Tournament** which will be played on Saturday night, 4 May, starting at 7 p.m.

**Entries close on Thursday, 2 May.**

Entries for the Mixed Doubles Tournament will only be accepted where a partner is nominated and that partner also lodges an entry. Sunday Afternoon Social Tennis and Thursday Night Social Tennis are great places to chase up a doubles partner. Fixture players, ask your team-mates or somebody you have played against.

The **Awesome Autumn Tournament Series** consists of three participation-style tournaments:

Doubles - played on Saturday night, 23 March

Singles - played on Saturday night, 6 April

Mixed Doubles - Saturday night, 4 May (7 to 11 p.m.)

Participation-style tournaments are designed to cater for players of all standards and use round-robin formats that keep everybody playing irrespective of whether they win or lose. As each tournament will be played to completion in a single night, participants will get lots of Tennis.

More information about the Autumn Night Tournament Series can be found [here](#).

Entry forms for the Autumn Night Tournament Series are available from under the Clubhouse and can also be downloaded from the Club Website [here](#).

Entries for the Autumn Mixed Doubles Tournament can be lodged on-line via the Tennis Australia Tournaments Website [here](#)\*, where players can also check that their entry has been received.

*\* Tennis Australia has made its tournament on-line entry system needlessly complicated. When players go to enter on-line, they are asked to create a Tournament account if they don't already have one. To create a Tournament account, players need their 11-digit Tennis Australia My Tennis Player ID Number. Unfortunately, although the TA tournament on-line entry system still requires the 11-digit Player ID Number, Tennis Australia has stopped issuing Player ID Numbers automatically for new players being registered through My Tennis (as it is switching to using player e-mail addresses for identification purposes). This means that players who do not have a Player ID Number, or don't remember their number, need to contact Tennis Australia via [play@tennis.com.au](mailto:play@tennis.com.au) or 1800 752 983 to obtain their number or have a number created for them (information required - name, postal address, unique e-mail address, birthdate and a phone number).*

## NEW COMPETITION - SUNDAY SINGLES FIXTURES

Following the success of the Night Singles Fixtures introduced in mid 2017, the UQ Tennis Club will be trying a season of daytime Singles Fixtures in May.

The **Sunday Singles Fixtures** will be run from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on two

consecutive Sundays (2 June & 9 June). **Entrants must be available for both days.** The Sunday Singles Fixtures will be run as an any-gender competition and will use a mixture of Fixtures and Tournament rules.

Players will be graded into groups of six. Each player will play one match against every other player in the group. Matches will be one set (i.e. first-to-six games). Everybody will play three matches per day. This means that, with a play-off round on the last day, everybody will get 6 matches for the season. All matches will be played so, if necessary, the season will be extended to accommodate wash-outs.

The season fee will be \$45 for Ordinary, Associate and Junior Members or \$55 for all others.

**Entries close on Thursday, 23 May.**

Entry forms for the Sunday Singles Fixtures are available from under the Clubhouse and can also be downloaded from the Club Website [here](#).

Entries for the Sunday Singles Fixtures can be lodged on-line via the Tennis Australia Tournaments Website [here](#).

More information about the Sunday Singles Fixtures can be found on the Club Website here:

<https://www.uqtc.org.au/news/sunday-singles-competition-singles-fixtures-2-9-june>

## UQ SPORT CLUB & SPORTS AWARDS

The annual **UQ Sport Club & Sports Awards Dinner** was held last Monday night, 15 April, at The Boatshed, Regatta Hotel (Toowong).

The event was hosted by Victoria Carthew. The Guest Speaker was Netball

legend, **Laura Geitz**.

The UQ Tennis Club's Hon. Treasurer, **Joanne Baulch**, won the Club Volunteer of the Year Award. The Tennis Club was nominated for the Hulbert Bursary but was unsuccessful.

Complete list of Award winners:

*Sportsman of the Year* - **Justin Cridland** (Touch Football)

*Sportswoman of the Year* - **Lakeisha Patterson** (Swimming)

*Hulbert Bursary* - **UQ Judo Club**

*President's Cup* - **UQ Athletics Club**

*Club Coach of the Year* - **Matthew Bradley** (UQ Hockey Club)

*Club All-Rounder of the Year* - **Justin Cridland** (UQ Touch Football Club)

*Club Volunteer of the Year* - **Joanne Baulch** (UQ Tennis Club)

*Club Administrator of the Year* - **Michelle Lorberg** (UQ Cricket Club)

*Club Service Awards* - **Caitlin Sargent-Jones** (UQ Athletics Club); **Howard Hickey** (UQ Rugby Football Club) & **Geoff Teys** (UQ Cricket Club)



*Club Volunteer of the Year – Joanne Baulch*

## THURSDAY NIGHT BBQ

There will be a free **Sausage Sizzle** for Social Tennis players and Fixture players this Thursday night (18 April) after Tennis. Drinks will be on sale at The Smash

Bar.

## EASTER COMPETITION

Everybody loves chocolates and Club members have a chance to win lots of chocolate in the Club's Easter Quiz.

Entrants must be Ordinary, Associate or Junior Members of the UQ Tennis Club for 2019. Restricted Members and lapsed members are not eligible. Each member may lodge only one entry.

Entries will only be accepted **if lodged by e-mail** to [admin@uqtc.org.au](mailto:admin@uqtc.org.au) with the answer in the **Subject field**.

Entries must be lodged by midnight on Saturday, 20 April. The prize winners will be drawn around 5 p.m. at Social Tennis on Sunday, 21 April.

Australia is playing Belarus in a Fed Cup Semi-Final in Brisbane over Easter.

**The Quiz Question is "In what year did Australia last win a Fed Cup Semi-Final?"**

The Quiz prizes are:

*First Prize* - Easter Egg Gift Pack and a HEAD Backpack

*Second Prize* – Easter Egg Gift Pack

*N.B. Where several members share the same e-mail address or a member is not using his/her own e-mail address, entrants will need to identify themselves in the message body. Other entrants can readily be identified from their e-mail address.*



# NIGHT SINGLES FIXTURES

Don't miss out on the UQ Tennis Club's second season of Night Singles Fixtures for 2019.

The **2019#2 Night Singles Fixtures (sponsored by St Lucia News)** will be run from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on three consecutive Tuesday Nights\* (25 June, 2 July & 9 July). **Entrants must be available for all three nights.** The Night Singles Fixtures will be run as an any-gender competition and will use a mixture of Fixtures and Tournament rules.

*\* If entries exceed the numbers that can be catered for on Tuesday nights, there is the option of playing on Monday nights instead. Entrants, please make sure you indicate on your entry if you can play on Monday nights.*

Players will be graded into groups of six. Each player will play one match against every other player in the group. Matches will be one Pro set (i.e. first-to-nine games). Everybody will play two matches per night (7-8 p.m. and 8-9 p.m.). This means that, with a play-off round on the last night, everybody will get 6 matches for the season. All matches will be played so, if necessary, the season will be extended to accommodate wash-outs.

The season fee will be \$55 for Ordinary, Associate and Junior Members or \$65 for all others.

**Entries close on Thursday, 13 June.**

Entry forms for the 2019#2 Night Singles Fixtures are available from under the Clubhouse and can also be downloaded from the Club Website [here](#).

Entries for the 2019#2 Night Singles Fixtures can be lodged on-line via the Tennis Australia Tournaments Website [here](#).

More information about the Night Singles Fixtures can be found on the Club Website here:

<https://www.uqtc.org.au/news/night-singles-competition-st-lucia-news->



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## FED CUP SEMI-FINAL

**Ashleigh Barty** (Ipswich) will lead **Daria Gavrilova** (Vic) and fellow Queenslanders **Samantha Stosur** (Gold Coast) and **Priscilla Hon** (Brisbane) in a **Fed Cup by BNP Paribas World Group Semi-Final** against **Belarus**, which will be played at the Pat Rafter Arena in Brisbane from 20-21 April. In the other Semi-Final, Romania will play France at the Kindarena in Rouen, France.

The Brisbane tie will be broadcast live on **9Gem** from 1:00 p.m. AEST on Saturday & Sunday.

Single session and two-day ticket packages are on sale from Ticketek:  
[www.ticketek.com.au/fedcup](http://www.ticketek.com.au/fedcup).

Australia last won the Fed Cup in 1974 but has reached the Final 8 times since then, including 6 Finals in a row from 1975 to 1980. Australia has won the Fed Cup 7 times (1974, 1973, 1971, 1970, 1968, 1965 & 1964).

# EASTER & UQ HOLIDAY NOTICES

## UQ Sport Tennis Centre

The UQ Sport Tennis Centre's opening hours over the Easter long weekend and on Anzac Day are:

Easter Friday (19 April) - closed

Easter Saturday (20 April) - 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Easter Sunday (21 April) - 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Easter Monday (22 April) - 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Anzac Day (25 April) - 1:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

## Saint Lucy caffè e cucina

Saint Lucy will be closed for Easter from 19 to 25 April, re-opening on Friday 26 April

## Social Tennis

Social Tennis is not affected by Easter, the UQ mid-semester vacation or the Anzac Day public holiday (except that the Tennis Centre will close at 6 p.m. sharp on Sunday, 21 April). **That is, there will be Sunday Afternoon Social Tennis on 21 & 28 April (2 to 6 p.m.) and Thursday Night Social Tennis on 18 & 25 April (7 to 10 p.m.).**

## UQTC Fixtures

UQTC Fixtures break for the UQ mid-semester vacation. **Therefore, there will be no UQTC Fixtures on Monday 22 April, Tuesday 23 April and Thursday 25 April. There will be UQ Thursday Fixtures on 18 April.**

## BNTA Fixtures

BNTA Fixtures do not break for UQ vacations. **Therefore, there will be BNTA Wednesday Fixtures on 24 April.**

# KEEP INFORMED

There are always lots of things happening in the UQ Tennis Club.

You can check out what is coming up on the Club Website:

<https://www.uqtc.org.au>

For programs, click the relevant information Tab and check for a story on the Home page. For events, there will always be a story on the Home page.

Another way to stay informed is to like the Club's Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/uqtennis/>

Posters about events are also displayed on the Club Noticeboard under the clubhouse.

Everything about the Club and its Programs can be found in the Club's Information Booklet, which can be viewed on-line:

<https://www.uqtc.org.au/file/uq-tennis-club-information-booklet>



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However, this is only possible if Members' contact information is up-to-date. **If you move or change your e-mail address, please let the Club know.**

As players are registered with Tennis Queensland using Tennis Australia's My Tennis on-line database, those with a valid e-mail address will receive an automated e-mail receipt from Tennis Australia confirming their registration. They will also receive a notification about how to access the on-line system to update their personal information themselves. **This notice infers that changes to contact information made on-line in this way will automatically be conveyed to the Club. This is incorrect. Any changes must be notified separately to the Club, preferably via e-mail to [admin@uqtc.org.au](mailto:admin@uqtc.org.au).**

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