



## **NB & NS OPEN TOURNAMENT CIRCUIT – PLAYER BONUS**

Tennis NS and Tennis NB are pleased to be partnering again on a coordinated Open Tournament Circuit for the 2026 Summer Season.

The results from the men's and women's singles open draws from the following 8 tournaments will count for players towards a summer ending player bonus. Based on the points chart below, the players (one male/one female) with the most accumulated points after the completion of the final event will be awarded a \$1,000 bonus.

### **2026 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

NB – Shediac Open – May 22-24, Shediac, NB

NS – Bedford Open – June 4-13, Bedford, NS

NB – East Coast Open – June 26-28, Dieppe, NB

NS – SATC Open – July 10-12, Bedford, NS

NB – NB Open – July 23-26, Rothesay, NB

NS – St. Georges Open – July 31-August 2, Dartmouth, NS

NB – Chaleur Open – August 21-23, Petit-Rocher, NB

NS – NS Open – August 21-30, Halifax, NS (Open singles at NS Open will not begin before Mon, Aug. 24)

#### **Points Breakdown:**

Winner: 100 (Win in the finals)

Runner-Up: 80 (Win a round of 4 (semi-final) and lose in the finals)

Semi Finalist: 60 (Win a round of 8 (quarter final) and lose in the semi-finals)

Quarter Finalist: 40 (Win a round of 16 and lose in the quarter finals)

Round of 16: 30 (Win a round of 32 and lose in a round of 16 match)

Round of 32: 20 (Win a round of 64 and lose in a round of 32 match)

Participation: 10 (Lose first match in any size draw)

Point allocation will be based on the following principles;

1. a player must win a match to be eligible for additional points (first match walkover/default does not count as a win, retirement will count as a win)
2. there are no points for any consolation play that might be included in the tournament
3. for the purposes of this initiative, all tournaments are allocated points at the same level regardless of the NB ranking level/prize money amount etc.
4. all 8 events will count, so the more you play the more points you can access
5. tournaments will be organized by the respective organization as in past years and will still offer prizes etc. as in previous years
6. a player points standing will be maintained and updated after each event and will be posted on provincial tennis websites
7. if there is a tie at the top at the completion of the 8 events, the following will be used in order to break the tie:
  - a. most tournament wins
  - b. most tournament runner-ups
  - c. most tournament semi finals
  - d. most head to head match wins
  - e. flip coin/share award