

2018 WOMEN'S CIRCUIT FACT SHEET

\$25,000 TOOWOOMBA, AUS

Date: 8 October - 14 October 2018

US\$25,000



National Association

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Site Information

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Entry Deadline:	Thu 20th September 2018 by 14:00GMT
Withdrawal Deadline:	Tue 25th September 2018 by 14:00GMT

Singles MAIN DRAW

Size: 32
Dates: 9 - 14 October 2018
Sign-In:

Singles QUALIFYING

Size: 64
Dates: 7 - 8 October 2018
Sign-In: Sat 6 Oct before 18.00 local t

Doubles MAIN DRAW

Size: 16
Dates: 9 - 12 October 2018
Sign-In: 12:00 NOON THE DAY BEFORE SING

Hotel Information

See ITF IPIN website for hotel information

Additional Information:	<p>*Dinner also included</p> <p>*Reservation deadline 25 Sept</p> <p>*On Site short term accommodation at 88 AUD per person per night - includes bed, breakfast and dinner - maximum of 1 person per room with either individual or shared bathroom. Check HBTI Website or tennis.com.au/protour for information sheet regarding online bookings or contact USQ direct for more information.</p>
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Travel Guidelines

Nearest Airport:	Toowoomba - Brisbane West Wellcamp (WTB) - 21 km to hotel / 20 km to site
Airport Transfers:	Free Shuttle bus between Airport and Tennis Centre - Pick-up to be organised prior to arrival/departure. Approx cost for taxi: 20 AUD. Public transport: 35 AUD
Nearest Train Station:	N/A
Train Station Transfers:	
Additional Information:	<p>Visa requirements: Temporary Work Short-stay Activity (Subclass 408), the cost is from 285 AUD. Contact details: tournaments@tennis.com.au. Deadline: ASAP. Visas are required for all international competitors AND coaches, trainers, physios or anyone travelling with the player on a work basis. Go to border.gov.au for visa applications. Need to select "invited for other social/cultural activity" - do not select sporting activities. Email tournaments@tennis.com.au for invitation letter. Visa applications may require a copy of health insurance details, copy of passport and the invitation letter from Tennis Australia. Visa applications may take up to 4 weeks to be processed.</p> <p>*From Toowoomba Bus Station take taxi. Approx cost 10 AUD, 20 minute walk.</p> <p>*Road directions from Toowoomba CBD - head south on Ruthven Street for 3.5 kms. Turn right onto Stenner Street and continue for 1 km. Turn left onto West Street and continue for 2 kms. Turn right onto Baker Street and venue is 500 metres on left.</p> <p>*Brisbane Airport to Toowoomba - Murray's Bus or Greyhound Bus (\$49), Airport Flyer (\$89)</p> <p>*Flights - Toowoomba to and from Sydney and Melbourne are available - www.airnorth.com.au or www.qantas.com.au. Other options from Brisbane - Murrays Bus (www.murrays.com.au), Greyhound bus (www.greyhound.com.au) or The Airport Flyer bus (www.theairportflyer.com.au).</p> <p>*Local tourist information: www.southernqueenslandcountry.com.au or www.visitdarlingdowns.com.au</p>

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Match Scoring:	Match Tie Break & No-Ad Scoring		
Surface:	Hard (Outdoor) - Plexipave	Prize Money Paid In:	AUD, Australian Dollar (cheque)
Official Ball:	Dunlop	Tax Deductions:	No
Social Events:	Inspire Players Welcome Party Sunday October 7 - more info on site		
Entry Fee:	50 AUD	PHCP:	Mel Platt
Hospitality:	No	Housing:	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 2018). Failure by a player to fulfil these requirements will result in the rejection of that player's entry.

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*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 and court hire fees will apply. 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, local guide and visitor information and accommodation available on www.tennis.com.au/protour or www.toowoombatennisinternational.com. Women's doubles qualifying will be played after doubles sign-in has closed.

*Combined with men's



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

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