



# 2024 WIMBLEDON JUNIOR SINGLES QUARTERFINAL MATCH NOTES

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## On court today...

- Kaylan Bigun continues his quest to become the first player in 6 years to win back-to-back Grand Slam boys' singles titles today, with the No. 1 seed taking on Netherlands' Mees Rottgering. Tseng Chun-Hsin, who won the boys' titles at Roland Garros and Wimbledon in 2018, is the last player to achieve the feat – and Bigun has looked comfortable in his opening 3 matches so far as he looks to emulate Tseng. He will not underestimate the threat posed by Rottgering today – the Dutchman reached the boys' singles semifinals at the Australian Open this year and has looked to be in good form ahead of today's quarterfinal clash. Should he go on to win the title here, Rottgering will become just the 2nd Dutch player to win a Grand Slam boys' singles title, after 2006 Wimbledon junior champion Thiemo de Bakker.
- In the girls' singles today, a match which has caught the eye of many junior tennis fans is No. 6 seed Iva Jovic's duel with No. 15 seed Teodora Kostovic. The pair are meeting for the 2nd time in a week, after Kostovic recorded a 3-set victory over Jovic in the final at J300 Roehampton last Friday – and the Serbian will keen for another win today as she continues her campaign to become the first player from her nation to win a Wimbledon junior singles title. She would become the 10th girls' singles champion from Roehampton to go on and win the title at Wimbledon the following week since the Roehampton event was established in 1996. For Jovic, a victory today would see her move one step closer to emulating her compatriots Liv Hovde and Clervie Ngounoue, who won the girls' singles title here in 2022 and 2023, respectively.

## NO. 1 KAYLAN BIGUN (USA) v MEES ROTTGERING (NED)

### Head-to-head: tied 1-1

2023	J300 Barranquilla (COL)	Hard (O)	R16	Rottgering	75 62
2024	J500 Milan (ITA)	Clay (O)	SF	Bigun	75 46 63

- **BIGUN** is bidding to become the first player to win back-to-back Grand Slam boys' singles titles since Tseng Chun-Hsin, who won the boys' singles titles at Roland Garros and Wimbledon in 2018.
- Bigun is bidding to become the **first American player to win multiple Grand Slam boys' singles title since 2000**, when Andy Roddick won the boys' singles titles at both the Australian Open and the US Open.
- Bigun is bidding to become the **12th American player to win the Wimbledon boys' singles title** – and the first since 2021, when Samir Banerjee won the title here.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Bigun has equalled his **best Wimbledon result**. He also reached the quarterfinals here last year (l. Darwin Blanch).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Bigun reached the 3rd round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Max Schoenhaus).
- **ROTTGERING** is bidding to become the 2nd Dutch player to win a Grand Slam boys' singles title – after Thiemo de Bakker, who won the boys' singles title here in 2006.
- Rottgering is bidding to become the **6th Dutch player to reach a Grand Slam boys' singles final** – after Eric Wilborts (1980 US Open boys' singles runner-up), Sjeng Schalken (1994 US Open boys' singles champion), Antal Van Der Duim (2005 Roland Garros boys' singles runner-up), Robin Haase (2005 Wimbledon boys' singles runner-up), and De Bakker (2006 Wimbledon boys' singles champion).
- **Rottgering's best Grand Slam result** is reaching the semifinals at the Australian Open this year (l. Jan Kumstat).
- **Last year here**, on his junior Grand Slam debut, Rottgering reached the 2nd round (l. Rodrigo Pacheco Mendez).
- Rottgering **did not compete at J300 Roehampton (GBR)** last week. He is contesting his first grass court event since competing here last year.

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Papamalamis	Leach
Bigun	0-0	0-0
Rottgering	0-1	0-0

## NO. 2 NICOLAI BUDKOV KJAER (NOR) v NO. 10 MAXIM MRVA (CZE)

### Head-to-head: Mrva leads 2-0

2024	J500 Offenbach (GER)	Clay (O)	SF	Mrva	62 64
2024	J300 Roehampton (GBR)	Grass (O)	QF	Mrva	76(2) 76(3)

- [BUDKOV KJAER](#) is bidding to become the first Norwegian player to win a Grand Slam singles title in any discipline, junior or professional. He is also bidding to become the 2nd Norwegian player to reach a Grand Slam singles final, after 3-time men's singles finalist Casper Ruud.
- Budkov Kjaer is **Norway's only Grand Slam champion in any discipline** – he won the boys' doubles title at 2024 Roland Garros, partnering Joel Schwaerzler.
- Budkov Kjaer's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the semifinals at the Australian Open this year (l. Rei Sakamoto).
- **Last year here**, on his junior Grand Slam debut, Budkov Kjaer reached the 3rd round (l. Iliyan Radulov).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Budkov Kjaer reached the semifinals at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Mrva).
- [MRVA](#) is bidding to become the 2nd Czech player to win the Wimbledon boys' singles title – after Ivan Lendl in 1978.
- Mrva is bidding to become the **5th Czech player to win a Grand Slam boys' singles title** – after Lendl (who also won the boys' singles title at 1978 Roland Garros), Dusan Lojda (2006 US Open), Jiri Vesely (2011 Australian Open) and Jonas Forejtek (2019 US Open).
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Mrva has recorded his **best Grand Slam result**. His previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 3rd round at 2023 Roland Garros (l. Dino Prizmic).
- **Last year here**, on his junior Wimbledon debut, Mrva fell to Kaylan Bigun in the 1st round.
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Mrva reached the semifinals at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Charlie Robertson).

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Honda	Johar
Mrva	0-0	0-0
Budkov Kjaer	1-0	0-0

## NO. 16 THEO PAPAMALAMIS (FRA) v JAGGER LEACH (USA)

### Head-to-head: first meeting

- **PAPAMALAMIS** is bidding to become the 5th French player to win the Wimbledon boys' singles title – after Thierry Tulasne (1980), Olivier Mutis (1995), Gael Monfils (2004) and Jeremy Chardy (2005).
- Papamalamis is bidding to become the **4th French player to win a Grand Slam boys' singles title in the last 5 years** – after Harold Mayot (2020 Australian Open), Luca van Assche (2021 Roland Garros) and Gabriel Debru (2022 Roland Garros)
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Papamalamis has recorded his **best Grand Slam result**. His previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 3rd round at Roland Garros this year (l. Rei Sakamoto). He is making his Wimbledon debut this year.
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Papamalamis reached the 3rd round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Maxim Mrva).
- **LEACH** is bidding to become the 12th American player to win the Wimbledon boys' singles title – and the first since 2021, when Samir Banerjee won the title here.
- If Leach wins the title here, after Kaylan Bigun won the title at Roland Garros, it will be the **first time that multiple American players have won Grand Slam boys' singles titles since 2015** – when Tommy Paul won the title at Roland Garros, Reilly Opelka won the title at Wimbledon and Taylor Fritz won the title at the US Open.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Leach has recorded his **best Grand Slam result**. His previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 2nd round at the Australian Open this year (l. Hayden Jones). He is making his Wimbledon debut this year.
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Leach reached the 2nd round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Viktor Frydrych).

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Bigun	Rottgering
Papamalamis	0-0	1-0
Leach	0-0	0-0

# NAOYA HONDA (JPN) v RAFAEL JODAR (ESP)

## Head-to-head: Jodar leads 1-0

2023 J100 Bruchkoebel (GER) Clay (O) SF Jodar 63 57 64

- [HONDA](#) is bidding to become the 2nd Japanese player to win the Wimbledon boys' singles title – after Shintaro Mochizuki, who won the boys' singles title here in 2021.
- Honda is bidding to become the **3rd Japanese player to win a Grand Slam boys' singles title** – after Mochizuki (2021 Wimbledon) and Rei Sakamoto (2024 Australian Open).
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Honda has recorded his **best Grand Slam result**. He made his junior Grand Slam debut at Roland Garros this year, falling to Federico Cina in the 1st round.
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Honda fell in the 1st round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Henry Bernet).
- [JODAR](#) is bidding to become the 3rd Spanish player to win the Wimbledon boys' singles title – after Manuel Orantes (1967) and Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (2017).
- Jodar is bidding to become the 14th Spanish player to win a Grand Slam boys' singles title. Since Davidovich Fokina won the boys' singles title here in 2017, just 2 Spanish players have won a Grand Slam boys' singles title – Daniel Rincon at the 2021 US Open and Martin Landaluce at the 2022 US Open.
- Jodar is bidding to become the **5th player to win the boys' singles title at Wimbledon after winning the title at Roehampton the previous week** – after Roman Valent (2001), Gael Monfils (2004), Thiemo de Bakker (2006) and Denis Shapovalov (2016). He defeated Charlie Robertson in the final at J300 Roehampton (GBR) last Friday.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Jodar has recorded his **best Grand Slam result**. His previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 3rd round at Roland Garros this year (l. Joel Schwaerzler). He is making his Wimbledon debut this year.

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Mrva	Budkov Kjaer
Honda	0-0	0-1
Jodar	0-0	0-0

# NO. 1 RENATA JAMRICOVA (SVK) v ROSITSA DENCHEVA (BUL)

## Head-to-head: first meeting

- [JAMRICOVA](#) is bidding to become the first Slovakian player to win a Wimbledon junior singles title.
- Jamrichova is bidding to win her **2nd Grand Slam title**. She would become the 2nd player in the last 10 years to win multiple Grand Slam girls' singles titles – after Alina Korneeva, who won the girls' singles titles at both the Australian Open and Roland Garros last year.
- Jamrichova became **4th Slovakian player to win a Grand Slam junior singles title** at the Australian Open this year, defeating Emerson Jones in the girls' singles final. She joined Martin Klizan (2006 Roland Garros boys' singles champion), Kristina Kucova (2007 US Open girls' singles champion) and Tereza Mihalikova (2015 Australian Open girls' singles champion) as Slovakian junior Grand Slam champions.
- Jamrichova's **best Wimbledon result** is reaching the semifinals last year (l. Clervie Ngounoue). She is making her 3rd appearance in the girls' singles event here, having falling in the 1st round on her junior Grand Slam debut here in 2022 (l. Jasmine Conway).
- Jamrichova **did not compete at J300 Roehampton (GBR)** last week. She is contesting his first grass court event since competing here last year.
- [DENCHEVA](#) is bidding to become the first Bulgarian player to win the Wimbledon girls' singles title. She is also bidding to become the 2nd Bulgarian player to win a junior singles title here – after Grigor Dimitrov, who won the Wimbledon boys' singles title in 2008.
- Dencheva is bidding to become the **4th Bulgarian player to win a Grand Slam girls' singles title** – after Manuela Maleeva (1982 Roland Garros), Katerina Maleeva (1984 US Open) and Magdalena Maleeva (1990 Australian Open, 1990 Roland Garros, 1990 US Open).
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Dencheva has recorded her **best Grand Slam result**. Her previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 3rd round on 2 occasions – on her junior Grand Slam debut at the 2023 Australian Open (l. Mirra Andreeva) and at Wimbledon last year (l. Clervie Ngounoue).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Dencheva reached the quarterfinals at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Iva Jovic).

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Valdmanova	Vandromme
Jamrichova	0-0	0-0
Dencheva	1-0	0-0

## NO. 3 EMERSON JONES (AUS) v MONIKA STANKIEWICZ (POL)

### Head-to-head: Jones leads 2-0

2023	J300 College Park (USA)	Hard (O)	QF	Jones	60 64
2024	J300 Traralgon (AUS)	Hard (O)	SF	Jones	57 75 62

- **JONES** is bidding to become the 3rd Australian player to win the Wimbledon girls' singles title – after Debbie Freeman (1980) and Ashleigh Barty (2011). She is bidding to become the first Australian player to win a Grand Slam girls' singles title since Barty here in 2011.
- Jones is also bidding to become the **8th Australian player to win a Wimbledon junior title**. In addition to Freeman and Barty, 5 Australian players have won a boys' singles title here – John Alexander (1968), Pat Cash (1982), Mark Kratzmann (1983), Todd Reid (2002) and Luke Saville (2011).
- Jones reached her **first junior Grand Slam final** at the Australian Open this year (l. Renata Jamrichova). She became the first Australian player to reach the Australian Open girls' singles final since 2008, when Jessica Moore finished as runner-up to Arantxa Rus. She also became the first Australian player to reach an Australian Open junior singles final since 2016, when Oliver Anderson won the boys' singles title.
- **Last year here**, on her junior Wimbledon debut, Jones reached the 3rd round (l. Mika Stojsavljevic).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Jones reached the semifinals at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Teodora Kostovic).
- **STANKIEWICZ** is bidding to become the 5th Polish player to win the Wimbledon girls' singles title – after Aleksandra Olsza (1995), Agnieszka Radwanska (2005), Urszula Radwanska (2007) and Iga Swiatek (2018).
- Stankiewicz is bidding to become the **6th Polish player to win a Grand Slam girls' singles title**. In addition to the 4 Polish players who have won the girls' singles title here, Magdalena Gryzbowska won the girls' singles title at the 1996 Australian Open, while Agnieszka Radwanska also won the girls' singles title at 2006 Roland Garros.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Stankiewicz has recorded her **best Grand Slam result**. Her previous best result is reaching the 2nd round at Roland Garros this year (l. Teodora Kostovic). She is making her junior Wimbledon debut here this year.
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Stankiewicz reached the 3rd round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Kostovic).

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Jovic	Kostovic
Stankiewicz	1-1	0-2
Jones	1-0	1-1

## NO. 6 IVA JOVIC (USA) v NO. 15 TEODORA KOSTOVIC (SRB)

### Tour-level head-to-head: Kostovic leads 2-0

2022	J1 Bamberg (GER) Qualifying Draw	Clay (O)	R16	Kostovic	63 46 [10-3]
2023	J300 Bradenton (USA)	Clay (O)	SF	Kostovic	64 63
2024	J300 Roehampton (GBR)	Grass (O)	FR	Kostovic	26 63 76(2)

- [JOVIC](#) is bidding to become the 3rd consecutive American champion of the girls' singles event at Wimbledon – after Liv Hovde in 2022 and Clervie Ngounoue in 2023.
- Jovic is bidding to become the 16th American player to win the Wimbledon girls' singles title – but just the 5th in the last 40 years. Since Zina Garrison won the girls' singles title here in 1981, the only American players to win the girls' singles title here are Chanda Rubin (1992), Claire Liu (2017), Hovde (2022) and Ngounoue (2023).
- Jovic is bidding to become the **5th American player to win a Grand Slam girls' singles title in the last 5 years**. In addition to the Wimbledon title-victories for Hovde and Ngounoue in the last 2 years, Robin Montgomery won the girls' singles title at the 2021 US Open and Katherine Hui won the girls' singles title at the 2023 US Open.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Jovic has equalled her **best Grand Slam result**. She also reached the quarterfinals at Roland Garros this year (l. Laura Samson). She is making her junior Wimbledon debut here.
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Jovic finished runner-up at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Kostovic).
- [KOSTOVIC](#) is bidding to become the first Serbian player to win a Wimbledon junior singles title.
- Kostovic is bidding to become the **3rd Serbian player to win a Grand Slam junior singles title** – after Jelena Jankovic and Janko Tipsarevic, who won the girls' singles and boys' singles titles, respectively, at the 2001 Australian Open.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Kostovic has recorded her **best Grand Slam result**. Her previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 3rd round on 2 occasions – on her junior Grand Slam debut at 2023 Roland Garros (l. Alisa Oktiabreva) and again at Roland Garros this year (l. Renata Jamrichova)
- **Last year here**, on her junior Wimbledon debut, Kostovic fell in the 1st round (l. Rositsa Dencheva).
- Kostovic is bidding to become the **10th player to win the girls' singles title at Wimbledon after winning the title at Roehampton the previous week** – after Amelie Mauresmo (1996), Vera Dushevina (2002), Kristyna Pliskova (2010), Eugenie Bouchard (2012), Belinda Bencic (2013), Jelena Ostapenko (2014), Anastasia Potapova (2016), Claire Liu (2017) and Liv Hovde (2022). She defeated Jovic in the final at J300 Roehampton (GBR) last Friday.

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Stankiewicz	Jones
Jovic	1-1	0-1
Kostovic	2-0	1-1



## NO. 10 JELINE VANDROMME (BEL) v VENDULA VALDMANNOVA (CZE)

### Head-to-head: first meeting

- **VANDROMME** is bidding to become the 5th Belgian player to win the Wimbledon girls' singles title – after Genevieve Domken (1947), Christiane Mercelis (1949), Nancy Feber (1993) and Kirsten Flipkens (2003).
- Vandromme is bidding to become the **7th Belgian player to win a Grand Slam girls' singles title** – after Domken, Mercelis, Feber, Justine Henin (1997 Roland Garros), Flipkens (who also won the girls' singles title at the 2003 US Open) and An-Sophie Mestach (2011 Australian Open).
- Vandromme is bidding to become the **10th Belgian player to win a Grand Slam junior singles title**. In addition to the 6 Belgian players to win Grand Slam girls' singles titles, 3 Belgian players have won Grand Slam boys' singles titles – Jacky Brichant (1947 Roland Garros), Kimmer Coppejans (2012 Roland Garros) and Alexander Blockx (2023 Australian Open).
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Vandromme has equalled her **best Grand Slam result**. She also reached the quarterfinals on her only previous Grand Slam appearance – at Roland Garros this year (l. Tyra Grant).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Vandromme fell in the 1st round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Julia Stusek).
- **VALDMANNOVA** is bidding to become the 5th Czech player to win the Wimbledon girls' singles title – after Olga Miskova (1948), Andrea Holikova (1985), Andrea Strnadova (1989 and 1990) and Kristyna Pliskova (2010).
- Valdmannova is bidding to become the **5th Czech player to win a Grand Slam girls' singles title in the last 10 years** – after Marie Bouzkova (2014 US Open), Linda Noskova (2021 Roland Garros), Lucie Havlickova (2022 Roland Garros) and Tereza Valentova (2024 Roland Garros).
- If Valdmannova wins the title here, after Valentova won the title at Roland Garros, it will be the **first time that multiple Czech players have won Grand Slam girls' singles titles since 2010** – when Karolina Pliskova won the title the Australian Open and Kristyna Pliskova won the title at Wimbledon.
- By reaching the quarterfinals here, Valdmannova has recorded her **best Grand Slam result**. Her previous best result at the Grand Slams was reaching the 3rd round at the Australian Open this year (l. Ena Koike).
- **Last year here**, as a qualifier on her junior Grand Slam debut, Valdmannova reached the 2nd round (l. Alina Koreneva).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Valdmannova fell in the 1st round at J300 Roehampton (GBR) (l. Mingge Xu).

### Potential semifinal head-to-heads

	Jamrichova	Dencheva
Valdmannova	0-0	0-1
Vandromme	0-0	0-0