

BARBADOS TENNIS ASSOCIATION

FORTRESS\NASSCO JUNIOR CHRISTMAS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

DECEMBER 2019

EVENTS: Boys & Girls Under 12, 14, 16 & 18 - Singles & Doubles
 Prizes will be awarded to overall winners and runners-up. Players will be awarded ranking points. Additional singles (Race of Champions) prizes will be awarded to overall winner in each age category of this tournament whose combined rankings points is highest, including combining the points with the two Fortress Nassco tournaments held in 2019.

DATES: **TUESDAY DECEMBER 3, 2019 - SUNDAY DECEMBER 15, 2019**
(MOST MATCHES WILL BE PLAYED ON WEEKENDS)

OFFICIALS: Tournament Director – Marie-Jeanne Symmonds (231-4992)
 Assistant Directors - Andrew Thornton (252-2351) and Rand St. John (253-6417)
 Tournament Referee - Julian Baird with Assistant Referee – Christian Maxwell

VENUE: National Tennis Centre, Wildey, St Michael - Tel # 427-5300

FEES: \$35 for all events entered – see Age Group Eligibility (below)

ENTRIES TO: All entries must be submitted by the entry deadline. No telephone entries will be accepted. Entries are to be submitted to the **BTA's NEW EMAIL ADDRESS tennisbarbados@gmail.com** as an email attachment, OR by hard copy to the Tournament Referee at the National Tennis Centre. All entries must include a valid cell number to be used as the contact number – all entries must include a valid cell number to be used as main whatsapp contact number.

AGE GROUP ELIGIBILITY: Players must be at least 10 years of age on the first day of play of a tournament in order to participate in Under 14. ● Players must be at least 12 years of age on the first day of play in order to participate in Under 16. ● Players must be at least 13 years of age on the first day of play in order to participate in Under 18. ● Players may enter a **maximum of 4 events in Singles or Doubles in 2 continuous age groups.**

ENTRY DEADLINE: **Thursday November 28th 2019 at 6pm (for singles & doubles).** Entries must be accompanied by correct entry fees. NO ENTRY WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT A COMPLETED FORM. (submit entire page). All entries must include a valid cell phone number for receiving WHATSAPP's (if a cell number was previously provided you must state if the number on the entry form is a NEW number).

Players who have not paid entry fees will not be entitled to receive ranking points – you must receive a BTA receipt as confirmation of payment.

BTA - MEMBERSHIP: All Juniors must be financial members of the Barbados Tennis Association to take part in this tournament. New members must submit membership applications, subscriptions and entry fees at the time of entering the tournament so that entries may be processed before the start of the tournament.

TIMES OF PLAY: Matches will COMMENCE on weekends (and days with no school) between 8am & 5pm (and on week days between 4 & 615pm)

The FINAL Order of Play will be sent by WHATSAPP by 8pm each night but parents\players are responsible for checking with referee when on site or with M-J Symmonds on WhatsApp if not received.

Players must request permission, prior to the start of the tournament, from M-J Symmonds for consideration by the Tournament Committee, for any time which they are unable to play. Exceptions will only be made if players are available the majority of time including on both weekend days.

RANKING & RULES : This tournament will be an official Barbados Tennis Association ranking tournament. The ITF Junior Rules and Code of Conduct will be enforced. The 15 minute default rule will be strictly enforced.

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DECEMBER 2019 PLAYER REGISTRATION								U12		U14		U16		U18	
Family Name	First Name	Date of Birth DD-MM-YY	Male\ Female			Singles	Dbls	Singles	Dbls	Singles	Dbls	Singles	Dbls		
EMAIL:	WHATAPP CELL#: Is it a new #?	HOME#:	Partner->				Partner->								

I agree to abide by the Rules of the Tournament. I agree that neither Barbados Tennis Association, Sponsors, Tournament Officials nor Organizers shall be liable for any loss or injury however caused that may occur during the Tournament.

I enclose \$..... Method of payment: **Cash** or **Cheque** payable to Barbados Tennis Association. (Circle one).

.....Signature of Player.....Signature of Parent/Guardian Date