***Most Outstanding Tournament***

Award period: 1 September 2021 – 31 August 2022.

Eligibility criteria

To be eligible for consideration for the Most Outstanding Tournament, the tournament must show that it:

* Held the final day of the tournament between the award period
* Is delivered by or at a club/centre affiliated with Tennis Victoria

Assessment criteria

The selection panel will consider the following in assessing nominations:

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| **No.**  | **Description** |
| 1 | The overall quality of the event delivered, ensuring an outstanding experience for athletes, coaches, parents and officials. (Include the level of pro-activity shown by the event committee and the success of the pro-active actions) |
| 2 | Use a tournament software program and integrated online registration system in coordinating their event to ensure efficient administration  |
| 3 | The type, volume and level of success of media and promotional activities undertaken |
| 4 | The type of social activities and the standard of player amenities provided, and how this contributed to a positive event atmosphere |
| 5 | The standard of the event sponsorship program and the level of service provided to the sponsors  |
| 6 | Implementation of initiatives during the event that has the potential to positively impact the local tennis community year-round including reinvestment to the event/venue (e.g. recruitment of local officials, awards based on player values, behaviour and culture, not just performance)  |
| 7 | Demonstrated commitment to quality customer service throughout the event, as well as leadership, innovation and creativity |
| 8 | Supporting comments from participating players/parents/coaches to support the above implementation is preferred  |

**All** nominations for the 2022 Victorian Tennis Awards are to be submitted online via [the Tennis Victoria website.](https://www.tennis.com.au/vic/news-and-events/victoriantennisawards/overview)

**The nomination form on page 3 of this document must be completed for your nomination to be assessed**.

Only information provided in the nomination forms and the supporting information attached to the submission will be considered by the selection panel.  For nomination forms and relevant supporting information to be considered, proposers **must** submit this information via the online portal. A maximum of four (4) attachments may be submitted. One **must** be a high-resolution photo of the nominee. If the nomination is named as a finalist, this image will be used for event collateral related to the Victorian Tennis Awards.

Tennis Victoria reserves the right to submit nominations for each award category.

All decisions in relation to the 2022 Victorian Tennis Awards (including any questions in relation to eligibility) will be determined by the selection panel in its absolute discretion.  All decisions are final, and no correspondence will be entered into.

Timeline

* The award period is 1 September 2021 – 31 August 2022
* Nominations Open – Tuesday 9 August 2022
* Nominations Close – 2pm on Monday 29 August 2022
* All finalists will be notified in writing on Thursday 15 September 2022
* Awards will be presented at the Victorian Tennis Awards on Thursday 27 October 2022

Requirements of award recipients

Finalists will be entitled to two (2) free of charge tickets to attend the Victorian Tennis Awards event. Further tickets will be available for purchase subject to capacity.

Successful recipients may be required to participate in marketing and promotional activities in the 12 months following the award.

The winner of this award will be nominated for the national Most Outstanding Event Award to be presented at the 2022 Newcombe Medal (Australian Tennis Awards).

***Nomination form***

Provide your responses below, addressing the criteria.

Please limit responses to strictly 300 words per criteria. Award judges will not assess nomination material which go outside of these parameters.

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| **Nominee:**  | Enter nominee name here |

**Eligibility Criteria:**

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| The nominee successfully meets all Eligibility criteria set out for this award  | [ ] Yes [ ]  No |

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| Yes [ ]  No [ ]  |
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\*\* Complete responses in space provided above and attach supporting documentation separately\*\*