

St Annes Waterford Tennis Club



**96th ANNUAL
OPEN TOURNAMENT**
Sunday 26th June – Saturday 2nd July 2016

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SOUTH-EAST OF IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIPS
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Entries Close:

Sunday 19th June 2016 @ 11pm

[Entries forms also available at www.stannestennis.com]

Times for play will be posted in Clubhouse and on the website
Phone: (051) 874350

Entries to
The Administrator,
St Anne's Waterford Tennis Club,
Johns Hill, Waterford.

The draw will take place at the club on Monday 21st June 2016 at 7.30pm.

9 Synthetic Courts will be available for play.

Treton Micro-X tennis balls will be used for all events

CONDITIONS AND REGULATIONS

1. This tournament is sanctioned by Tennis Ireland and governed by their rules. Regulations governing attire and Code of Conduct will be enforced.
2. All entrants must complete the official entry form (or a photocopy) in full, and only this will be accepted. Entries will be limited to the first 350 PAID entries received.
3. All competitors are limited to 3 events. Competitors entered in 3 events must be available to play on **ALL** days, **NO EXCEPTIONS**. Only 1 evening of unavailability can be declared per pairing. All pairings must be available to play on opening Sunday. For any unavailability not declared on the entry form, facilitation will be at the discretion of the organisers. See <http://www.munstertennis.com/munster-branch-guidelines.html> for guidelines.
4. If you are available to play earlier than 5.30pm please state this with your entry.
5. Play commences on Sunday 26th June 2016 @ 10 am. Players are expected to be available from this time. In the event of a large entry competitors may be required to play on Saturday 25th June 2016.
6. It is the responsibility of each competitor to determine their times of play each day, and to report to the organiser 15 mins before their scheduled starting time. Players not available to play when scheduled are liable to be scratched.
7. Premier matches shall be best of 3 sets. Tiebreaks to operate at 6 all. Grade 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 shall be best of 3 short sets, with a tiebreak at 5 all.
8. The tournament will be managed by the Tournament Committee. The Committee reserve the right to add to, or alter, these conditions, and to reject any entry without stating their reasons. Referees decision is final on ALL matters in relation to the tournament
9. The Committee reserves the right to withdraw any event for which there are not in excess of 8 entries.
10. The Tournament Committee will carry out the grading and seeding, and their decision is final. A player who is obviously too strong for the grade they have entered will be handicapped.
11. The Championships will be awarded to the winners to the first grade in each event.
12. The winners of the Challenge Trophies will be entitled to hold them until 1st June 2017 by which date they must be returned, at the holder's expense, to the Club.
13. Any player who has won an event must play in the higher grade of that event only for the following year
14. The minimum age for junior competitors is 16 years of age by the 31-12-2016 and they may only enter Premier events.
15. All competitors are either registered members of the "Munster Branch" system or agree to become so at the tournament.
16. The tournament committee of St Anne's TC shall not be held responsible for any injury or accident on or off the court to any player or guest or for any property damaged, destroyed, lost or stolen

Please Complete in Full

Name in full: _____ **Munster Branch Grade:** _____
ITN Grade: _____ **T.I. PIN:** _____
Club: _____ **Contact No(s):** _____

Event	Mark "x" to enter						Partner	Amount
	Premier (1)	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6		
Gents Singles								
Ladies Singles								
Gents Doubles								
Ladies Doubles								
Mixed Doubles								
Available to play earlier than 5.30pm? Yes/No								
All Grades Singles - €10 per event Doubles - €8 per event (Fee payable by each player in Doubles events)							TI Capitation Fee €5 per player	
							Total Enclosed	