

HIGH PERFORMANCE RECOGNITION PROGRAM



**NATIONAL BANK
LITTLE ACES
PLAYER
IDENTIFICATION**



**WPDP TRAINING
ENVIRONMENT**



**HOSTING
COMPETITIONS**



**PLAYER
RESULTS**



**COACH
RESULTS**

CLUB, COACH AND PLAYER RECOGNITION

WPDP TRAINING ENVIRONMENT

OVERVIEW

The WPDP Training Environment pillar rewards clubs with a positive training environment that is aligned with the Whole Player Development Pathway (WPDP). Clubs who meet the minimum requirements are eligible to receive funding based on their coaching staff and player performance.

Up to \$15,000 in annual funding available per club

HOW IT WORKS



APPLICATION

Clubs must apply to be considered for funding under this pillar.



ENTRY CRITERIA

Clubs will first be evaluated against minimum requirements.



POINTS

After meeting the entry criteria, clubs are awarded points for their coaches and players.



FUNDING

Tennis Canada will fund and recognize the top 10 clubs by total points.

Clubs must submit their [applications](#) (including player and coach lists) by **October 31st** to be considered for the current cycle. Clubs are evaluated based on their performance from **Sep-Aug.**

Clubs must meet minimum criteria related to **safe sport, WPDP daily training, and fitness** to be eligible to receive funding. Click [here](#) to view Daily Training Environment the criteria.

Clubs receive points for results at **Nationals, players' National rankings**, players meeting **minimum tournament guidelines** and coaches' **certification levels**.

1-2	PLATINUM	\$15,000
3-4	GOLD	\$10,000
5-7	SILVER	\$6,000
8-10	BRONZE	\$3,000

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APPLICATION

TIMELINES

Funding cycle:	September 1 st to August 31 st
Applications open:	September 1 st
Deadline to submit player list:	October 31 st
Deadline to submit coach list:	October 31 st
Club visits:	October to July

APPLICATION PROCESS

The application process for the WPDP Training Environment pillar will be communicated and available as of August 31st. For any assistance required during the application please email hsivapunniyan@tenniscanada.com.

HOW TO CLAIM PLAYERS AND COACHES

In order for a club to claim players and coaches, clubs **must submit a list of players and coaches for the current training year (Sep-Aug) by October 31st**. **Any changes in players or coaches must be reported to Tennis Canada immediately.**

For a player's results to count towards a club's point total they must have played at the club for a **minimum of 6 months** during the current cycle. For a coach's certification level to count towards a club's point total they must have coached at the club for a **minimum of 6 months** during the current cycle.

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ENTRY CRITERIA

To be eligible to receive the funding available under the WPDP Training Environment pillar, clubs must meet the following criteria:

SAFE SPORT

All coaches working with players enrolled in the club's junior development program, must be **TPA active certified** which includes completion of the following **Safe Sport requirements**:

- Code of Conduct
- Declaration of Character
- Background Check
- Respect in Sport for Activity Leaders education module

All Safe Sport requirements must be kept up-to-date.

DAILY TRAINING AND FITNESS ENVIRONMENT

Clubs that have applied to be considered for funding under this pillar will receive a visit from the Tennis Canada High Performance team. During the visit, the club's daily training and fitness environment will be evaluated based on the **Daily Training Environment checklist**.

Clubs are expected to be **delivering Red, Orange, Green and regular ball programs** in accordance with guidelines provided in the WPDP.

For daily fitness, clubs will be evaluated on the following:

- Dedicating **space** for fitness programming
- Hiring **personnel** specifically trained to deliver fitness programming
- Allocating sufficient program **time** for fitness
- If a club's player has been identified as a member of the U15 Canadian Prospect Team, the club must submit a **customized fitness plan** for the player by January.

*Clubs are required to fill in the **checklist** prior to the visit.*

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POINTS

Clubs who complete all three entry criteria are awarded points under the following categories:

PLAYER PERFORMANCE AT NATIONALS		
Tournament	Results	Points per Player
U12/U14/U16/U18 Nationals	Winner	20 points
	Runner-up	16 points
	Top 4 finish	12 points
U12/U14/U16 Nationals only	Top 8 finish	8 points
U12/U14 Nationals only	Top 16 finish	4 points

NATIONAL RANKING (as of the third week of September)		
Category	Results	Points per Player
U12/U14 National Rankings	Top 5	40 points
	Top 10	20 points
	Top 20	10 points
U16/U18 National Rankings	Top 5	16 points
	Top 10	8 points
	Top 20	4 points

PLAYERS MEETING MIN. TOURNAMENT GUIDELINES		
Category	Guideline	Points per Player
U10/U12	Min 10 tournaments/year	3 points
U14/U16	Min 15 tournaments/year	3 points
U18	Min 20 tournaments/year	1 point

COACHING STAFF CERTIFICATION LEVEL *	
Certification Level	Points per Coach
Club Pro 2 or Club Pro 3	10 points
Coach 2	20 points
Coach 3	30 points
Coach 4	40 points
Coach 4 + Masters Degree/Adv. Coaching Diploma Coach 5	50 points

**A maximum of 8 coaches per club/academy can be assigned to the junior high performance development pathway*

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FUNDING

Top 10 clubs based on total points will receive funding and recognition.

In addition, both parties will need to work in collaboration to jointly improve and strengthen the Canadian U15 junior pipeline. Clubs will need to report back to Tennis Canada how recognition funding was re-invested back into their respective junior high performance programming to benefit high performance players/coaches.



REWARD TIERS

 PLATINUM	1ST AND 2ND PLACE	\$15,000
 GOLD	3RD AND 4TH PLACE	\$10,000
 SILVER	5TH, 6TH AND 7TH PLACE	\$6,000
 BRONZE	8TH, 9TH, AND 10TH PLACE	\$3,000

