

## **The Tennis NSW requirements for a return to community tennis.**

The most recent version of the full requirements can be found at <https://www.tennis.com.au/nsw/>  
This MUST be available at each court, and I strongly suggest that all team captains make a copy available to all players. These requirements are being regularly updated.

**What this means for players** is a continued emphasis on the hygiene measures and social distancing measures we currently observe in everyday life.

All players should download the CovidSafe app to their mobile phones, if possible.

**Most importantly, if ANY player has been in contact with Covid-19, has been to a designated hotspot, or has symptoms of any respiratory infection, a temperature or any other illness THEY MUST NOT PLAY OR ATTEND THE MATCH.**

### **Specifically:**

Hand sanitiser and soap, paper towels and tissue are to be provided at each court.

You are encouraged to use your own personal sanitiser.

Hands must be washed before entering the court, and on exiting the court.

Minimise handling of the balls; balls should be placed on the service line at change of ends and returned to the server using feet and racquet rather than being handled.

Players should bring their own water bottles and place these on the court at least 1.5 m apart and teams should use the opposite sides of the court. Individual's bags and personal items should also be at least 1.5 m apart off the court.

Change ends around the other end of the net from the other team.

Maintain social distancing on and off the court; no handshakes, seating off court to be at least 1.5 m apart.

Only the players should be present at the courts. Social visitors are discouraged, but if they do attend their name and contact details MUST be listed on the back of the result sheet. Home teams are responsible for maintaining this record of all people present.

Most teams may have only have limited access to their club house. Please check with home teams as to whether tea/coffee etc. is available. It is suggested that players bring their own cups. Disposable cups are also an option, instead of washing up cups before and after use in hot water. Clubhouse toilet facilities are available for emergency use only, but the number of people in the clubhouse must be limited. Food should not be shared.

A full explanation of any disruptions to play, injuries or teams playing with reduced numbers should be recorded on the result sheet as usual.

**MEADOWS TENNIS CLUB is now registered as a Covid Safe venue with a unique Services NSW QR Code displayed in several locations throughout the venue.**

**Everyone must check-in BEFORE** entering the Meadows venue by scanning the Services NSW QR Code and are obliged to show a committee member on request that they have signed in. Those patrons without a smartphone are advised to be added as a dependant of a person who has checked-in with their smartphone.

# WEDNESDAY NIGHT COMPETITION 2021-1 INFORMATION SHEET - 6-set format

**Note:-** Tennis Wollongong Rules dated September 2020 now apply - available at Control Room or Web site

Tennis Wollongong postal address: PO Box 7025, Gwynneville, NSW 2500

[www.tenniswollongong.com.au](http://www.tenniswollongong.com.au)

**The games result for all matches will be determined using handicaps if the match is valid.**

**To enable match to be completed there is to be no hit up for the first set after 7.00 pm starting time.**

**The completion time for all matches is 10.30 pm.**

## Result Sheets

Only result sheets marked **March 2018** are to be used.

Refer to result sheet for information regarding requirements to avoid loss of points.

**Results of last match** of the competition must be phoned through to the Control Room on 4228 6570 or delivered before 9.30 am the next day. A copy of the last match result sheet must be delivered, emailed to [admin@tenniswollongong.com.au](mailto:admin@tenniswollongong.com.au) or faxed to the Control Room on 4226 2784 before 9.00 am the following Saturday for validation.

## Unregistered Players

**Record all details on result sheet.** Refer TW Rules - Rule 13.

## Fees

**All fees must be paid prior to the commencement of the competition (including TW personal fees)**

TW registration for the year 2020/21:- Adults - \$34.00, Seniors - \$27.00 (date of birth required), Juniors - \$20.00 (date of birth required).

New players for this competition will be assessed a fee for the half year (\$17, \$14 or \$10).

**Team entry fee is \$60 for competition 2021-1, 6-set format.**

**Note:- Teams that are not financial or contain players who are not financial may have their points hidden and will not be eligible to play in the finals until everyone is financial.**

## New Players

These are players being nominated as a permanent member of the team after the competition commences.

Player's name and suggested handicap are to be advised to the MAM Committee prior to commencement of matches and entered in the appropriate space on the result sheet. *Refer TW Rules - Rule 13 and 12.3.* New players will not change the minimum handicap for teams in the division; they may have a handicap less than the minimum borrowed player handicap.

*The new player's name, address, email, phone no. and date of birth must be entered in the space provided on the result sheet.*

## Borrowed Players

Borrowed players are players borrowed from other teams or competitions to fill in for a particular match.

The player's name, team, division and the competition where registered are to be entered in the appropriate space on the result sheet. *Own team members must be used before borrowing.* A player can be borrowed as needed during normal competition rounds but limited to 4 times for any one team in this competition. *Refer TW Rules - Rules 14 and 15.*

Players borrowed from the 3-set competition and playing the 6-set competition for the first time will have a handicap 9 more than their 3-set handicap. Arrangements should be made through the captain of the team whose member you wish to borrow.

## Wet matches

Refer to result sheet regarding requirements. Unplayable conditions:- *Refer TW Rules - Rule 18.1.*

## Balls

At least two new tennis balls must be supplied by the home team. Use only Tennis Australia approved balls.

## Format

The team winning the toss serves first in all the odd numbered sets and the other team serves first in the other sets.

It is the team captain's responsibility to check the player order before any set commences.

If a team plays an incorrect pair, the set must be forfeited.

## Points

One point for every set won, 0.1 points for every game won (plus h/cap difference). Unfinished sets - 0.8 points each.

**A maximum of 9.6 points for the winning team.**

Handicaps are only used to determine the final score if 3 sets are completed plus at least 1 game in a fourth set.

## Tennis Attire

Proper tennis attire is to be worn - as defined by Tennis Australia. *Refer TW Rules - Rule 30.*

## Final Series

Borrowed Players:- *Refer Rule 20.8.* Substitute Players:- *Refer Rule 17.* Court Allocation:- *Refer Rule 22.*

Team Captains must agree on balls used for final series otherwise Tennis Wollongong sponsor balls are to be used.

Where possible the court surface for the entire final series will be that of the minor premier.



## Competition 2021-1

3/02/2021 to 26/06/2021

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### WEDNESDAY NIGHT COMPETITION



Division 6SD1 - 4 teams over 15 weeks [MNT4]

3 Feb	10 Feb	17 Feb	24 Feb	3 Mar
1 v 4	2 v 4	1 v 2	4 v 1	4 v 2
3 v 2	3 v 1	4 v 3	2 v 3	1 v 3

10 Mar	17 Mar	24 Mar	31 Mar	7 Apr
2 v 1	1 v 4	2 v 4	1 v 2	4 v 1
3 v 4	3 v 2	3 v 1	4 v 3	2 v 3

14 Apr	21 Apr	28 Apr	5 May	12 May
4 v 2	2 v 1	1 v 4	2 v 4	1 v 2
1 v 3	3 v 4	3 v 2	3 v 1	4 v 3

#### Points may be deducted for

1. Late/Non-receipt of result sheet - 2 points
2. Team or player's information not listed
3. Borrowed players from other competitions or Associations not being approved
4. Failing to insert borrowed, Pool or new players names in appropriate area
5. Unsigned result sheet
6. Failing to forward result sheet for wet matches

6SD1
1. Meadows 1
2. Meadows 2
3. City 1 ^
4. City 2 ^

^ City 1 and City 2 play their home matches on Meadows Tennis Club's courts

Division 6SD1 starting time: 7:00 pm finishing time: 10:30 pm

NO HIT UP AFTER 7:00 pm

#### Final Series

**Semi Finals:-** 19<sup>th</sup> May, [1] v [4], [2] v [3]

**Grand final:-** 26<sup>th</sup> May, winner of ([1] v [4]) versus winner of ([2] v [3])  
Loser of ([1] v [4]) versus loser of ([2] v [3])

**Entries close for competition 2021-2 on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2021** (3-set format only)

Short competition avoiding State of Origin games

**Entries close for competitions 2021-3 on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2021** (6-set and 3-set formats)

**Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the MAM Committee**  
**in order to fill the draw.**

**Competition 2021-2 commences on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021** (3-set format)

**Competitions 2021-3 commence on 18<sup>th</sup> August 2021** (3-set and 6-set formats)

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT COMPETITION 2021-1

6-set competition

6SD1

If both teams agree, at 5 games all, a 7 point tie-break will be played.

Key 1 - Meadows 1	
Ph: 0411 233 116; 0409 574 510	
1. Nathan Heard	17
2. Matthew Hicks	17
3. Tony McCabe - c	17
4. Garry Young - vc	18
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Key 2 - Meadows 2	
Ph: 0422 900 621; 0409 715 127	
1. Brian Clegg - vc	17
2. Rob Costello	23
3. Matthew Hinks - c	17
4. Dean Jones	17
5. Andrew Stephenson	21
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Key 3 - City 1^	
Ph: 0407 934 349; 0416 228 458	
1. Jason Clark	7
2. Darren Moffitt - c	5
3. Daryl Orr	16
4. Goran Petrovski - vc	16
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Key 4 - City 2^	
Ph: 4225 9043; 0403 329 932	
1. Peter Morris	19
2. Greg Paul - c	21
3. Stan Tanevski - vc	23
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^ City 1 and City 2 will play their home matches on Meadows Tennis Club's courts

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY AFTERNOON MIXED COMPETITIONS

### COMPETITIONS 2021-1

Name	Contact Number	Computer No	Handicap	Eligible Div
<u>SAX LADIES</u>				
Claudia Stacey	0412 708 210	20	30	Both
<u>SAX MEN</u>				
David Hay	0402 867 646	22	8	Div 1
Dean Jones	4228 0239	21	17	Both
<u>WED NIGHT COMP</u>			6-set/3-set	6-set/3-set
Dean Jones	4228 0239	21	17/12	6SD1/3SD1 to 3SD3
David Hay	0402 867 646	22	13/8	6SD1/3SD1 to 3SD2

### COMPUTER NUMBER

This is the pool player's number and is to be used when playing for any team.

**eg.** If Claudia Stacey is Computer number 20, she will be 20 in any team where she plays.

**REMEMBER** - when borrowing players from another team in a higher division or using Pool players, do not break the division's TEAM HANDICAP or BORROWED player's handicap.

### PLEASE NOTE:

Pool lists can be found on the last page of the draws for Saturday and Wednesday competitions. Additions to the pool will appear on the web with updates to the draw.