

Itinerary

Sunday 24th to Tuesday 26th May

Players will have the opportunity to practice for 3 days before the tournament commences. If you are traveling on your own, the Tennis Professional will be able to arrange a hitting partner for you.

Wednesday 27th May

Let the tournament begin. Registration from 8 am and play commences at 9am. Matches scheduled throughout the day with the last commencing at 4.30pm.

Thursday 28th May

With the tournament well under way matches will commence at 8am and continue through until early evening. Welcome drinks and nibbles party will be held from 6:30pm to 9pm!!!! for all players and guests. The venue is to be advised. Party Time !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!.

Friday 29th May

Play will continue from 8am. We are now getting to some serious matches with many quarters final matches on offer. This evening feel free to enjoy many of the various hotels eating places as well as the new Port Denarau facilities.

Saturday 30th May

The best players are now going to fight out the Semi-finals. Some finals will be played today. If you are not playing perhaps you may wish to try your hand at a game of golf or whatever.

Sunday 31st May

The finals will be commencing at 8am with the singles finals to commence at 10am. The presentation will commence at 4pm. The prize giving presentation will commence at the conclusion of all final matches which is expected to be approximately 4pm. During the prize giving you will be able to relax having complimentary drinks and nibbles and hopefully start talking about next year's event. Please feel free to give constructive input on how we can "Make it Better".

Monday 1st June

A day in Reserve in the event of inclement weather as was the case in 2013 e.g. if some events need to be finished which only involve players from Fiji or overseas players who will be still at Denarau. We envisage that this day will only be required for play due to events that were beyond our control.

Tournament Rules and Conditions

1. The tournament Committee hereafter referred to as the 'committee' shall have the control and management of the tournament. Any matter not specifically covered by these conditions shall be resolved by the committee and that decision shall be final.
2. Entries must be completed on the prescribed entry form. Each player must complete an entry form, sign and return by the closing date.
3. All knock-out draw singles matches will be best of three tiebreak sets. Matches in any event may be reduced in length at the discretion of the committee.
4. All Knock-out draw doubles matches will be the best of three sets the first two tie break sets and the third set if required, a Match tie-break.
5. All round Robin events matches will be the best of 15 games with a tie break at 7 all. The winner of the match will be the first to win 8 games.
6. A five minutes warm-up will be allowed at the beginning of each match.
7. Play shall be Continuous until the match is completed.
8. The Committee reserves the right to cancel or postpone any event.
9. The committee reserves the right to cancel any event if insufficient entries are received and combine those entries with other events.
10. The committee may choose not to accept a player's entry in an event and transfer that player to another event without advising.
11. Events 23 – 27 are open to Social players. A social player is defined as a person who has not played in an open tournament previously, does not hold a ranking either local, state/province or national. The committee reserves the right to refuse entry into this event. You may not enter a social event if you are playing any open event. Juniors may also enter Social events.
12. Entrants in Veterans and Juniors events must be at least the relevant age by 4th June 2014 the committee reserves the right to ask for birth certificates
13. Entrants in junior events must be 15 years and 13 years and under as at the 4th June 2014.
14. Any player entering a doubles event without nominating a partner shall accept the partner allocated by the committee, but this does not impose any obligation on the committee to find a partner.
15. Players will be granted a minimum of thirty minutes break between matches.

16. All players must report to the tournament desk fifteen minutes prior to the scheduled time of their match. Any player not ready or refusing to play within fifteen minutes of their match being called will be defaulted.
17. All players must wear correct tennis attire. In the event of a dispute over attire, the final decision rests with the tournament committee.
18. Only players and approved officials are allowed inside the court enclosure during a match.
19. Players must be prepared to umpire if called upon to do so.
20. The referee shall be the sole judge as to whether the courts are fit to play on.
21. It is the players responsibility to ascertain the scheduled times and any changes for his/her matches.
22. Entrants agree to have photographs, motion pictures and video tapes taken of them during the tournament and assign to the committee the right to perpetuity to use such materials in any way without compensation.
23. All events will be a knockout. The committee may choose to play round robin events if minimal entries are received in any one event.
- 23 In the combined age doubles events no player should be more than 10 years younger than the combined age divided by 2.