# 2017 WOMEN'S CIRCUIT FACT SHEET

### \$60,000 LAUNCESTON, AUS

Date: 6 February - 12 February 2017

US\$60,000

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### **Hotel Information**

# See ITF IPIN website for hotel information

## **Travel Guidelines**

**Nearest Airport:** 

Launceston Airport (LST) - 16km to hotel/site

Airport Transfers:

\*Approx cost of taxi 35 AUD

**Nearest Train Station:** 

Train Station Transfers:

No trains in Launceston

Additional Information:

Combined with ATP tournament

\*\*Alternative transport: www.launcestonairport.com.au/shuttle Information: www.destinationlaunceston.com.au\* \*Women's doubles qualifying will be played after the completion of doubles sign-in. Practice balls will be available on-site from the day before qualifying. Prior to this day they will be available for purchase at the host venue. Players are advised that they may be called upon to attend event functions and media interviews. Prizemoney will be paid in AUD Bank Cheque. Draws, order of play and other circuit tournament information and local guide and visitor information available on www.tennis.com.au/protour.

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\*\*VISA:Visas are required for all international competitors, border.gov.au for visa applications. Need to select "invitied for other scoial/cultural activity" - do not select sporting activities. Email tournaments@tennis.com.au for invitation letter. Visa applications require a copy of health insurance details, copy of passport and the invitation letter from us. Visa applications may take up to 4 weeks to be processed.cost varies.

### **Tournament Information**

Singles Entry Deadline:

Thu 19th January 2017 by 14:00GMT

Withdrawal Deadline:

Tue 24th January 2017 by 14:00GMT

Singles Qualifying

Size:

Singles Main Draw

32

Size:

32

Dates: Sian-In: 5 - 7 February 2017 Sat 4 Feb before 18.00 local t Dates:

7 - 12 February 2017

#### **Doubles Main Draw**

Size:

16

Dates:

Surface:

7 - 11 February 2017

Sign-In:

12.00 noon day before Singles Match Tie Break & No-Ad Scoring

Match Scoring:

Hard (Outdoor) - Plexipave

Wilson Australian Open (Type 2)

Prize Money Paid In:

AUD; Australian Dollar (CHEQUE)

Tax Deductions:

No

Official Ball: Social Events:

**Entry Fee:** 

50 AUD

PHCP:

Housing:

Hospitality:

No

No

### **Additional Information**

Each player entrant agrees, as a condition of entry, to abide by and be subject to the ITF Pro Circuit Rules and Regulations. All players who compete in ITF Pro Circuit tournaments must have a valid IPIN and sign-up to the IPIN Online Service, for which an annual IPIN Fee is payable (US\$65.00 in 2017). Failure by a player to fulfil these requirements will result in the rejection of that player's entry.

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WTA Tour ranked players may download a visa invitation letter from their IPIN account. All other players should contact the host National Association.

All entries and withdrawals must be submitted online or on the Official Forms in writing and sent to the ITF. Emails are not accepted.

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Player Acceptance Lists and Fact Sheets are available from the ITF Website: www.itftennis.com