

# CRITERIA FOR THE AUSTRALIAN SENIORS NATIONAL SINGLES RANKING SYSTEM.



Players **MUST** notify the National Singles Ranking Coordinator Gail Bates when they compete in an ITF International (Overseas) Seniors Tournament for their points to be added to the Australian Seniors Singles Ranking System.

## SINGLES CRITERIA – updated March 2011.

- Calculated on a 12 month rolling system with quarterly updates in February, May, August & November.
- The system will include all Australian players who compete in ITF and State Seniors Tournaments in Australia plus a selected number of State/Division Tournaments endorsed by the TSA Executive.
- Included also will be, International ITF Seniors tournaments including the ITF World Championships and ITF World Team Cup Events, plus Tennis Australia Open tournaments.
- Points gained in International ITF Seniors tournaments will be recorded exactly as ITF award points.
- Points gained in Tennis Australia Open tournaments will be recorded as one result.
- A Players ranking will be calculated on their Best 4 Results.
- In Seniors tournaments played in Australia, points will be awarded to all rounds, irrespective of the number of players in the event.
- A player must physically win a match to receive Ranking Points.
- Byes and first round walkovers are not considered as winning a match.
- First match losers will receive Participation Points allocated on a sliding scale to the Grade of the tournament. (see scale below)
- Players who enter an event but withdraw due to injury/illness etc. will be allocated 0 points and will be recorded as one tournament entered.
- Points will be awarded to a player in his/her current age group, irrespective of which age group the points were gained.
- When a player moves into the next age group his/her points from the previous age group will move with them.
- When a player competes in two singles events at the same tournament, this will be recorded as two separate results.
- The TSA Points System will follow along the same lines as the ITF points system, however it will be extended to all rounds of the event for tournaments played in Australia.
- **National Senior Round Robin Events** – National 6 – players will receive 4 points per set per win and National 7 - players will receive 3 points per set per win.

### SINGLES POINTS PER PLAYER

2011 Points System	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Knock Out Events	ITF	ITF	ITF	ITF	ITF	Nat	Nat
Winner	180	120	80	60	40	40	30
Runner-up	120	80	60	30	20	20	15
Semi-finalist	80	50	30	20	10	10	7
Quarter-finalist	60	30	20	10	5	5	4
Loser in last 16	30	20	10	5	4	4	3
Loser in last 32	10	10	5	4	3	3	2
Loser in last 64	5	3	4	3	2	2	1
Participation Points	3	2	2	1	0.5	0.5	0.25

2011 Points System	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Round Robin Events	ITF	ITF	ITF	ITF	ITF	Nat	Nat
Points per win	30	20	10	5	4	4	3
Participation Points	3	2	2	1	0.5	0.5	0.25

TSA request players check that his/her Seniors Ranking is correct. Any perceived anomalies, incorrect spelling, change of State, incorrect year of birth or queries regarding the SR should be emailed to Gail Bates at [maxgailbates@bigpond.com](mailto:maxgailbates@bigpond.com) or phone (07) 3264 3556 or mobile 0409 639124. All changes will be updated and included in the next Ranking List.