



TENNIS – COMPETITOR NOTES

It is compulsory for all entrants in this event and their supporters to read this notice and comply with its stipulations. They are also responsible for familiarising themselves with the Event Location, Rules and all its hazards. Please inform your supporters of their responsibility to comply.

Signing your waiver or completing your online entry is an indication you agree to comply with these guidelines.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY

- 🚫 You are responsible for your own health and safety during the event.
- 🚫 You should only undertake to participate in this event if you believe that you are fit to do so.
- 🚫 At no stage during this event should you engage in activity that would threaten your own safety and the safety of other people.
- 🚫 You should obey marshal and Event Staff where they are instructing you for your safety.
- 🚫 Marshals, Officials and Referee's are giving up their time to help you, please treat them with respect. If you have any issues with a Marshals, Officials and Referee's conduct please do not approach them independently – please refer to the Event Manager.

GENERAL NOTES

- 🚫 The roads are open for all normal traffic but should not impact on the Tennis event.
- 🚫 Competitors must behave in a manner that is safe, fair and demonstrates good sports conduct before, during and after their games.
- 🚫 Please report any accidents to the Event Director or marshal during the event.
- 🚫 Please give assistance to fellow competitors in need of help.
- 🚫 If your match has finished, please have consideration for others still playing.
- 🚫 Dogs must not accompany competitors or marshals in position in this event.

GAMES REGISTRATION

All participants are required to check in at the Registration Desk at the Games Hub (Rotorua Energy Events Centre) in person before playing sports or taking part in an activity.

For safety and security, we cannot accept someone checking you in on your behalf. This includes Teams. Each Team Member is required to check in individually at the Games Registration.

VENUE

The venue for the Tennis Event is Rotorua Tennis Club, Manuka Crescent, Rotorua.

PARKING

Parking is provided at the Venue. There is sufficient parking available for competitors and spectators.

EVENT CHECK-IN

Participants will be required to Check-in for the Tennis Competition at Rotorua Tennis Club at the following times / dates:


Tuesday 7th March 2023 – 8.30am

Wednesday 8th March 2023 – 8.30am

Thursday 9th March 2023 - 8.30am

COMPETITION RULES

Competitions

-  Men's Singles
-  Ladies Singles
-  Men's Doubles
-  Ladies Doubles
-  Mixed Doubles

Competition Format

Singles – Open Competition

- 🚫 This will be a knockout format – “best of 3 sets’ – at 1 set all – Super Tie Break, first to 10 points.
- 🚫 For those knocked out in the Open matches first round (possibly second round, depending on numbers) a plate event will be held in Round Robin Format.

Singles & Doubles – Age Group Competition

- 🚫 This will be Round Robin Format, best of 9 games – standard tie break at 4 all.

Age Group Divisions

Individual – OPEN | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-59 | 60+

Doubles – OPEN | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-59 | 60+ (Based on youngest competitors age)

SCHEDULE OF PLAY / DRAW

The Schedule of Play / Draw for your competition will be available as soon as practicable after Registration for the Games closes on 10th February 2023.

The Draw will be available via the Games APP and Website.

SPECTATORS

Spectators are welcome to attend the Tennis Event. APES Games 2023 staff and the Tennis Event Team will strive to keep all spectators safe from harm, but all spectators are responsible for their own personal safety.

Here are some pointers to help spectators stay safe while watching the event:

- 🚫 Be responsible and keep your own safety in mind.
- 🚫 Always follow and obey marshal’s instructions.
- 🚫 Observe and follow all event signs.
- 🚫 Stay within designated spectator areas.
- 🚫 Do not enter any restricted areas. If you are unsure, please ask a marshal.
- 🚫 Children to be accompanied at all times.

PRIZE GIVING

Prize Giving will take place at the Games Hub, Rotorua Energy Events Centre between 5pm – 7pm on Thursday 9th March 2023. Full details of the medal ceremony will be provided once Games Registration closes on 10th February 2023.

KEY CONTACTS / INFORMATION

Name	Role/Organisation	Contact Number
Geoff Kaye-Ivitu	Event Manager / Sports Co-ordinator – Tennis	021 192 0184
Graham Perks	APES Games Sports Manager	021 191 3660

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Food and Drink will be available for purchase at the venue.

Physio & Strapping services are available through Go Physio (1221 Haupapa Street, Rotorua – Tel: 07 347 8380) who will be operating a Drop-in Clinic 7am – 5pm Monday 6th March – Friday 10th March 2023 - <https://gophysio.co.nz/>