

COMPETE & EARN

SAME SERIES, NEW FORMAT

Compete & Earn is an exciting dual gender series from The Progress Tour designed for tennis players of all levels, providing genuine equal opportunity to all competitors. The new format pushes all players, regardless of wins/losses, to compete at their best until the very end of the event, because every game matters. Events will run throughout the year, and across the country, with all match results counting towards UTR and WTN.

PLAYER ACCEPTANCE

Open to players of all ages with a recommended UTR of 7.0 and above. If you meet the requirements and are able to submit your registration through the event page, you have automatically been accepted into the event.

Composition of the draws will be based on two criteria:

- i. Player UTR level falls within the UTR requirements
- ii. Direct Acceptance based on first come, first served basis

EVENT FORMAT - 'THE PRESSURE COOKER'

'The Pressure Cooker' format rewards players for their competitive performance rather than on the conventional win/loss of a linear draw format. On day 1, players will be matched up with similarly rated opponents based on UTR. With a dynamic draw, Day 2 will see players matched with opponents who have achieved similar pressure scores in their first two matches. The pressure score is based on an algorithm that takes into account games won/lost and the level of opponent faced. At the end of each event, irrespective of wins and losses, players will be placed into final standings based on their 'pressure performance' across all of their matches. The format will encourage true competitors to battle until the final point of the final match of the event to improve their pressure score. Prizes and circuit points are awarded based on a player's final standings for each circuit event.



LEADERBOARD

Circuit points will be accrued by players throughout the season, and contribute to their standing on the Compete & Earn leaderboard. For differing draw sizes, allocation of circuit points will be adjusted to ensure a fair distribution of circuit points.

Player Support packages will be awarded to the top four finishers at the conclusion of the final circuit event.

ENTRY & WITHDRAWAL POLICIES

Entries will be received through the event pages. If you meet the UTR requirements and are able to submit your entry, this means you have been automatically accepted into the event. The entry and withdrawal deadline are on the Thursday prior to the event at 2pm. Further event details and link to the draw will be sent out by email on the day before the event.

Please email theprogressour@gmail.com BEFORE the deadline if you need to withdraw. For detailed withdrawal policies after this deadline, please read the Rules & Regulations.