



TENNIS VICTORIA AFFILIATION
2023/24



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WELCOME TO 2023/24

At Tennis Victoria our purpose is to create safe, inclusive and thriving Victorian tennis communities, enabling more people to play more often. We know that this is not possible alone, and are committed to empowering each club/centre, association, and broader delivery network, which will always be #BetterTogether.

Affiliating with Tennis Victoria provides access to specialised support services and programs to assist you in your delivery of tennis, and confirms a commitment to good governance, and working together for the growth of tennis in our state.

Our team here at Tennis Victoria are here to help you succeed in your local environment, and foster safe, inclusive, and playful tennis opportunities and experiences for all.

THIS GUIDE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF:



AFFILIATION CATEGORIES



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AFFILIATION CATEGORIES

As per Tennis Victoria's Constitution & By-Laws, a tennis body or organisation may affiliate in one of the following categories:

ASSOCIATION	An incorporated body comprised of three or more association member clubs for the purpose of competitions
CLUB/CENTRE	Club: An incorporated body comprised of club members
	Centre: Professionally administered tennis business/venue with formal business registration
	Restricted Associate: Unincorporated church-based clubs who operate under the auspice of their church
	Professional Club Business: A tennis club within the state of Victoria with a recurring average annual operating revenue over the preceding three financial years in excess of \$1,000,000 and with 3,000 or more members and 20 courts or more, in the previous financial year
ASSOCIATE	An entity that operates as a representative or advocacy body for tennis, and typically will not be based at one venue
SPECIALIST BODY	Refers to specific tennis organisations - TCAV and TSV

AFFILIATION BENEFITS

Our dedicated team at Tennis Victoria can assist you with access to a range of products and services, and provide support and advice where required to help grow and promote our sport.

	ASSOCIATIONS	CLUB/CENTRES	RESTRICTED ASSOCIATES	ASSOCIATE AFFILIATES	SPECIALIST BODIES
GOVERNANCE & ADMINISTRATION					
State Body Recognition	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Tennis Australia National Insurance Program	✓	✓	Coverage varies	✓	✓
Voting Rights	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗
Tennis Australia National Policies	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SUPPORT & DEVELOPMENT					
Dedicated Club Development Officer Support	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗
Dedicated Association Manager Support	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗
Access to Specialist Tennis Victoria Staff	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Operational Health Checks & Action Plans	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Digital Systems Access & Support	✓	✓	✓	Additional costs apply	✗
Funding & Grant Writing Support	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Eligible for Tennis Australia Funding Programs	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Local Government Advice & Support	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
EDUCATION & RECOGNITION					
Workshops & Forums	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Access to The Clubhouse - online resource hub	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Eligible for Reward & Recognition Program	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
COMPETITIVE PLAY					
Enter Tennis Victoria Endorsed Leagues & Events	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Host Endorsed Leagues & Events	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
COMMUNICATIONS & MARKETING					
Monthly Newsletters	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Local Area Marketing Resources	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
AO Presale Access for Club Members	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Grand Slam Ballot Access for Club Members	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

2023/24 FEES

As per Tennis Victoria's By-Laws, the fees for 2023/24 are as follows:

NEW AFFILIATES

New Affiliate Joining Fee	\$249*
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**Cost may vary where the Affiliate is required to pay additional costs for access to services not included as part of their Affiliation Category*

ASSOCIATION

	Metro	Country
Small (3-29 member clubs)	\$870	\$670
Large (30+ member clubs)	\$1,725	\$1,320

CLUB/CENTRE (INCLUDING RESTRICTED ASSOCIATE)

	Metro	Country
1 - 4 Courts	\$1,170	\$655
5 - 9 Courts	\$1,800	\$985
10+ Courts	\$4,695	-
10 - 19 Courts	-	\$1,830
20+ Courts	-	\$2,970

OTHER BODIES (ASSOCIATE AFFILIATES & SPECIALIST BODIES)

Associate* & Specialist Body	\$1,170
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**Where the Associate Affiliate has tenure over tennis courts, their affiliation fee is the equivalent fee that they would pay if they were eligible to affiliate as a Club, or if they do not have ownership or tenure over tennis courts, a flat fee equivalent to the fee paid by a Metropolitan Club with 1-4 courts*

