

## CENTRAL QUEENSLAND CIRCUIT FINAL

To qualify, players must play a minimum of four circuit tournaments, ITN Events are counted as circuit tournaments.

### **CQ CIRCUIT - QLD JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT SERIES FINALS (CENTRAL REPRESENTATIVE TEAM):**

The boy and girl winners of the CQ Circuit Finals in age groups 11, 13, 15 and 17 will represent the circuit at the "QLD Junior Development Series State Finals". If the winner of the Finals is the same player as the winner of the Circuit, the runner up of the circuit will represent the CQ Circuit at the "QLD Junior Development Series State Finals". The leading boy and girl on points at the conclusion of the CQ JDS Circuit in the 11, 13, 15 & 17 age groups will also represent the CQ Circuit in the "QLD Junior Development Series State Finals" to be played in Rockhampton on 12th & 13th October 2024. A manager/coach will accompany the team.

### **MAJOR PRIZE:**

All winners of the Circuit Finals 11/u, 13/u, 15/u & 17/u will receive a voucher to the value of \$100.00. All winners of the Circuit (on points) 11/u, 13/u, 15/u & 17/u will receive a voucher to the value of \$200.00, only one prize per player. If a player wins more than one age group a maximum of \$300.00 can be won. These vouchers are to be used for tennis related activities.

Players have to play the following events (in one age group) to qualify for the Major Prize; two A+, one A, one C and one B (ITN) Event. The player's best results in each of these categories will be used to determine the winner. If players have equal points, then their "head to head" results will be used to determine the winner. Although it is compulsory to play (one) B (ITN) event to win the Major Circuit Prizes, No points will be awarded in these Events.

### **PLAYER OF MONTH:**

Five, monthly grants of \$100.00 towards tennis related costs (e.g. coaching), will be awarded to players during the Circuit Finals. This award is flexible in application in that it may be given for winning but may also be presented for reasons such as good sportsmanship, behaviour, improvement, etc. To be considered for a Player of Month Award the player must have competed in at least five circuit tournaments and have also won at least one Junior Development Series tournament. Players must also complete a nomination form and return it to the Circuit Management Committee by the Monday before the Circuit Finals on 5th October, 2024.

### **PLAYER OF YEAR:**

At the completion of the Circuit, a Player of the Year grant of \$500.00 towards tennis related costs, (e.g. Coaching), will be awarded in addition to the Gareth Wroe Memorial Cup. To be considered for the Player of the Year Award, players must have competed in at least five circuit tournaments and have also won at least one Junior Development Series tournament. Players must also complete a nomination form and return it to the Circuit Management Committee by the Monday before the Circuit Finals on 5th October, 2024.

### **SPORTSMANSHIP AWARDS:**

A player at each CQ Junior Development Series Circuit event will be selected to win a Sportsmanship Award. This award will be selected by the CQ Junior Development Series Management Committee and presented to the winner at the CQ Junior Development Series Circuit Finals. The winner will receive a \$100.00 grant to go towards tennis related costs, (e.g. coaching).

### **LUCKY PLAYERS PRIZES:**

Eight Lucky Players prizes will be awarded at each CQ Junior Development Series Circuit event in 2024. These lucky player prizes will be distributed evenly amongst each age group. These prizes will be given to players who have not won major prizes at the event.

### **QLD JUNIOR TEAMS CARNIVAL IN BRISBANE IN DECEMBER:**

To represent the Central Region at the Qld Junior Teams Carnival in Brisbane in December, players must have played in at least one CQ Junior Development Series Circuit tournament and also must nominate their interest to be selected at the CQ Junior Development Series Circuit Finals held in Rockhampton on 5th & 6th October, 2024. Players will be selected based on their overall performance throughout the year and results from the CQ Junior Development Series Circuit tournaments and also Australian Ranking (AR) tournaments. With 6 boys and 6 girls in each age division for 11/u, 13/u, 15/u & 17/u age groups, 48 players in total will represent our region against the best in Queensland.