
National Junior Ranking System

Purpose:

To lay out the guidelines for the use of the new National Ranking System, this will be effective as of January 1, 2012. The rankings developed through this system will be used as a reference point for the selection of players for trials or direct selection to represent Trinidad and Tobago. It may also be used to select players for National Training Programs and for nominating players for National Awards. The ranking system seeks to effectively rank Trinidad and Tobago players using tournaments which are most assessable.

Applicability:

This ranking system applies to players playing in Junior Tournaments, and takes into account results obtained from:

- Local Tournaments
 - National Junior Championships
 - Other TennisTT Sanctioned Junior Tournaments
 - TennisTT Junior Development Tournaments
- Regional Tournaments
 - COTECC
- International Tournaments
 - ITF Junior Tournaments

General Guidelines

1. Ranking points will be calculated on a 52 week roll-over cycle
2. Points will be computed beginning January 1st 2012
3. All tournaments played or completed after January 1st 2012 will be allocated ranking points based on this new system.
4. Points received from tournaments played in the 52 week cycle prior to January 1st 2012 will be allocated points according to the old ranking system.
5. Points will be awarded for both singles and doubles events and will be combined to form one score.
6. Points received from all local tournaments plus points from the top two (2) results received from ITF/COTECC tournaments will count towards a player's national ranking.
7. In instances where there is no 16's category in a tournament, players entering the 18's event will receive equal points towards their 16's and 18's rankings simultaneously where applicable.
8. In instances where there is no 12's category in a tournament, players entering the 14's event will receive equal points towards their 14's and 12's rankings simultaneously where applicable.
9. Points are only awarded to players who play and win a match in the main draw of a tournament and have reached a round in the tournament where points can be achieved.

10. For Round Robin categories (no main draw) winner, finalist, semi-finalist and quarter-finalist and R16 points will be awarded to the top 5 places provided that those players win at least one match in the round robin.
11. Citizen and residents of Trinidad and Tobago are eligible to obtain a ranking. Foreign citizens living continuously in Trinidad and Tobago for over 6 months must play a local sanction tournament to become eligible to obtain a local ranking.
12. Rankings will be updated within 7 days after each tournament where possible.

As of October 1st 2012