



## PLAYERS POOL RULES

### OBJECTIVES

1. To provide for players who are unable to make the commitment to regular play that team membership demands, but who are interested in playing competition tennis as a fill in on an as required basis. Players who are unable to or do not wish to form a team are also eligible.
2. Each nominee will be graded by the relevant Competition Committee. The grading will restrict the divisions that the pool player may play in. The range of divisions will be at the discretion of the relevant Competition Committee. Each player will also be given a handicap by the relevant Competition Committee.

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1. **A POOL PLAYER MUST BE A MEMBER OF AN AFFILIATED CLUB. THE PLAYER MUST THEN PAY ANY DUE MONIES TO THE ASSOCIATION BEFORE THE PLAYER WILL BE PLACED IN THE POOL.**
2. Players must nominate as a member of the Players Pool by completing the required form or giving all relevant information to an Association official.
3. Nominations will be accepted at any time during the rounds of the competition. (NOT DURING THE FINALS SERIES)
4. If the player fails to play any matches in that competition, the registration fee will be refunded or carried over to the next competition.
5. Pool players may play as many matches for as many teams as they please, as long as they play in their designated divisions.
6. Individual and team handicap rules still apply as well as the penalties for breaking these rules.
7. **POOL PLAYERS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO PLAY IN THE FINAL SERIES.**
8. If a Pool Player wishes to leave the pool and become a regular financial member of a team, both the club/team and the player must apply in writing to the relevant Competition Committee stating the reasons why they wish to become a regular member of that team/club.
9. The relevant Competition Committee will then make a decision on that application.
10. The Players Pool will operate on the following competitions. Registration fee will be \$10.00 per competition :
  - Saturday Combined Competition**
  - Wednesday Mens Night Competition**
  - Thursday Ladies Night Competition**
  - Ladies MidWeek Competition.**
11. Return completed form with the required fee to:- Tennis Wollongong, P.O. Box 1443, WOLLONGONG NSW 2500