

# WINTER INTERCLUB HANDBOOK

2020



# Our Team

Club \_\_\_\_\_

Captain \_\_\_\_\_ contact \_\_\_\_\_

## Players

	Player Code	Name	Rank	Phone
<b>1</b>				
<b>2</b>				
<b>3</b>				
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# Rules for Winter Interclub

## **Team Lists**

- a) For Saturday Doubles a minimum of 2 men and 2 women must be named. For Midweek Doubles a minimum of 4 men/women must be named. Team playing order does not matter.
- b) On the Doubles Team List each team must contain at least 4 men or 4 women. Clubs may designate more players if they wish.
- c) One of the players must be named as captain and that person's telephone number and email address included on the team list.
- d) Players may only play for one club in the same competition. Mixed doubles on Saturdays and Midweek Doubles on Thursdays are considered separate competitions.

## **Grades**

- a) Teams will be placed in boxes of 6-8 teams graded by the standard of their player list i.e. based on their ranking points. Once grades have been decided, a reserve band will be put in place.
- b) TNR try their best to avoid the use of play-off rounds where possible. Where team numbers dictate the necessity to have grades with play-offs, we will use accumulative point's systems rather than semi and finals format. The format will be advised at the top of the draw at the start of each season.

## **Reserves**

- a) Any club members may reserve for any club team provided they have a Match Hub ranking for the relevant competition (i.e. doubles or singles) A Match Hub reserve band will be set for each grade at the start of the season and reserves cannot play for teams, at any time throughout the season, where their Match Hub grading/ranking is greater than the band set e.g. a D5 player may not reserve for a team with a D6 designation or lower. The Match Hub grading/ranking that applies is that recorded at the time the reserve plays.
- b) It is the responsibility of clubs, not TNR, to monitor reserve bands and the number of times a reserve plays.

c) If a team cannot field a full line up of players on the day, a player already playing, may fill in to complete the other match, however no points for this match will be earned by the team doing so.

## **Balls**

Each team to provide one pair of new Wilson Tour Premier tennis balls.

## **Contests**

Each match to be two normal tiebreaker sets with a super tiebreaker to 10 if one set all.

## **Points**

Each team shall receive one point for each match it wins. The team winning the greater number of matches shall receive 2 bonus points.

## **Results**

All matches to be recorded online in the same way as Summer Interclub matches. Winning captains are responsible for loading their results within 48 hours of the match being played.

## **Defaults**

Teams that win a contest by default will receive points for that contest equal to the average of the points they have accumulated in the other contests they played over the season. These points will be awarded upon completion of their final match of the season.

## **Unplayed matches**

a) Contests may only be postponed due to inclement weather by agreement of both team captains.

b) Outstanding contests must be completed by the date of the last round of competition, unless that grade has play-off rounds, and then the

match and its results must be completed and entered one week prior to the scheduled play off date. Matches that have not been entered by this time, will be recorded as not played and the standing points will be used to decide the makeup of the play-off round.

c) Team Captains should be aware of varying floodlight shut-off times which may vary between club and TNR venues and with changes to daylight saving. For night matches at club courts, the home club should make both clubs aware of the time their floodlights switch off and both teams should agree prior to starting a match that, if necessary, either play a shorter match or reschedule to complete the rest of the match on another day agreed by both teams. If an agreement cannot be reached, then whoever was leading at the time of the lights going out, will be deemed the winner of that contest

## **Other rules**

Where something occurs that is not covered by these rules TNR and the Interclub panel will apply a mix of summer interclub rules and common sense. Any ruling will be final.

## **How do I enter my team's interclub results?**

If you are the winning team you must enter your results into Match Hub Rankings within **48 hours** of the game being played. However any player (from either the winning or losing team) who has been listed as an interclub recorder can enter the result. To be listed as an interclub recorder your email address must be listed under your Match Hub Rankings code on the Match Hub Rankings system.

1. Connect to the Internet.
2. Go to [www.tennis.org.nz/resultslogin.asp](http://www.tennis.org.nz/resultslogin.asp) or, look for the [Captain's login](#) link under Interclub Links on the Tennis Northern homepage [www.tennisnorthern.co.nz](http://www.tennisnorthern.co.nz)
3. You will see a Login window. Enter your Match Hub Rankings player code and password and click Login. If you do not have a password, or have forgotten it, then click the Request New Password button. If an error message appears please email [admin@tennisnorthern.co.nz](mailto:admin@tennisnorthern.co.nz) with your

player code, name of team and club as your email address is either missing or incorrect on the Match Hub Rankings system.

4. After logging in you must select the Competition, the Grade, then Interclub Round Number and opposition team from the drop down list. Click the capture result button.
5. Next you will see the Interclub Results window. Enter your match results. There is a Help button that provides instructions. Once entered, click the update button to submit the results.
6. The contest result and points are calculated automatically, unless it is a draw. If it is a draw, please manually enter the total sets won by each team. If this is even, then enter total games won for each team. Any errors will be highlighted in red. If you cannot find a player, or have any problems that you cannot fix, then write a note for the administrator in the box at the bottom of the screen then click the update button. The results will be saved even if they are incomplete or have errors. After completing the results click the Exit button. The administrator will adjust point calculations if required.
7. Use the Display Points Table button to see the current standing and review any match result. You may see 0-0 on the table if you entered a draw result. The points will be allocated by the administrator.

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