

Waverley Tennis – Changes for Summer 2023/24

By-Laws

12. COMMENCING/FINISHING TIME OF MATCHES

*The sentence in **brown** was removed.*

If either team is unable to put on any set (listed on the scorebook) within 15 minutes of the scheduled start time, the offending team shall forfeit the first set / first set of rubber to nil. **If play does not commence within 45 minutes of the scheduled start time, the next scheduled set shall be forfeited to nil.**

Upon completion of the first and/or each subsequent set, if opposition is not available to commence play within 10 minutes, the next set shall be forfeited.

14. (a) WEATHER/COURT CONDITIONS

*The sentence in **red** is now highlighted.*

In the event of extreme weather, individual matches may be cancelled without teams attending the courts, providing that it is mutually agreed by both captains, otherwise players must attend courts.

Mutual agreement is only when the captains communicate with each other and agree to cancel the match.

Cancellation of matches in advance by text, phone or voicemail message is not acceptable; two-way communication is essential.

24. (f) FINAL SERIES

*The sentence in **blue** was updated for Open Doubles*

In all final series matches, in the event of a draw, the players from the last doubles set to finish shall play a 12 point tie breaker to decide the winning team. **In Open Doubles when the doubles matches finish together then the last doubles as listed on the scoresheet shall play the tie-breaker.**