 



SPECIAL TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

MELBOURN CUP by TEN-PRO Global Junior Tour, 13-19 January 2020

GENERAL REGULATIONS

1. The TEN-PRO organizes MELBOURN CUP by TEN-PRO Global Junior Tour (here in after called MC-TP) for the age categories U10 , U11, U12 , U13 , U14 , U15.

2. TEN-PRO tournament rules and regulations, the general regulations, apply for this tournament.

4 or 8 MATCHES GUARANTEED FOR EVERY PARTICIPANT **\***

**\***The TEN-PRO Management guarante every participant 4 matches during the tournament and 8 matches when playing in 2 age categories (the same applies also for players from qualifying). However, in case of force majeure such as rainy weather, a walk-over, an injury of the opponents or something else unpredictable it is possible that we can’t guarantee the minimum of 4 or 8 matches per age category.

In that case the TEN-PRO Management will try their utmost to arrange and plan another alternative (practice) match. Participants have no right to appeal against the above decision.

3. The MC-TP will be played from Monday 13th to and incl. Sunday 19th of January 2020.

4. The following age categories are going to play: U10, U11, U12 , U13 , U14 , U15.

(Players born from 2005 to 2012 are allowed to ply on this tournament)

5. The winners of the semi-finals play the A-final. The losers of the semi-finals play the B-final.

6. All matches are best of three. A tiebreak is played at 6 – 6 in all sets.

REGISTRATION and ACCEPTANCE

7. Registration for MC-TP only by e-mail: proglobus@live.nl in the name of Goran Novakovic.

**4 matches guaranteed or 8 matches for registration in two categories \*** See rule 1

**This request should be send to** proglobus@live.nl **for the attention of Goran Novakovic.**

8. The closing date for registration is fixed on January 03rd 2020 at 14.00. **providing the maximum number of players hasn’t reached yet at that time!**

9. Participants are to be stand by on the dates and the times mentioned in these tournament regulations.

10. Acceptance on the basis of the acceptance criteria of TEN-PRO Global Junior Tour.

11. The entry fee is € 135,00 (AUD 215,00) per participant (per category), A discount of € 20,- (AUD 35,-) can be offered for players playing 2 categories. Participation is only possible if the parent/guardian agrees to the method of payment and that the payment is made to Ten-Pro within 7 days after being requested.

12. Participants are obliged to pay the registration fee for each discipline in which they are accepted, independent of participation.

13. In case of absence TEN-PRO (Tel. + 31 6 22 11 88 57) should be informed as soon as possible.

14. Standbies for all age categories can be called up until the draw for the MC-TP. Standbies are called up on the basis of TEN-PRO tournament regulations.

SEEDING, DRAW and START

15. Seeding (If there are any) takes place before the start of the matches of MC-TP with in the Ten-Pro’s technical staff’s responsibility.

16. The draw for each age category is at the latest on the day prior to the first day of play for the age category concerned.

17. The result of the draw, the scheduled starting times of the first roundand the scheme of who plays on which court are published on [www.tournamentsoftware.com](http://www.tournamentsoftware.com) or on [www.ten-pro.net](http://www.ten-pro.net)

18 Prior to the first match the participant doesn’t get a written notice, a notice by telephone or a notice by e-mail. The participant is informed about further matches during the tournament. The participant has to report at the desk to get the necessary information.

19. For each day of the match those in charge of the tournament drawup an order of play. Participants themselves are responsible for the progress of the matches and have to report to those in charge, ready to play as soon as the courts allotted to them are free. ‘Ready to play’ means: all preparations should then be made and the participants should be able to start the matches immediately.

20. A participant has to report at the desk immediately after having arrived at the tennis courts and this should be done at least 30 minutes before the start of the match.

21. Participants are obliged to hand over their passports or id-cards to the management of the tournament prior to play in gtheir first matches, when they are asked to do so. Participants who check in too late are disqualified, unless the management decides otherwise.

22. The matches start at 8.00 a.m. every day. The last matches of the day start no later than 9.00 p.m.

23. Should a participant not be ready to play 5 minutes after being called up by the management or should he not be ready to play when the, as per order of play,allotted court is free, the match is won by the opponent. In exceptional cases, the management could deviate from this particular regulation andc ouldallow the match in question to be played.

24. Participants are obliged to start playing the match at the by the management appointed time, even if there is no umpire. The umpire, appointed by the head-umpire or by the management has to be accepted by the participants.

25. Possible alterations in the order of play, the days of the matches or the play ingtimes during the MC-TP, can be found on [www.ten-pro.net](http://www.ten-pro.net) or on [www.tournamentsoftware.com](http://www.tournamentsoftware.com)

26. Every participant himself is responsible for being informed about the order of play, the days of the matches and the playing times.

27. The matches will be played on hard courts (Australian Open surfaces).

28. The matches will be played with Wilson US Open tennis balls.

29. The TEN-PRO management is authorized to move a match to another court, even when the match has already started.

30. Tournament Director: Goran Novakovic (Tel. + 31 6 2211 8857, e-mail: proglobus@live.nl )

Tournament management: See factsheet.

OTHER REGULATIONS

31. During the tournament the TEN-PRO Penalty Points System is enforced. The regulations concerning managerial offences apply.

The supervisor & the umpire is responsible for the implementation of the “PPS’. Besides, he reproves the participant who breaks the rules of the game.

32. The MC-TP will hold participants responsible for all damage (e.g. fouling or vandalizing) to the facilities caused by the participants.

33. By submitting the entry form the participant indicates that he has taken notice of these general tournament regulations of the MC-TP.

34. In cases not covered by these general tournament regulations, the tournament management make a decision after consulting and with the approval of TEN-PRO.

35. Where in these regulations the he-form is used, the she-form is alsomeant, unless the purpose of the clause should suggest otherwise.

36. The registration deadline is January 03rd 2020 at 14.00 (providing the maximum number of players hasn’t reached yet at that time!). 50% refunds are available prior to October 02th 2019. After this date you may send an alternate to the event without additional charge (which must undergo selection of TEN-PRO) Following this date, no refunds will be given. In special situations ONLY after approval of TEN-PRO the registration fee can be transferred to some of the upcoming TEN-PRO tournaments). To request a cancellation or to make a change please send an email to the Event Planner at proglobus@live.nl

37. Further information concerning the MC-TP can be obtained on

[www.ten-pro.net](http://www.ten-pro.net) & [www.tournamentsoftware.com](http://www.tournamentsoftware.com) & <https://humetennis.com.au/>

RESULTS:

38. The tournament results are counted by UTR (Universal Tennis Rating) <https://universaltennis.com/>

39. The tournament results are counted by TEN-PRO RANKING SYSTEM " *Score your points and earn your reward* " [www.ten-pro.net](http://www.ten-pro.net)

AUTHORIZATION:

40. If matches at final day can’t be played due to unforeseen circumstances, positions of scheduled matches will be shared (for example: Both finalists share the number one position in the tournament).

41. The TEN-PRO management is authorized to make all the necessary changes above-mentioned in order to maintain the tournament successfully.

TEN-PRO team