

Australian Open 2026

Wildcard Points Race (Men's Singles)

Details:	Tennis Australia will award one (1) Men's Singles Main Draw Wildcard into Australian Open 2026 based on performance in specific ATP Challenger Tour level events held in Australia during November. The wildcard will be awarded to the Australian player with the highest total of cumulative ATP singles ranking points from the three events – including points earned in qualifying and main draw. In the event of a tie, the player with the best ATP singles ranking in the published ATP rankings on Monday 17 November 2025 (the year-end rankings following the Nitto ATP Finals) will be awarded the wildcard. Should the winner of the wildcard points race earn Direct Acceptance into Australian Open 2026, the wildcard will be provided to the Tennis Australia National Selectors to award at their discretion. The Tennis Australia Performance team will make the final decision if any dispute arises that is not covered by these rules. This Wildcard points race only pertains to Australian Open 2026.
Eligibility:	Players who are Australian passport holders and eligible to represent Australia in Davis Cup competition in 2026 are eligible to be considered for the men's singles main draw wildcard. Only players that have entered before each event entry deadline will be eligible. No discretionary wildcards will be given to players that miss the entry deadline into the applicable events in November. The player must remain in good standing with Tennis Australia and its Member Associations and comply with all Australian Open 2026 Entry Conditions.
Events:	The three events that count towards the wildcard points race will be the following: • Week Commencing 10 November: ATP 75 in Brisbane • Week Commencing 17 November: ATP 75 in Sydney • Week Commencing 24 November: ATP 75 in Playford (Adelaide).

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Wildcard Points Race (Women's)

Details:	Tennis Australia will award one (1) Women's Singles Main Draw Wildcard into Australian Open 2026 based on performance in specific World Tennis Tour Women's 50 & 75 level events held in Australia during November. The wildcard will be awarded to the Australian player with the highest total of cumulative WTA singles ranking points from the three events – including points earned in qualifying and main draw. In the event of a tie, the player with the best WTA singles ranking in the published WTA rankings on Monday 1 December 2025 will be awarded the wildcard. Should the winner of the wildcard points race earn Direct Acceptance into Australian Open 2026, the wildcard will be provided to the Tennis Australia National Selectors to award at their discretion. The Tennis Australia Performance team will make the final decision if any dispute arises that is not covered by these rules. This Wildcard points race only pertains to Australian Open 2026.
Eligibility:	Players who are Australian passport holders and eligible to represent Australia in Billie Jean King Cup competition in 2026 are eligible to be considered for the women's singles main draw wildcard. Only players that have entered before each event entry deadline will be eligible. No discretionary wildcards will be given to players that miss the entry deadline into the applicable events in November. The player must remain in good standing with Tennis Australia and its Member Associations and comply with all Australian Open 2026 Entry Conditions.
Events:	The three events that count towards the wildcard points race will be the following: • Week Commencing 10 November: ITF W50 in Brisbane • Week Commencing 17 November: ITF W75 in Sydney • Week Commencing 24 November: ITF W75 in Playford (Adelaide).