



TENNIS

PARIS 2024



PARIS 2024 OLYMPIC TENNIS EVENT TOURNAMENT PREVIEW

Tennis is featuring at the Summer Olympic Games for the 17th time as a full-medal sport. The sport was part of the inaugural Summer Olympics in 1896 and remained on the programme until 1924. It returned as a full-medal sport at Seoul 1988 (after being played as a demonstration event in both 1968 and 1984). Since then, the men's and women's singles and men's and women's doubles have been played at every Olympic Tennis Event, with the mixed doubles returning at London 2012.

Great Britain's Charlotte Cooper became the first individual woman to win a gold medal in any Olympic sport when she won the women's tennis singles at Paris 1900.

The Olympic Tennis Event is taking place on outdoor clay courts for the 7th time overall and the 2nd time in the modern era, after 1992 Barcelona. Both Court Philippe Chatrier and Court Suzanne Lenglen have retractable roofs – marking the 3rd time since tennis returned to the Olympics in 1988 that matches can be played indoors, after London 2012 and Tokyo 2020.

EVENT OVERVIEW

Dates: Saturday 27 July – Sunday 4 August 2024

Daily start time: 1200 CET for the day session on all courts; 1900 CET for the evening session on Court Philippe Chatrier (27 July-2 August only)

Gold medal matches and medal ceremonies: Friday 2 August (mixed doubles); Saturday 3 August (women's singles, men's doubles); Sunday 4 August (men's singles, women's doubles)

Bronze medal matches: Friday 2 August (women's singles, men's doubles, mixed doubles); Saturday 3 August (men's singles); Sunday 4 August (women's doubles)

Venue: Stade Roland-Garros

Surface: clay

Draw size: 64 (men's singles, women's singles), 32 (men's doubles, women's doubles), 16 (mixed doubles).

Visit the ITF website to see full details of the [qualification process](#), [eligibility criteria](#) and the [final entry list](#).

Date and time of draw: Thursday 25 July at 1100 CET

Scoring system: all singles matches are played as best of 3 tiebreak sets; all doubles matches are played as best of 3 tiebreak sets with a match tiebreak as the final set

Official ball: Dunlop Olympics and Paralympics PARIS2024

Number of players: 181

Number of nations: 40

ALCARAZ AND KREJCIKOVA AIM TO CONTINUE MOMENTUM

Carlos Alcaraz and Barbora Krejčíková are both bidding to add an Olympic gold medal to the Wimbledon singles titles the pair won earlier in July.

Alcaraz is making his debut at the Olympics, and enters the Olympic Games as the world No. 3 – and the No. 2 seed following Jannik Sinner's withdrawal on Thursday. He will also team up with 2-time Olympic gold medallist Rafael Nadal, who won men's singles gold at Beijing 2008 and men's doubles gold alongside Marc Lopez at Rio 2016, in the men's doubles event.

Krejčíková is making her 2nd appearance at the Olympics, having made her debut at Tokyo 2020. She reached the 3rd round in the women's singles in Tokyo, and took the gold medal in women's doubles alongside Katerina Siniakova. She will play alongside Siniakova here as the No. 2 seeds in the women's doubles event.

ROLAND GARROS CHAMPIONS BID FOR FURTHER SUCCESS IN PARIS

Alcaraz is bidding to become the 2nd player to win the Roland Garros men's singles title and the Olympic men's singles gold medal since tennis returned to the Games at Seoul 1988 – after Nadal, who won his 4th title at Roland Garros and Olympic men's singles gold at Beijing in 2008.

Iga Świątek is bidding to become the 2nd player to win the Roland Garros women's singles title and the Olympic women's singles gold medal since tennis returned to the Games at Seoul 1988 – after Steffi Graf, who won the 'Golden Slam' (winning the title all 4 Grand Slam tournaments and the Olympic gold medal) in women's singles in 1988.

THE CAREER GOLDEN SLAM

24-time Grand Slam singles champion Novak Djokovic is bidding to become the 5th player to win all 4 Grand Slam singles titles and an Olympic gold medal in singles during his career – after Graf, Nadal, Andre Agassi and Serena Williams.

Four doubles teams have won the 'career Golden Slam' – Todd Woodbridge/Mark Woodforde and Bob Bryan/Mike Bryan in men's doubles, and Serena Williams/Venus Williams and defending Olympic champions Krejčíková/Siniakova in women's doubles.

In addition to those 3 doubles teams, 4 individual doubles players have won the 'career Golden Slam' – Gigi Fernandez, Daniel Nestor, defending Olympic men's doubles champion Mate Pavić, and Pam Shriver.

Italian Sara Errani is the only player across the men's and women's doubles draws who can complete the 'career Golden Slam' – the former doubles world No. 1 has won 5 Grand Slam doubles titles, all with compatriot Robert Vinci, who has since retired from professional tennis. Errani takes to the court alongside Roland Garros and Wimbledon women's singles runner-up Jasmine Paolini, with whom she reached the Roland Garros women's doubles final last month.

WORLD NO. 1s AT THE OLYMPICS

With men's world No. 1 Sinner withdrawing due to illness on Thursday, Paris 2024 will extend the streak of no male No. 1-ranked player winning an Olympic singles gold medal since tennis returned to the Olympics at Seoul 1988. The highest-ranked male players to have won gold since then are No. 2 Nadal at Beijing 2008 and No. 2 Andy Murray at Rio 2016.

Świątek would become the 3rd No. 1-ranked player to win the women's singles gold medal at the Olympics – after Graf at Seoul 1988 and Justine Henin at Athens 2004.

At Tokyo 2020, the top-seeded team won the gold medal in both men's and women's doubles in Mektić/Pavić and Krejčíková/Siniakova respectively. In the women's singles, No. 1 seed Ashleigh Barty lost in the 1st round, and in the mixed doubles, top seeds Kristina Mladenović/Nicolas Mahut also fell in the 1st round. Men's singles No. 1 seed Djokovic finished 4th after reaching the semifinals, falling to eventual gold medallist Zverev and losing the bronze medal match to Pablo Carreño Busta.

DEFENDING THE GOLD MEDAL

By winning the men's singles gold medal at Tokyo 2020, Alexander Zverev became the first Olympic tennis gold medallist for Germany since Boris Becker and Michael Stich won men's doubles gold at Barcelona 1992, and the first German gold medallist in singles since Graf won women's singles gold at Seoul 1988.

Zverev is bidding to become the 2nd player ever to defend an Olympic singles title at Paris 2024 – after Murray, who won singles gold at both London 2012 and Rio 2016.

Both the men's and women's doubles gold medallists from Tokyo 2020 will defend their titles at Paris 2024. Nikola Pietrangeli/Mate Pavić won Croatia's first gold medal in Olympic tennis at Tokyo 2020 and will bid to become the first team to successfully defend an Olympic men's doubles title since tennis returned to the Games at Seoul 1988.

Krejčíková/Siniaková won Czechia's first gold medal in Olympic tennis at Tokyo 2020 (NB Miloslav Mečíř, a Slovak player, represented Czechoslovakia when he won men's singles gold at Seoul 1988). The pair will bid to become the 3rd team to successfully defend an Olympic women's doubles title since 1988 – after Fernández/Fernández, who won gold at both Barcelona 1992 and Atlanta 1996, and Williams/Williams, who won gold at both Beijing 2008 and London 2012 (in addition to their gold medal at Sydney 2000).

The Tokyo 2020 women's singles gold medallist, Belinda Bencic, is not competing at Paris 2024, nor are Tokyo 2020 mixed doubles gold medallists Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova/Andrey Rublev.

FRENCH CONTENDERS

Six French players have won medals at the Olympic Tennis Event since tennis returned to the Games in 1988 – most recently at London 2012, when Michael Llodra and Jo-Wilfried Tsonga won men's doubles silver and Julien Benneteau and Richard Gasquet won men's doubles bronze.

French medal winners at the Olympic Tennis Event (Seoul 1988-present)

Player	Event	Medal	Venue & year
Julien Benneteau	Men's Doubles	Bronze	London 2012
Arnaud di Pasquale	Men's Singles	Bronze	Sydney 2000
Richard Gasquet	Men's Doubles	Bronze	London 2012
Michael Llodra	Men's Doubles	Silver	London 2012
Amelie Mauresmo	Women's Singles	Silver	Athens 2004
Jo-Wilfried Tsonga	Men's Doubles	Silver	London 2012

France is fielding 10 players across the men's and women's singles and doubles events here – Clara Burel, Arthur Fils, Caroline Garcia, Varvara Gracheva, Ugo Humbert, Gael Monfilis, Corentin Moutet, Diane Parry, Fabien Reboul and Edouard Roger-Vasselin.

Should any of the 10 French players across singles and doubles win a gold medal here, it would be France's first gold medal at the Olympic Tennis Event since Antwerp 1920, when Suzanne Lenglen and Max Decugis won gold in the mixed doubles together and Lenglen won gold in the women's singles.

Since tennis' return to the Olympics in 1988, just 3 players have won Olympic singles gold on home soil – USA's Agassi and Lindsay Davenport, who both won gold at Atlanta 1996, and Great Britain's Murray, who won his first Olympic gold at London 2012.

CARRYING THE FLAG

Four tennis players have been named as their nation's flagbearers at the Paris 2024 Opening Ceremony on Friday 26 July: Coco Gauff (USA), Nicolas Jarry (Chile), Danka Kovinic (Montenegro) and Elina Svitolina (Ukraine).

THE LAST DANCE

Three-time Olympic medallist Murray and Rio 2016 women's singles silver medallist Angelique Kerber have both announced that the Paris 2024 Olympic Tennis Event will be the final events of their tennis career before retirement.

MOST OLYMPIC MEDALS IN TENNIS

Murray and Nadal are both bidding to become the 4th man – and the first since tennis returned to the Olympics at Seoul 1988 – to win 4 Olympic medals in tennis. Both men will compete in both singles and doubles, Murray alongside Dan Evans, and Nadal alongside Alcaraz.

Most Olympic medals in tennis (men)

Player	No. of medals	Event	Medal	Venue & year
Reginald Doherty	4	Men's Doubles	Gold	Paris 1900
		Mixed Doubles	Gold	Paris 1900
		Men's Doubles	Gold	London 1908 (Outdoor)
		Men's Singles	Bronze	Paris 1900
Charles Dixon	4	Mixed Doubles	Gold	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
		Men's Singles	Silver	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
		Men's Doubles	Bronze	London 1908 (Outdoor)
		Men's Doubles	Bronze	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
Gunner Setterwal	4	Men's Doubles	Silver	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
		Mixed Doubles	Silver	Stockholm 1912 (Outdoor)
		Men's Doubles	Bronze	London 1908 (Indoor)
		Mixed Doubles	Bronze	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
Andy Murray??	4??	Men's Singles	Gold	London 2012
		Men's Singles	Gold	Rio 2016
		Mixed Doubles	Silver	London 2012
		Men's Doubles??	??	Paris 2024??
Rafael Nadal??	4??	Men's Singles	Gold	Beijing 2008
		Men's Doubles	Gold	Rio 2016
		Men's Singles??	??	Paris 2024??
		Men's Doubles??	??	Paris 2024??

Four women have won 4 or more Olympic medals in tennis – with Kathleen McKane and Venus Williams holding the record with 5 Olympic medals each.

Most Olympic medals in tennis (women)

Player	No. of medals	Event	Medal	Venue & year
Kathleen McKane	5	Women's Doubles	Gold	Antwerp 1920
		Mixed Doubles	Silver	Antwerp 1920
		Women's Doubles	Silver	Paris 1924
		Women's Singles	Bronze	Antwerp 1920
		Women's Singles	Bronze	Paris 1924
Venus Williams	5	Women's Singles	Gold	Sydney 2000
		Women's Doubles	Gold	Sydney 2000
		Women's Doubles	Gold	Beijing 2008
		Women's Doubles	Gold	London 2012
		Mixed Doubles	Silver	Rio 2016
Arantxa Sanchez Vicario	4	Women's Doubles	Silver	Barcelona 1992
		Women's Singles	Silver	Atlanta 1996
		Women's Singles	Bronze	Barcelona 1992
		Women's Doubles	Bronze	Atlanta 1996
Serena Williams	4	Women's Doubles	Gold	Sydney 2000
		Women's Doubles	Gold	Beijing 2008
		Women's Singles	Gold	London 2012
		Women's Doubles	Gold	London 2012

Murray and Nadal are bidding to become the 4th player in history, man or woman, to win 3 or more Olympic gold medals in tennis – after Venus Williams and Serena Williams (who have won 4 gold medals each) and Reginald Doherty (who won 3 gold medals).

Murray and Nadal are also bidding to become the 4th player in history (and first man) to win a medal at 3 different Olympic games. (see table overleaf)

Winning medals at 3 different Olympic Games

Player	Event	Medal	Venue & year
Conchita Martinez	Women's Doubles	Silver	Barcelona 1992
	Women's Doubles	Bronze	Atlanta 1996
	Women's Doubles	Silver	Athens 2004
Andy Murray??	Men's Singles	Gold	London 2012
	Men's Singles	Gold	Rio 2016
	Mixed Doubles	Silver	London 2012
	Men's Doubles??	??	Paris 2024??
Rafael Nadal??	Men's Singles	Gold	Beijing 2008
	Men's Doubles	Gold	Rio 2016
	Men's Singles/Doubles??	??	Paris 2024??
Serena Williams	Women's Doubles	Gold	Sydney 2000
	Women's Doubles	Gold	Beijing 2008
	Women's Singles	Gold	London 2012
	Women's Doubles	Gold	London 2012
Venus Williams	Women's Singles	Gold	Sydney 2000
	Women's Doubles	Gold	Sydney 2000
	Women's Doubles	Gold	Beijing 2008
	Women's Doubles	Gold	London 2012
	Mixed Doubles	Silver	Rio 2016

OLYMPIC MEDALLISTS IN THE FIELD

Sixteen Olympic medallists are competing here – of the 16, Murray and Nadal are the only players competing here to have won multiple Olympic medals.

There are 5 other former gold medallists competing here – Tokyo 2020 men's doubles champions Nikola Pietrangeli and Mate Pavić, Tokyo 2020 women's doubles champions Barbora Krejčíková and Katerina Siniakova, and Rio 2016 women's doubles champion Elena Vesnina.

Former Olympic medallists competing at Paris 2024

Player	No. of medals	Event	Medal	Venue & year
Andy Murray	3	Men's Singles	Gold	London 2012
		Men's Singles	Gold	Rio 2016
		Mixed Doubles	Silver	London 2012
Rafael Nadal	2	Men's Singles	Gold	Beijing 2008
		Men's Doubles	Gold	Rio 2016
Novak Djokovic	1	Men's Singles	Bronze	Beijing 2008
Viktorija Golubic	1	Women's Doubles	Silver	Tokyo 2020
Angelique Kerber	1	Women's Singles	Silver	Rio 2016
Barbora Krejčíková	1	Women's Doubles	Gold	Tokyo 2020
Nikola Pietrangeli	1	Men's Doubles	Gold	Tokyo 2020
Kei Nishikori	1	Men's Singles	Bronze	Rio 2016
Mate Pavić	1	Men's Doubles	Gold	Tokyo 2020
John Peers	1	Mixed Doubles	Bronze	Tokyo 2020
Laura Pigossi	1	Women's Doubles	Bronze	Tokyo 2020
Rajeev Ram	1	Mixed Doubles	Silver	Rio 2016
Katerina Siniakova	1	Women's Doubles	Gold	Tokyo 2020
Luisa Stefani	1	Women's Doubles	Bronze	Tokyo 2020
Elina Svitolina	1	Women's Singles	Bronze	Tokyo 2020
Elena Vesnina	1	Women's Doubles	Gold	Rio 2016

WINNING SINGLES AND DOUBLES TITLES

Since tennis returned to the Olympics at Seoul 1988, just 3 players have won the singles and doubles titles at the same Olympic Tennis Event – Venus Williams (Sydney 2000), Nicolas Massu (Athens 2004) and Serena Williams (London 2012). No player has ever won gold in singles, doubles and mixed doubles at the same Olympic Tennis Event.

Players winning singles and doubles at the same Olympic Tennis Event

Player	Venue & year
John Boland	Athens 1896
Laurence Doherty	Paris 1900
Beals Wright	St Louis 1904
Arthur Gore	London 1908 (Indoor)
Andre Gobert	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
Charles Winslow	Stockholm 1912 (Outdoor)
Vincent Richards	Paris 1924
Helen Wills	Paris 1924
Venus Williams	Sydney 2000
Nicolas Massu	Athens 2004
Serena Williams	London 2012

WINNING SINGLES, DOUBLES AND MIXED MEDALS

No player in the modern era has won medals in singles, doubles and mixed doubles at the same Olympic Tennis Event. Seven players achieved the feat between 1900 and 1924. (NB Mixed doubles was reintroduced at the Olympic Tennis Event at London 2012)

GRAND SLAM CHAMPIONS BID FOR OLYMPIC GOLD

A total of 14 Grand Slam singles champions are competing at Tokyo 2020, including 3 of the 5 players who have won Grand Slam singles titles in 2024 – Roland Garros and Wimbledon men's singles champion Alcaraz, Roland Garros women's singles champion Swiatek and Wimbledon women's singles champion Krejčíková.

Grand Slam singles champions at Paris 2024

Player	Grand Slam titles won
Novak Djokovic	24 (2008, 2011-13, 2015-16, 2019-21, 2023 Australian Open; 2011, 2014-15, 2018-22 Wimbledon; 2011, 2015, 2018, 2023 US Open; 2016, 2021, 2023 Roland Garros)
Rafael Nadal	22 (2005-8, 2010-14, 2017-20, 2022 Roland Garros; Wimbledon 2008, 2010; Australian Open 2009, 2022; US Open 2010, 2013, 2017, 2019)
Iga Swiatek	5 (2020, 2022-24 Roland Garros; 2022 US Open)
Carlos Alcaraz	4 (2022 US Open; 2023-24 Wimbledon; 2024 Roland Garros)
Naomi Osaka	4 (2018, 2020 US Open; 2019, 2021 Australian Open)
Angelique Kerber	3 (2016 Australian Open; 2016 US Open; 2018 Wimbledon)
Andy Murray	3 (2012 US Open; 2013, 2016 Wimbledon)
Stan Wawrinka	3 (2014 Australian Open; 2015 Roland Garros; 2016 US Open)
Barbora Krejčíková	2 (2021 Roland Garros; 2024 Wimbledon)
Bianca Andreescu	1 (2019 US Open)
Coco Gauff	1 (2023 US Open)
Daniil Medvedev	1 (2021 US Open)
Jelena Ostapenko	1 (2017 Roland Garros)
Caroline Wozniacki	1 (2018 Australian Open)

OLYMPIC DEBUTANTS

In the women's singles draw, Gauff and Zheng Qinwen are the only 2 players from the Top 8 seeds who are making their Olympic debut. In the men's singles draw, 4 of the Top 8 seeds are making their Olympic debuts at Paris 2024 – Alcaraz, Alex de Minaur, Taylor Fritz, Casper Ruud.

MOST OLYMPIC APPEARANCES

Leander Paes holds the record for most Olympic appearances since Seoul 1988, having played at 7 consecutive Olympic Tennis Events between 1992 and 2016. Djokovic, Murray and Kei Nishikori are all competing at their 5th Olympic Tennis Event, equalling Mahesh Bhupathi, Mark Knowles and Max Mirnyi in 3rd place on the list for most Olympics contested by a male tennis player. Nadal, Gael Monfils and Jean-Julien Rojer are all making their 4th Olympic appearances here.

Most Olympic appearances (men)	
Player	Olympic appearances
Leander Paes	7
Daniel Nestor	6
Mahesh Bhupathi	5
Novak Djokovic	5
Mark Knowles	5
Yen-Hsun Lu	5
Max Mirnyi	5
Andy Murray	5
Kei Nishikori	5
Marin Cilic	4
Roger Federer	4
Hyung-Taik Lee	4
Marcin Matkowski	4
Marcelo Melo	4
Jamie Murray	4
Rafael Nadal	4
Gael Monfils	4
Andrei Pavel	4
Jean-Julien Rojer	4
Gilles Simon	4
Todd Woodbridge	4

Players at Paris 2024 in **bold** (totals include this event)

Errani and Vesnina are making their 5th Olympic appearances at Paris 2024, equalling the record for most Olympic appearances by a female player since Seoul 1988. Latisha Chan, Alicja Rosolska, Heather Watson and Caroline Wozniacki are all contesting the Olympic Tennis Event for the 4th time at Paris 2024. (see table overleaf)

Most Olympic appearances since Seoul 1988 (women)

Player	Olympic appearances
Sara Errani	5
Arantxa Sanchez Vicario	5
Samantha Stosur	5
Venus Williams	5
Elena Vesnina	5
Yayuk Basuki	4
Latisha Chan	4
Alize Cornet	4
Petra Kvitova	4
Conchita Martinez	4
Sania Mirza	4
Alicja Rosolska	4
Rennae Stubbs	4
Carla Suarez Navarro	4
Ai Sugiyama	4
Tamarine Tanasugarn	4
Roberta Vinci	4
Heather Watson	4
Serena Williams	4
Caroline Wozniacki	4

Players at Paris 2024 in **bold** (totals include this event)

YOUTH OLYMPIANS GRADUATE TO THE BIG TIME

A total of 24 players (6 men, 18 women) who competed at one of the 3 Youth Olympic Games are competing at Paris 2024.

At Tokyo 2020, Andrey Rublev and Karen Khachanov became the first tennis players to win medals at both the Youth Olympic Games and the Olympic Games. Rublev won boys' singles bronze and boys' doubles silver with Khachanov at Nanjing 2014. Rublev then won mixed doubles gold with Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova at Tokyo 2020, while Khachanov won men's singles silver.

Of the 24 former Youth Olympians competing here, 11 won medals at the Youth Olympic Games. China, P.R.'s Zheng Saisai, Argentina's Sebastian Baez, Poland's Iga Swiatek, Ukraine's Anhelina Kalinina and Australia's Daria Saville all have the chance to become the first tennis player to win gold medals at both the Youth Olympic Games and the Olympic Games.

Youth Olympic Games medallists competing at Paris 2024

Player	No. of medals	Event	Medal	Venue & year
Zheng Saisai	2	Girls' Doubles	Gold	Singapore 2010
		Girls' Singles	Silver	Singapore 2010
Camila Osorio	2	Mixed Doubles	Silver	Buenos Aires 2018
		Girls' Singles	Bronze	Buenos Aires 2018
Clara Burel	2	Girls' Singles	Silver	Buenos Aires 2018
		Mixed Doubles	Bronze	Buenos Aires 2018
Sebastian Baez	1	Boys' Doubles	Gold	Buenos Aires 2018
Iga Swiatek	1	Girls' Doubles	Gold	Buenos Aires 2018
Anhelina Kalinina	1	Girls' Doubles	Gold	Nanjing 2014
Daria Saville	1	Girls' Singles	Gold	Singapore 2010
Rinky Hijikata	1	Boys' Doubles	Silver	Buenos Aires 2018
Jelena Ostapenko	1	Girls' Doubles	Bronze	Nanjing 2014
Wang Xinyu	1	Girls' Doubles	Bronze	Buenos Aires 2018
Wang Xiyu	1	Girls' Doubles	Bronze	Buenos Aires 2018

BOPANNA SETS NEW AGE RECORD

Aged 44 years 123 days, Rohan Bopanna is bidding to become the oldest Olympic medallist in any tennis category for 116 years. If he wins a medal in the men's doubles alongside N. Sriram Balaji, he will become the oldest player to win an Olympic medal since Great Britain's George Hillyard won the gold medal in the indoor men's doubles at 1908 London aged 44 years 159 days.

By competing at Paris 2024, Bopanna has become the oldest male tennis player since tennis returned to the Olympics at Seoul 1988 – ahead of 43-year-olds Daniel Nestor (43 years 345 days) and Leander Paes (43 years 58 days) at Rio 2016. Since Seoul 1988, Martina Navratilova is only player to have contested the Olympic Tennis Event aged older than Bopanna is now – Navratilova contested the women's doubles at Athens 2004 aged 47 years 309 days.

Four other doubles players here are bidding to enter the list for the Top 5 oldest men to win an Olympic medal – Netherlands' Jean-Julien Rojer (aged 42 years 346 days), Argentina's Maximo Gonzalez (41 years 16 days), France's Edouard Roger-Vasselin (40 years 250 days), and USA's Rajeev Ram (40 years 140 days).

Oldest men to win an Olympic medal

Player	Age	Event	Medal	Venue & year
George Hillyard	44 years 159 days	Men's doubles	Gold	London 1908 Outdoor
George Simond	41 years 111 days	Men's doubles	Silver	London 1908 Indoor
Wilberforce Eaves	40 years 217 days	Men's singles	Bronze	London 1908 Outdoor
Arthur Gore	40 years 132 days	Men's singles Men's doubles	Gold Gold	London 1908 Indoor
Basil De Garmendia	39 years 191 days	Men's doubles	Silver	Paris 1900

ALCARAZ AIMS TO BREAK 100-YEAR RECORD

Aged 21 years 94 days, 2024 Roland Garros champion Alcaraz is bidding to become the youngest player ever to win an Olympic gold medal in men's singles. Vincent Richards of the USA won men's singles gold 100 years ago, on clay, at Paris 1924, aged 21 years 123 days. (NB ages calculated at the end of the tournament).

Since tennis returned to the Olympics as a full-medal sport at Seoul 1988, the youngest player to win gold in Olympic men's singles is Marc Rosset. Aged 21 years 275 days, he won gold at Barcelona 1992, the last time Olympic tennis was contested on clay.

Two other players aged younger than 21 years 123 days are also vying to break the record, the youngest being Czechia's Jakub Mensik, aged 18 years 338 days.

Players competing to break record for youngest men's singles Olympic champion

Player	Age
Jakub Mensik	18 years 338 days
Arthur Fils	20 years 54 days
Carlos Alcaraz	21 years 94 days

YOUNGEST AND OLDEST

The oldest player competing at the Olympic Tennis Event this year is India's Rohan Bopanna (44 years 123 days), who is competing in men's doubles alongside N. Sriram Balaji. The youngest player here is Mirra Andreeva (17 years 98 days), who is competing in women's singles and doubles alongside Diana Shnaider.

Youngest and oldest players competing at Paris 2024

Event	Youngest player	Oldest player
Men's singles	Jakub Mensik (18 years 338 days)	Stan Wawrinka (39 years 130 days)
Women's singles	Mirra Andreeva (17 years 98 days)	Tatjana Maria (36 years 362 days)
Men's doubles	Arthur Fils (20 years 54 days)	Rohan Bopanna (44 years 123 days)
Women's doubles	Mirra Andreeva (17 years 98 days)	Alicja Rosolska (38 years 247 days)
Mixed doubles	Mirra Andreeva (17 years 98 days)	Maximo Gonzalez (41 years 16 days)

NB ages calculated at the end of the tournament

Barcelona 1992 women's singles champion Jennifer Capriati is the youngest player in history to win a gold medal at the Olympic Tennis Event. The youngest man in history to win gold is Friedrich Traun in men's doubles at Athens 1896 and the youngest man in the modern era to win gold is Marc Rosset (21 years 275 days) in men's singles at Barcelona 1992.

Youngest players to win Olympic gold

Event	Player	Age	Venue & year
Men's singles	Vincent Richards	21 years 123 days	Paris 1924
Women's singles	Jennifer Capriati	16 years 132 days	Barcelona 1992
Men's doubles	Friedrich Traun	20 years 13 days	Athens 1896
Women's doubles	Helen Wills	18 years 287 days	Paris 1924
Mixed doubles	Suzanne Lenglen	21 years 93 days	Antwerp 1920

The oldest players to win gold medals in all 5 events all competed at Olympic Games prior to 1924. In the modern era, the oldest man to win gold is Max Mirnyi (35 years 31 days) in mixed doubles at London 2012 and the oldest woman to win gold is Gigi Fernandez (32 years 163 days) in women's doubles at Atlanta 1996.

Oldest players to win Olympic gold

Event	Player	Age	Venue & year
Men's singles	Arthur Gore	40 years 132 days	London 1908 (Indoor)
Women's singles	Edith Hannam	33 years 171 days	Stockholm 1912 (Indoor)
Men's doubles	George Hillyard	44 years 159 days	London 1908 (Outdoor)
Women's doubles	Winifred McNair	43 years 13 days	Antwerp 1920
Mixed doubles	Maxime Decugis	37 years 333 days	Antwerp 1920

ALL-TIME MEDAL TABLE

USA top the all-time Olympic Tennis Event medal table with 21 gold medals won in tennis. Great Britain have won the highest-number of medals overall, with 43 Olympic medals won in tennis in total.

Olympic Tennis Event medal table (all-time top 10)

Rank	Nation	Gold medals	Silver medals	Bronze medals	Total medals
1.	USA	21	6	12	39
2.	Great Britain	17	14	12	43
3.	France	5	6	8	19
4.	Russia	4	5	2	11
5.	South Africa	3	2	1	6
6.	Germany	3	6	2	11
7.	Switzerland	3	3	0	6
8.	Spain	2	7	4	13
9.	Chile	2	1	1	4
10.	Mixed Team	1	3	3	7

MODERN-ERA MEDAL TABLE

USA also tops the modern-era Olympic Tennis Event medal table. Since tennis returned to the Olympics at Seoul 1988, American singles players and doubles teams have won 14 of the 39 available gold medals. USA have also won the most total medals of any nation at the Olympic Tennis Event since 1988, with 24 Olympic medals in tennis in total in that time.

Olympic Tennis Event medal table (since Seoul 1988)

Rank	Nation	Gold medals	Silver medals	Bronze medals	Total medals
1.	USA*	14	3	7	24
2.	Russia	4	5	2	11
3.	Germany*	3	4	2	8
4.	Switzerland*	3	3	0	6
5.	Spain*	2	7	4	13
6.	Great Britain*	2	2	0	4
7.	Chile*	2	1	1	4
8.	Czechia*	1	3	4	8
9.	Australia*	1	1	4	6
10.	Croatia*	1	1	3	5
11.	Czechoslovakia	1	1	1	3
12=	Belarus	1	0	1	2
	Belgium*	1	0	1	2
	China, P.R.*	1	0	1	2
15=	Canada*	1	0	0	1
	Puerto Rico	1	0	0	1
17.	Argentina*	0	2	3	5
18.	France*	0	2	2	4
19.	Sweden	0	1	2	3
20=	Netherlands*	0	1	0	1
	Romania*	0	1	0	1
	South Africa	0	1	0	1
23.	Unified Team	0	0	2	2
24=	Bulgaria*	0	0	1	1
	Brazil*	0	0	1	1
	India*	0	0	1	1
	New Zealand*	0	0	1	1
	Japan*	0	0	1	1
	Serbia*	0	0	1	1
	Ukraine*	0	0	1	1

*nations with athletes competing at the Paris 2024 Olympic Tennis Event

COUNTRY COUNTDOWN

A total of 181 players* from 40 nations are represented at the Paris 2024 Olympic Tennis Event. Of the 40 nations, and 23 have won at least one medal at the Olympic Tennis Event since Seoul 1988. Lebanon are the only nation to make its debut at the Olympic Tennis Event this year. (*NB 7 players are competing as Individual Neutral Athletes (AIN) here)

Nation	Men's singles entries	Women's singles entries	Men's doubles entries*	Women's doubles entries*	Mixed doubles entries*
Argentina	4	2	2	1	1
Australia	4	2	2	2	1
Austria	1	1			
Belgium	1		1		
Brazil	2	2	1	1	
Bulgaria		1			
Canada	2	2	1	1	1
Chile	3		1		
China, P.R.	1	4		2	1
Chinese Taipei				2	
Colombia		1			
Croatia		2	1		1
Czechia	2	4	1	2	1
Denmark		2			
Egypt		1			
France	4	4	2	2	1
Germany	4	4	2	2	1
Great Britain	3	1	2	1	1
Greece	1	1	1	1	1
Hungary	2		1		
India	1		1		
Individual Neutral Athletes (AIN)	3	3	1	2	1
Italy	4	3	2	2	1
Japan	2	2	1	1	1
Kazakhstan	2	1	1		
Latvia		1			
Lebanon	2		1		
Montenegro		1			
Netherlands	2	1	2	1	1
New Zealand				1	
Norway	1				
Poland		3		1	
Portugal	1		1		
Romania		3		2	
Serbia	2				
Slovakia		1			
Spain	4	2	2	1	1
Switzerland	1	1			
Tunisia	1				
Ukraine		4		2	
USA	4	4	2	2	1

*doubles entries are per team

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