

National Seniors Tennis Committee Members Duties

Seniors Committee Organization

The National Seniors Tennis Committee is a volunteer advisory committee that exists to support, guide and promote Tennis Canada's Seniors Tennis mandate. The Committee meets four times per year (3 teleconferences and 1 in-face). The Committee is comprised of a Tennis Canada chair, the Seniors Coordinator, one Tennis Canada staff representative, and 12 representatives (one female and one male), from Tennis Canada's six regions who are enthusiastic and active on the tennis scene.

Volunteer Committee member's duties

- Answer questions and have an open dialogue between senior members in your respective regions. Major concerns should be taken to the senior committee.
- Interact (as needed) with your respective Provincial Agencies and Provincial Boards, if major issues arise, you are encouraged to elevate it with the chair of the senior committee who in turn will seek to resolve by working with the provincial association.
- Discuss and help make senior tennis policy along with Tennis Canada to better liaison the players from your region with Tennis Canada.
- Attempt to provide more grass root opportunities for recreational players in your region.
- Work with your provincial association to provide more competitive opportunities for senior players including the promotion of National & Provincial senior events to competitive players in your regions through e-mail communication and personal contact.
- Provide input on potential seeding to assist with any oversights prior to being published for player perusal.
- Assist Tennis Canada in securing facilities to host events in your respective regions.
- Advise on competitive scheduling issues as it relates to the National Competitive Schedule (Steve Stevens Senior Nationals, Indoor Nationals and Canadian ITF events).
- Assist with decisions on Tennis Canada awards for senior players, senior events, etc.
- Provide advice on National Ranking guidelines. (National Team Rankings and Rogers Rankings).
- Provide input to the senior's selection committee into International team selection and criteria for selection.

