



COMPTONS TENNIS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

The Club Championships in 2021 will follow a similar format to our 2020 championships with an open, over 50s, 18U's age group events as well as an intermediate club standard event with all finals being played as part of a tennis festival day on September 26th. The event will run from May through to September with play by dates set for all draws. We will aim to provide 2 to 3 weeks between matches (where possible), dependant on size of draw, so hopefully more members can enter and matches can be fitted in around holidays, business trips etc.

When entering we ask that all adult members provide a self-rating (see below) and juniors provide an LTA rating. This helps with the seeding of the draws and finding similar standard partners if required.

Depending on the size of the entries for each event we may run a round robin leading into a knock-out draw, a straight knock out with a play back draw or a round robin event with the top two players going through to compete on finals day. All players will be guaranteed a minimum of 2 matches for each event.

Summary of the Draw

Event will run from Monday 24th May 2021.

Finals day will be Sunday 26th September 2021.

Entry form closing date Monday 17th May, 2021.

Entry Fees – Singles £4, Doubles £8 per team per event

Scoring format – Best of 3 sets (2 normal sets and a Match Tie Break as a 3rd Set)

Rough Play by Dates – Last 32 (21st June), Last 16 (19th July), Last 8 (9th August),

Semi Finals (12th September), Finals 26th September

To enter you must be available to play on finals day and committed to complete matches by the play by dates that will be set between May and September.

If you have any questions please contact Rhys Hanger, Head Coach on jrog2@sky.com



CLUB SELF RATING

Please read all the categories below and then rate yourself. Try to think in qualitative terms regarding your current level of skill, and compare yourself with our general membership, not solely with your regular group of playing partners.

Self Rating **Description**

- 1 A player who is learning to play fundamental strokes and may be able to sustain a short rally of slow pace, aiming to reach basic club standard
- 2 A player of basic club standard who can play all shots with moderate success; can sustain a rally of slow pace but is not comfortable with all strokes and lacks some control. Can start to play points and score.
- 3 A player of intermediate club standard who has achieved ground stroke dependability and direction on shots, but still lacks depth and variety; can serve consistently, play forehand volleys and lobs; can play good basic doubles.
- 4 A player of an advanced club standard who has achieved ground stroke dependability and direction on shots and better control of depth and variety; can serve consistently, play forehand volleys, backhand volleys, and lobs; can play a good competitive game of doubles.
- 5 Club 3rd, 4th team standard
- 6 Club 1st and 2nd team standard



**TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020
ENTRY FORM**

Full name: _____ **Self-rating (must be completed):** _____

BTM number (if have one): _____

Please see club self-rating system for explanations of what each self-rating level is. Self-rating helps with the seeding for each event and also allows the organiser to match you up with an appropriate doubles partner of a similar standard where necessary.

Please indicate events you wish to enter by ticking the relevant boxes and listing your partner(s). If you would like to enter a doubles event but you don't have a partner, write "partner required" and we will try to match you appropriately.

Members can enter a maximum of 4 events

OPEN EVENTS

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| 1. Men's Singles | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 2. Men's Doubles | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |
| 3. Ladies Singles | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 4. Ladies Doubles | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |
| 5. Mixed Doubles | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |

AGE GROUP & STANDARD BASED EVENTS

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| 6. Mens Singles O50* | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 7. Ladies Singles O50* | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 8. Men's Doubles O50* | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |
| 9. Ladies Doubles O50* | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |
| 10. Mixed Doubles O50* | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |

**N.B players must reach the minimum age on 31/12/2021. For doubles both players must be in the age group*

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| 11. Boys 18U Singles** | <input type="checkbox"/> | LTA Rating _____ |
| 12. Girls 18U Singles** | <input type="checkbox"/> | LTA Rating _____ |

***N.B Players must be born in 2003 – 2010 to enter the 18U singles event, able to compete on a full court*

CLUB RATING 2 – 3***

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| 13. Men's Doubles 2 - 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |
| 14. Ladies Doubles 2 - 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |
| 15. Mixed Doubles 2 - 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> | PARTNER: _____ Self Rating _____ |

****N.B Players who are a self-club rating of 2 & 3 (see club rating details on entry form above)*

The WHOLE form must be returned to Rhys Hanger no later than May 17th. You can either complete this form, place in envelope with entry fee and push it under the coaches office door or email the completed form to jrog2@sky.com. On-line payments to Julie Hanger SC 070116 Acc 42086170 – please use your CCC & surname as the reference. No late entries can be accepted.