

GAMES INFORMATION

Please read if entering the Games

Eligibility

Entrants may represent only ONE organisation in the Games. Entry is NOT limited to employees. An Individual can not enter two events in Team Sports eg you can't enter both Mixed and Women's Netball

Age Classes

The Official Games Age of an entrant is their age on December 31 of the Games year. You can not enter more than one Age Class in an event.

Limited Entries

The Games reserves the right to place entrants into another Age Class to ensure play. Only medals and points from the original class entered will be awarded..

Insurance

Entry fee does not include Personal Accident Insurance. It is up to each participant to have their own insurance that covers them in the event of an injury. To purchase Personal Accident Insurance go to: corporategames.net.au/nsw/Organising-your-Team

If an entrant is responsible for the breakage of equipment at a Games Venue they will be required to pay for the repair or replacement of the equipment. The Games holds third party public liability insurance only.

Entering the Games

Games Online Entry System (GOES)

When entering Online payment is via Credit Card or Poli Pay (transaction fee applies to credit card payments we don't accept Diners). You can submit entries for any number of entrants in many sports but you must make one payment for the entire submission on completion.

If you need help using the Games Online Entry System please contact us on 02 9979 1455.

Entry Deadlines

Entry Deadline September 21

Only complete Entries with payment are guaranteed

Once an Entry with payment has been received and processed by the Games entrant details are posted (this may take up to 7 days) to the **Team Lists** on our website under **Organising Your Team**. This confirms the entrant is in the Games. If your name is not listed contact the Games on 02 99791455.

Accreditation Process

Before competing ALL entrants must go through the Accreditation Process this includes signing a Waiver of Liability to receive their Games ID. Accreditation **cannot** be done at a Sports Venue desk. No entrant can compete without a validated Game ID.

Accreditation is via online when entering the Games at no extra cost. Entrants will be given up to **7 days from their Entry Submission Date** to complete this process.

If not completed an Accreditation Letter will be posted to these entrants. Bring this in person with a photo attached to an Accreditation Centre where your validated Games ID can be collected. This may be done on your day of competition but allow extra time before your start time. It **CANNOT** be done at a Sport Venue Desk and **NOT** by a 3rd party.

Entry Amendments

Replacement or Changes are free before September 25. After September 25 they may be processed only at the Games Accreditation Centre during the Games period before your event starts and will cost \$25 per change.

Withdrawals and Refunds, after the Entry Deadline and before September 25 are minus \$25 per person, after September 25 no refund. Go to <http://www.corporategames.net.au/nsw/Organising-Your-Team>

Refunds

Refunds are only made as specified in 'Entry Amendments' above. If events are cancelled for reasons beyond the control of the Games (eg wet weather) there is no refund. See 'Terms & Conditions on Entry'

Start Times & Draws

Draws with start times are available from the Games website ONE week before the Games. Changes to the Draws & Start Times will **ONLY** be made in the event of a Team withdrawal. The affected Team Captains will be contacted if a Draw is altered.

Sport Venue Check-in

Entrants must be at the Sport Venue **45mins** before their **first** scheduled Official Start Time and must report to Sport Venue Control at least **30mins** prior. Failure to do so may result in a forfeit.

Health Services

If you require medical attention, contact the nearest Games Official. Drink water to avoid dehydration. Seek shelter from the sun and use sunscreen to reduce exposure. Warm up prior to activity and cool down following activity to minimize the risk of injury. A medical team or sports trainer will be available at most sport venues.

Weather

Adverse weather conditions may cause modifications or cancellation of events. No refunds are made. If weather affects playing, updates on schedule changes or postponements will be available at www.facebook.com/nswcorporgames.

Appeals

There is no appeal against the decision of a match official. Appeals relating to other aspects of play or Games rules are adjudicated by the Sport Coordinator. Appeals must be submitted in writing by the Team Captain, to the Sport Coordinator within 15 minutes of the end of the match in question.

Code of Conduct

Any team/entrant who displays unreasonable behaviour in the opinion of officials or the Sport Coordinator before, during, or after a competition may be disqualified.

Awards Party & Results

The Games Awards Party is on Wednesday October 14. It will be a fun night celebrating the Games weekend featuring a special guest to present the Corporate Awards. Official Results will be available on October 16 after the Awards Party from the Games website at www.corporategames.net.au/nsw

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SPORT ENTRY INFORMATION

Please read if entering Tennis

Dates

SATURDAY October 10

- **START 8.30am** • Singles
 - **START 12.00pm** • Doubles
- Schedule may change

Sport Coordinator

Alex Reeman-Clark

Sport Venues

Eastwood-Thornleigh Tennis Association Britannia St
PENNANT HILLS

Sport Venue Control Location – Front entrance ground level to right
Parking available
Drinks, food and all facilities available at both venues
Map available from corporategames.net.au/nsw/Sport/venue-map
Venue may change

Events

SINGLES Women Open & Men Open • -30 • 30-39 • 40+
DOUBLES Women Open
Men Open • Men 40+
Mixed Open

Entry Fee

\$66 per participant including GST
If entering **both Singles and Doubles add \$26** including GST
Entry must be with full payment and at the Games Office by deadline. This fee includes Online Accreditation which must be done at time of entry.

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Format

Competition is pool play followed by elimination tournament
Winner of each pool advances
In pool play entrants are scheduled for a minimum 3 matches where possible but may play 2, or 4 pool matches
Competition is **not** graded
Each pool may contain teams from all 4 'Levels of Play' as selected at Entry
Matches are as follows in:
Pool Play – 8 games. If match tied at 4-4 tie stands. If pool tied 'first to 7' tie-break is played to determine pool winner.
Elimination Tournament – 8 game pro-set with tie-break at 4-4.
Medal Matches – are best of 3 tie-break sets, with tie-break at 5-5.
Players will call their own lines
In the event of wet weather it may be necessary to shorten matches
Players must confirm start times and court condition at the venue

Regulations

You may enter ONE Singles and ONE Doubles Event only
Doubles Team members must represent the same Organisation
Warm up is limited to 5 minutes
An Individual may represent only ONE Organisation in the Games
Entry is NOT limited to employees

Age Classes

Determined by age as of 31 December 2019
There are 4 Age Classes in Tennis
Open • -30 • 30-39 • 40+
High standard competitors should enter the Open Class

Rules

ITA/LTA Rules as adapted for the Corporate Games
Official Australian Code of Conduct applies

Equipment

Competition balls are supplied by the Games.

Uniform

Non marking tennis shoes required

Fee Payments

Games **Online Entry System (GOES)**, payment is only via Poli Pay (this incurs NO transaction fee) or Credit Card.

Start Times & Draws

Late arrivals – the following applies:
One minute late – point penalty
Three minutes late – Game penalty
Five minutes late – Forfeit from match
Time is kept by the official time piece at Venue Control
The elimination tournament may be later on the same day as Pool Play or on another day.
Draws with start times are available from the Games website ONE week before the Games. Changes to the Draws & Start Times will **ONLY** be made in the event of a Team withdrawal. The affected Team Captains will be contacted if a Draw is altered.

Results & Scoring

Players must call their own lines, score, then check and sign the Score Sheet immediately after each match. If a player/team decides not to finish a match the remaining games will be counted as 'walk overs' and forfeit score awarded to the other player/team for seeding and countbacks.