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EKKA SINGLES TOURNAMENT

The next tournament in the Club Tournament Program is the **Ekka Singles Challenge Tournament**.

The Ekka Singles will be played in the morning on the Exhibition Holiday (Wednesday, 14 August).

Entries close this Thursday, 8 August.

In this tournament, all players (male & female) will go into a single draw but players will drop into consolation rounds whenever they lose and keep playing throughout the morning. This means there may be some mis-matches in the early rounds but players will progress through the draws to meet players of their own standard and will get lots of matches.

Entrants in the Ekka Singles must be Club Members but non-members will be given free Restricted Membership so they can enter. Entry fees for Restricted Members (\$35) are higher than for Ordinary, Associate & Junior Members (\$30).

As everybody goes into a single draw initially, players do not need to know their player rating or Fixtures grade to enter this tournament.

Entry forms are available under the Clubhouse or can be downloaded from the Club Website [here](#).

Entries can be lodged on-line through the Tennis Australia Tournaments Website [here](#).

N.B. 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 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).

UQ STUDENT & STAFF TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

The **2019 UQ Student & Staff Tennis Championships** will be played on 14, 17 & 18 August.

Entries close this Thursday, 8 August.

Entry in this tournament is restricted to current students and staff of The University of Queensland. Entrants must also be Club Members but non-members will be given free Restricted Membership so they can enter. Entry fees for Restricted Members (\$35) are higher than for Ordinary, Associate & Junior Members (\$30).

The tournament will consist of four events:

- UQ Student Men's Singles (round-robin qualifying with knock-out main draw)
- UQ Student Ladies' Singles (round-robin qualifying with knock-out main draw)
- UQ Staff Men's Singles (round-robin)
- UQ Staff Ladies' Singles (round-robin)

Entrants will be competing for over \$600 in prizemoney and trophies - Prizemoney & trophies for the Student events and trophies for the Staff events.

The main Draw of the UQ Student Men's Singles and UQ Student Ladies' Singles will be played using a Knock-Out format on 17 & 18 August with a Qualifying Round-Robin, if needed, on 14 August (in the afternoon, after the Ekka Singles Tournament).

The UQ Staff events will be played using Round-Robin formats on Sunday 18 August.

The Student Singles Champions become the holders of the **Reginald Roe Shield** which is named in honour of 'The Skipper', Reginald Heber Roe, who was Headmaster of Brisbane Grammar School for 30 years, one of the driving forces behind the establishment of The University of Queensland, the first Vice-Chancellor of The University of Queensland, the first President of UQ Sport and the founding father of Tennis in Queensland.

The Staff Singles Champions become the holders of the **Mall Molesworth Shield** which is named in honour of Brisbane's Maud Margaret (Mall) Molesworth who won the inaugural Australian Open Ladies' Singles Championships (in 1922), won the Queensland Open Ladies' Singles Championships 8 times (in 1922, 1923, 1924, 1927, 1929, 1930, 1931 & 1933), was the first Australian woman to be ranked in the World Top Ten and also coached the UQ Women's Intervarsity Team when her husband was teaching at UQ

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The Reginald Roe Shield and the Mall Molesworth Shield

WELCOME PARTY & PROGRAM TRIALS

The UQ Tennis Club's **Welcome Party & Program Trials** for Second Semester will be held on Friday night, 9 August, starting at 6 p.m.

Entry is free for UQ students who purchased a Tennis Card at Market Day. The entry fee is \$5 for all others. All entrants will receive a free ticket for the Lucky Prize Draws that will be conducted throughout the night.

Not sure how Social Tennis or Tennis Practice works? Come and try the programs.

This is also a great opportunity for 'old' members to meet 'new' members and for everybody to relax, have some fun and play some on-court games including

the Speed Gun Challenge. The Smash Bar will be open from 7 p.m. with student-friendly prices. Free barbecue and finger food. Snooker and Table Tennis available.

UNIVERSITY OPEN CONTINUED

On the third and final weekend (3-4 August) of the **2019 University Open Tennis Championships**, all the remaining Grade and Seniors Round-Robin events were completed.

The University Open is the Club's showcase event and it gave Club members and other Brisbane Fixtures & Social players the opportunity to see the best players in action and the opportunity to play in some great competitive Tennis themselves.

The results for the 13 events completed on 3-4 August were:

A Grade Men's Singles - W **Nenad Srbinovski**, R/U Mark Hodgson

A Grade Men's Doubles - W **Simon Davis & Nenad Srbinovski**, R/U Vincenzo Ninivaggi & Matteo Zuccarini

A Grade Mixed Doubles - W **Maya Remedios & Nick Brownrigg**, R/U Ashley Wilkinson & Rutger de Zoete

A Reserve Grade Men's Singles - W **Connor Yap**, R/U Marko Zganec

A Reserve Grade Men's Doubles - W **Robert Dair & Tim Page**, R/U Ian Hurst & Sala Sione

A Reserve Grade Mixed Doubles - W **Rebecca Warner & Alex Levchenko**, R/U Ashley Wilkinson & Sala Sione

B Grade Men's Singles - W **Kaiba Kunimitsu**, R/U Ryuichi Kawaguchi

B Grade Mixed Doubles - W **Shannon Pohio & Sergio Velasco**, R/U Lan Ho & Michael Leon

C Grade Ladies' Singles - W **Rebecca Tavo**, R/U Nicole Muller

C Grade Ladies' Doubles - W **Georgia McDonald & Joanna Pittard**, R/U

Barbara Donaldson & Helen Evans

C Grade Mixed Doubles - W **Susan Ko & Lyle Netto**, R/U Alexandra Veivers & Shane Veivers

35 & Over Men's Singles - W **Mike Veverka**, R/U Chris Barstow

35 & Over Ladies' Singles - W **Peri Bostock**, R/U Judith Rodins

Check out some of the photos & videos from the tournament on the Club's Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/uqtennis/> (select *Videos* or *Photos* from menu)



A Grade Mixed Doubles: Rutger de Zoete & Ashley Wilkinson (Runners-Up) and Maya Remedios & Nick Brownrigg (Winners)



A Reserve Grade Mixed Doubles: Sala Sione & Ashley Wilkinson (Runners-Up) and Rebecca Warner & Alex Levchenko (Winners)



B Grade Mixed Doubles: Michael Leon & Lan Ho (Runners-Up) and Shannon Pohio & Sergio Velasco (Winners)



C Grade Mixed Doubles: Lyle Netto & Susan Ko (Winners) and Alexandra Veivers & Shane Veivers (Runners-Up)

WINTER SINGLES TOURNAMENT

Entries are now open for the UQ Tennis Club's **End-of-Winter Singles Tournament**.

The tournament will be played on Saturday night, 24 August.

Entries close on Thursday, 22 August.

The End-of-Winter Singles Tournament will be played to completion in a single night, will use round-robin formats to keep everybody playing and will offer events at four levels to cater for players of all standards.

Entrants must be Club Members but non-members will be given free Restricted Membership so they can enter. Entry fees for Restricted Members (\$35) are higher than for Ordinary, Associate & Junior Members (\$30).

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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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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.**

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