

## Handicap Matrix for 2024 Spring Tournament

The 2024 Spring Tournament will use the matrix handicap system. Everyone is ranked into a band based on their league position over the last 6 months with appropriate adjustments made by the handicap committee.

A player's allocated band is shown in the separate list below.

The starting score for a handicap game is worked out by comparing your band with your opponents using the matrix below.

As an example, a player ranked in band C playing someone in band G would start with their score on -4 and their opponent on +4 as highlighted.

Matrix for finding starting scores:

| Band | A  | B  | C  | D  | E  | F  | G  | H  | I  | J  | K  | L  | M   |
|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| A    | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6 | -6 | -7 | -8 | -8 | -9 | -10 |
| B    | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6 | -6 | -7 | -8 | -8 | -9  |
| C    | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6 | -6 | -7 | -8 | -8  |
| D    | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6 | -6 | -7 | -8  |
| E    | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6 | -6 | -7  |
| F    | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6 | -6  |
| G    | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | -6  |
| H    | 6  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5  |
| I    | 7  | 6  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4  |
| J    | 8  | 7  | 6  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2 | -3  |
| K    | 8  | 8  | 7  | 6  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1 | -2  |
| L    | 9  | 8  | 8  | 7  | 6  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0  | -1  |
| M    | 10 | 9  | 8  | 8  | 7  | 6  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0   |

## Handicapping

| Band | Squash players   | Racketball players                           |
|------|--|--|
| A    | Gary Murphy  | Pete Walker                                  |
| B    | Tom McGuire  | Rob Hughes<br>Bill Lancashire<br>Lucy Emsden |
| C    |  | Kirk Alexander<br>Andy Campbell              |
| D    | Lloyd Lewis  | Mark Weller<br>Chris Fenwick<br>Clive Hart   |
| E    |  |  |
| F    | Gez Robinson<br>Adam Carling<br>Jagdish Bains<br>Andy Campbell<br>Rob Hughes | Mike Jones                                   |
| G    | Nick Matthews<br>Mark Weller<br>Paul Docherty                                | Jonathan Partridge                           |
| H    | Grant Livingstone  | Chris Pickering<br>Dan Clarkson              |
| I    | Colin Walkey<br>Sam Orchard  |  |
| J    | Michael Hornsby<br>Doug Ferry  |  |
| K    | Jessamy Linford<br>Krish Lutchmun<br>Dan Clarkson                            |  |
| L    | Polly Tsang  |  |
| M    | Sam Wesley<br>Mina Ames  |  |