



## Information for Parents.

Eastern Region Tennis (ERT) would like to provide an information sheet for all parents to provide an understanding and background of the ERT junior competition.

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- 1) ERT is a one court competition for all home and away matches. Some venues will have more than one court available for junior matches but clubs are only required to have one court available for play. Junior finals must have two courts available.
- 2) When arriving at a venue make yourself known to the Home Convenor/Supervisor and then have your players fill in the scorecard with their full name. Not just first names or initials. You should arrive 15 minutes before the start of the match to have a warm up.
- 3) If you have an emergency you must list them on the bottom of the scorecard in the area provided. All details need to be completed including the lowest eligible section to play. Eg playing OR 2 and to be registered for OR 6. (Copy of completed scorecard below). Any alteration to the scorecard **MUST** be initialed by both team captains.(See By Law 10(a)

Eastern Region Tennis Inc.			JUNIORS			FORMAT				
Point	First Name	Family Name	Visiting Team	First Name	Family Name	SECTION	FORMAT			
1	JAMES SWANSON	MOSSELEYN HHS	HORNIMONT	JACK LORDE		3	JOSD			
2	PERINEL ROBERTS			DANIEL WILHELM	S	DATE	FORMAT			
3	OLIVIA JOHN			RAY NICKYEN		14/2 14/2 14/2 14/2 14/2 14/2	Open/Close/Single/Double			
4	TANIE JOE			MARY CHEN		1 1 1 1 1 1				
5	BL	+		4	2/1	2 3 2 2 2 2				
6						3 2 2 2 2 2				
7						12.5 18.45 5 7				
8						28.15 24.2 10 6				
						TOTALS 32 61				
Captain sign: <i>[Signature]</i>			Captain sign: <i>[Signature]</i>			Lowest Eligible Section				
EMERGENCY REGISTRATION						Previous Standard				
Club	First Name	Family Name	FORMAT	Birth Date	MT	Day	Format	Sec.	Format	Sec.
Mark	JAMES	DOE	14/2	E	SAT	JDC	3	JTD	6	

- 4. Parents are not to go onto the court** when their players are playing their set. There is no coaching or line calling allowed from parents. Any issues need to be discussed with the Convenor/Supervisor and they will sort out any issues or disputes.
  5. If a parent is causing a disturbance at a venue the Convenor/Supervisor can tell them to leave the club area.
  6. All away teams must have a parent in attendance for the entire match.
  7. Matches are to finish by 12.30pm Saturday (8.30am start) & 1pm Sunday (9.00am start). If the set is still in progress at the finish times, you finish at the specified time and list the set score on the card. Eg 3 2
- 8) Parents are not to ring anyone on ERT or the opposition Convenor. If you have a query you contact your Club's Convenor. The club convenor will raise the issue on your behalf. ERT will only respond to queries that have come from your club convenor.**
- 9) If your junior team is a player short, you can play with one less player. You can still get a point for the sets played and won by the team, but you cannot get match points. However, as Open Rubbers only have 2 players, the team **MUST** have both players at the venue. If one Open Rubbers player does not arrive then the match is a forfeit.
  - 10) JDC matches – One parent from each team can be on court to help with scoring, where to stand and line calls. No other parent is allowed on court.
  - 11) Washouts can be notified on Club Zone up to 45 minutes before a match commences. Away clubs will check to see if a washout has been called. If the washout is declared with less than 45 minutes before the match is to commence, the home convenor must ring the away convenor by phone. Do **NOT** leave a voicemail or send an SMS. You **MUST** talk to the opposition Convenor,

### **Finals.**

- 12) When the away team arrives, both teams **MUST** have their players listed on a sheet of paper with any substitution also listed (See attached card). Each team can then hand their completed card to the opposition so that both teams can review the teams. The Home Convenor/Supervisor then enters the details onto the scorecard. Once the card is completed it **cannot be altered**. If a team alters the scorecard after both teams have been entered, that team will forfeit the sets that have been altered.

**13) Teams must attend** the venue as washouts cannot be called over the phone for finals matches. Washouts will be decided by the Home Convenor/Supervisor. You must wait to see if the weather improves before a washout can be called. If a match has reached a result and the weather is inclement you do not have to finish the other sets. If a final is a washout you play the following week.