





## PARIS 2024 OLYMPIC TENNIS EVENT

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#### On court today...

- Novak Djokovic and Rafael Nadal meet for a record-extending 60th time on Court Philippe Chatrier today, with Djokovic hoping to extend his 30-29 lead in the pair's head-to-head. It is the pair's 2nd meeting at the Olympics, with Nadal having won in the semifinals at Beijing 2008. Nadal also leads the pair's head-to-head on clay and at Roland Garros – but Djokovic is the only player to have beaten Nadal at Roland Garros twice.
- The entire women's singles 2nd round takes place today, with Top 2 seeds Iga Swiatek and Coco Gauff hoping that they can book their places in the 3rd round when they face Diane Parry and Maria Lourdes Carle, respectively, today. Swiatek is bidding to improve upon a 2nd round finish at Tokyo 2020 while Gauff will hope to continue momentum from wins in singles and doubles over the opening weekend here.

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## COURT PHILIPPE CHATRIER – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 1 IGA SWIATEK (POL) v DIANE PARRY (FRA)

### Head-to-head: first time

- SWIATEK is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the first time. This is her 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Swiatek advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Irina-Camelia Begu 62 75 in the 1st round on Saturday.
- Swiatek made her Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, reaching the women's singles 2nd round (d. Mona Barthel, I. Paula Badosa). She also reached the mixed doubles quarterfinals alongside Hubert Hurkacz (I. Elena Vesnina/Aslan Karatsev)
- Swiatek is a 5-time Grand Slam champion. She has won 4 titles at Roland Garros in 2020 (d. Sofia Kenin), 2022 (d. Coco Gauff), 2023 (d. Karolina Muchova) and 2024 (d. Jasmine Paolini) and also won the title at the 2022 US Open (d. Ons Jabeur).
- Swiatek is bidding to become the 2nd player to win the Roland Garros women's singles title and the Olympic women's singles gold medal in the same year after Steffi Graf, who won all 4 Grand Slam singles titles and Olympic singles gold in 1988.
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Swiatek reached the 3rd round at both the Australian Open (I. Linda Noskova) and Wimbledon (I. Yulia Putintseva).
- Swiatek's has won 5 Tour-level titles in 2024. In addition to her title at Roland Garros, she also won the titles at Doha-1000 (d. Elena Rybakina), Indian Wells-1000 (d. Maria Sakkari), Madrid-1000 (d. Aryna Sabalenka) and Rome-1000 (d. Sabalenka). She also reached the semifinals at Dubai-1000 (I. Anna Kalinskaya) and Stuttgart (I. Rybakina), and the round of 16 at Miami-1000 (I. Ekaterina Alexandrova).
- Swiatek became the first Polish player to reach the singles world No. 1 ranking on 4 April 2022 and plays here at the same ranking. She has been ranked at No. 1 for 112 of the 120 weeks since 4 April 2022.
- Swiatek reached a **career-high junior ranking of No. 5** and won the girls' singles at 2018 Wimbledon (d. Leonie Kung). She won girls' doubles gold alongside Kaja Juvan at the Buenos Aires 2018 Youth Olympic Games (d. Yuki Naito/Naho Sato) and reached the girls' singles quarterfinals at the same event (I. Clara Burel).
- Swiatek **led Poland to their 2nd Junior Billie Jean King Cup title** at the 2016 Junior Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Budapest, defeating USA in the title match.
- Swiatek has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Poland since 2018 and has an 11-3 win-loss record in the competition. Poland will play Spain in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Swiatek is coached by Tomasz Wiktorowski.
- **PARRY** is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Parry's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the 3rd round on 3 occasions at 2022 Roland Garros (I. Sloane Stephens), 2022 Wimbledon (I. Jabeur) and the 2024 Australian Open (I. Mirra Andreeva).
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Parry reached the 2nd round at Roland Garros (d. Fiona Ferro, I. Elina Svitolina) but fell in the 1st round at Wimbledon (I. Naomi Osaka).
- Parry's best results in 2024 are reaching the semifinals at Birmingham (I. Karolina Pliskova) and Palermo (I. Zheng Qinwen). She also reached the quarterfinals at Auckland (I. Wang Xiyu) and Austin (I. Anhelina Kalinina) and the round of 16 at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Maria Sakkari).
- Parry is **facing a world No. 1 for the first time**. The highest-ranked players she has faced are No. 2 Barbora Krejcikova, who she defeated in the 1st round at 2022 Roland Garros, and No. 2 Ons Jabeur, to whom she lost in the 3rd round at 2022 Wimbledon.
- Parry reached a career-high ranking of No. 49 in April this year. She plays here at No. 59.

- Parry is a **former junior world No. 1** she reached the No. 1 ranking in October 2019. She competed at the Buenos 2018 Youth Olympic Games, reached the 2nd round in girls' singles and the quarterfinals in girls' doubles.
- Parry made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for France in 2022 and has a 2-2 win-loss record in the competition. France will play away against Colombia in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Parry is coached by Martin Vilar.

## COURT PHILIPPE CHATRIER – MEN'S SINGLES NO. 1 NOVAK DJOKOVIC (SRB) v RAFAEL NADAL (ESP)

# Head-to-head: Djokovic leads 30-29

Head-	to-head: Djokovic leads 30-29				
2006	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	QF	Nadal	64 64 ret. (lower back)
2007	AMS Indian Wells	Hard (O)	FR	Nadal	62 75
2007	AMS Miami	Hard (O)	QF	Djokovic	63 64
2007	AMS Rome	Clay (O)	QF	Nadal	62 63
2007	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	SF	Nadal	75 64 62
2007	Wimbledon	Grass (O)	SF	Nadal	36 61 4-1 ret. (toe blister)
2007	AMS Montreal	Hard (O)	SF	Djokovic	75 63
2007	TMC Shanghai	Hard (I)	RR	Nadal	64 64
2007	AMS Indian Wells	Hard (O)	SF	Djokovic	63 62
2008	AMS Hamburg		SF	Nadal	75 26 62
	0	Clay (O)	SF		
2008	Roland Garros	Clay (O)		Nadal	64 62 76(3) 70(0) 75
2008	Queen's	Grass (O)	FR	Nadal	76(6) 75
2008	AMS Cincinnati	Hard (O)	SF	Djokovic	61 75
2008	Beijing Olympics	Hard (O)	SF	Nadal	64 16 64
2009	Davis Cup (WG-1R)	Clay (O)	M4	Nadal	64 64 61
2009	Monte Carlo-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	63 26 61
2009	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	76(2) 62
2009	Madrid-1000	Clay (O)	SF	Nadal	36 76(5) 76(9)
2009	Cincinnati-1000	Hard (O)	SF	Djokovic	61 64
2009	Paris-1000	Hard (I)	SF	Djokovic	62 63
2009	ATP World Tour Finals	Hard (I)	RR	Djokovic	76(5) 63
2010	US Open	Hard (O)	FR	Nadal	64 57 64 62
2010	ATP World Tour Finals	Hard (I)	RR	Nadal	75 62
2011	Indian Wells-1000	Hard (Ó)	FR	Djokovic	46 63 62
2011	Miami-1000	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	46 63 76(4)
2011	Madrid-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Djokovic	75 64
2011	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Djokovic	64 64
2011	Wimbledon	Grass (O)	FR	Djokovic	64 61 16 63
2011	US Open	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	62 64 67(3) 61
2012	Australian Open	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	57 64 62 67(5) 75
2012	Monte Carlo-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	63 61
2012	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	75 63
2012	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	64 63 26 75
2012	Monte Carlo-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Djokovic	62 76(1)
2013	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	SF	Nadal	64 36 61 67(3) 97
2013	Montreal-1000		SF	Nadal	64 36 76(2)
2013	US Open	Hard (O)	FR	Nadal	62 36 64 61
	•	Hard (O)	FR		
2013	Beijing	Hard (O)		Djokovic	63 64
2013	ATP World Tour Finals	Hard (I)	FR	Djokovic	63 64
2014	Miami-1000	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	63 63
2014	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Djokovic	46 63 63
2014	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	36 75 62 64
2015	Monte Carlo-1000	Clay (O)	SF	Djokovic	63 63
2015	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	QF	Djokovic	75 63 61
2015	Beijing	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	62 62
2015	ATP World Tour Finals	Hard (I)	SF	Djokovic	63 63
2016	Doha	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	61 62
2016	Indian Wells-1000	Hard (O)	SF	Djokovic	76(5) 62
2016	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	QF	Djokovic	75 76(4)
2017	Madrid-1000	Clay (O)	SF	Nadal	62 64
2018	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	SF	Nadal	76(4) 63
2018	Wimbledon	Grass (O)	SF	Djokovic	64 36 76(9) 36 10-8
2019	Australian Open	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	63 62 63
2019	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	60 46 61
2020	ATP Cup	Hard (O)	FR	Djokovic	62 76(4)
2020	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	60 62 75
2021	Rome-1000	Clay (O)	FR	Nadal	75 16 63
2021	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	SF	Djokovic	36 63 76(4) 62
2022	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	QF	Nadal	62 46 62 76(4)

#### Head-to-head notes

This is Djokovic and Nadal's 2nd meeting at the Olympics. Nadal won the pair's only previous meeting at the Olympics, in the semifinals at Beijing 2008. Nadal is now one of 2 players that Djokovic has faced at the Olympics on multiple occasions – he has also contested 2 matches against Juan Martin del Potro, falling in the bronze medal match at London 2012 and in the 1st round at Rio 2016. Nadal has never previously faced a player at the Olympics on multiple occasions.

This is Djokovic and Nadal's 60th Tour-level meeting. They hold the record for most Tour-level men's singles matchups in the Open Era.

Players	No. of Tour-level matches contested	Head-to-head
Novak Djokovic v Rafael Nadal	60*	Djokovic leads 30-29
Novak Djokovic v Roger Federer	50	Djokovic leads 27-23
Roger Federer v Rafael Nadal	40	Nadal leads 24-16
Jimmy Connors v Ivan Lendl	36	Connors leads 23-13
Novak Djokovic v Andy Murray	36	Djokovic leads 25-11
Ivan Lendl v John McEnroe	36	Lendl leads 21-15

#### Most Tour-level men's singles match-ups (Open Era)

\*including today's match

With 18 meetings at the Grand Slams, Djokovic and Nadal hold the Open Era record for most men's singles matches at the Grand Slams. Nadal leads the head-to-head at the Grand Slams 11-7. They have contested 9 Grand Slam finals and jointly hold the Open Era record for most meetings in Grand Slam men's singles finals, alongside Nadal and Roger Federer.

With 10 meetings at Roland Garros, Djokovic and Nadal also hold the Open Era record for most men's singles matches contested at Roland Garros. Nadal leads the head-to-head at Roland Garros 8-2, with his only defeats to Djokovic coming in the quarterfinals in 2015 and in the semifinals in 2021. Djokovic is the only player to have won multiple matches against Nadal at Roland Garros.

This is the pair's 29th meeting on clay. Nadal leads their head-to-head on clay 20-8 – by comparison, Djokovic leads the head-to-head on hard court 20-7 and they are tied 2-2 on grass.

Aside from their meetings in the round robin stage at the 2007 Tennis Masters Cup and the ATP World Tour Finals in 2009 and 2010, and their meeting in Spain's 2009 Davis Cup World Group first round victory against Serbia, all of the pair's meetings prior to today's match have been at the quarterfinal stage of a tournament or later.

- **DJOKOVIC** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 4th time. This is his 5th Olympics appearance.
- Djokovic advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Matthew Ebden 60 61 on Saturday.
- Djokovic is bidding to record his 15th Olympic singles match-win. By recording his 14th Olympic match-win in the 1st round here, Djokovic claimed sole ownership of the record for most Olympic men's singles matches won since Seoul 1988, ahead of Roger Federer.
- Djokovic **won the bronze medal at Beijing 2008**, where he fell to Nadal in the semifinals before defeating James Blake in the bronze medal match. He also finished in 4th place at both London 2012, where he fell to Andy Murray in the semifinals and to Juan Martin del Potro in the bronze medal match, and Tokyo 2020, where he fell to Alexander Zverev in the semifinals and to Pablo Carreno Busta in the bronze medal match. He fell to Del Potro in the 1st round at Rio 2016.
- Djokovic holds the all-time record for most Grand Slam men's singles titles won and jointly holds the record for most Grand Slam singles titles won among men and women, alongside Margaret Court. He has won 24 Grand Slam titles – 10 at the Australian Open, 7 at Wimbledon, 4 at the US Open and 3 at Roland Garros.
- Djokovic is bidding to become the **5th player in history to compete the career 'Golden Slam'** (winning all 4 Grand Slam titles and the Olympic gold medal) in singles after Andre Agassi, Steffi Graf, Nadal and Serena Williams.
- At the Grand Slams this year, Djokovic finished runner-up at Wimbledon (I. Carlos Alcaraz), reached the semifinals at the Australian Open (I. Jannik Sinner) and reached the quarterfinals at Roland Garros, where he gave a walkover to Casper Ruud due to a knee injury.

- Djokovic's **other highlights in 2024** are reaching the semifinals at Monte-Carlo-1000 (I. Casper Ruud) and Geneva (I. Tomas Machac).
- Djokovic holds the record for most weeks ranked No. 1, having held the top ranking for a total of 428 weeks. His most-recent spell as world No. 1 ended in June, when he dropped to No. 3 following his withdrawal from Roland Garros. He rose to No. 2 on 24 June and plays here at the same ranking.
- Djokovic has played **Davis Cup** for Serbia since 2004, has a 44-16 win-loss record in the competition and led Serbia to their only title in the competition to date in 2010. Serbia will host Greece in a World Group I tie in September.
- Djokovic is currently without a permanent coach.
- **NADAL** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 3rd time. This is his 3rd Olympics appearance in singles and his 4th overall.
- Nadal advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Marton Fucsovics 61 46 61 in the 1st round on Saturday.
- Nadal has won 2 Olympic gold medals. He won the men's singles gold medal at Beijing 2008 (d. Fernando Gonzalez) and won the men's doubles gold medal alongside Marc Lopez at Rio 2016 (d. Florin Mergea/Horia Tecau). He also finished 4th in singles at Rio 2016, falling to Juan Martin del Potro in the semifinals and to Kei Nishikori in the bronze medal match.
- Nadal has **won 22 Grand Slams singles titles**. He has won 14 titles at Roland Garros, 4 titles at the US Open and 2 titles at both the Australian Open and Wimbledon.
- Nadal missed the Australian Open and Wimbledon this season and fell in the 1st round at Roland Garros (I. Alexander Zverev). It was the 3rd time he had lost in the 1st round at a Grand Slam – after 2013 Wimbledon (I. Steve Darcis) and the 2016 Australian Open (I. Fernando Verdasco).
- Nadal's **best Tour-level result in 2024** is a runner-up finish at Bastad (I. Nuno Borges). He also reached the quarterfinals at Brisbane (I. Jordan Thompson) and the round of 16 at Madrid-1000 (I. Jiri Lehecka). He has contested 6 Tour-level events in 2024 prior to the Olympics.
- At 38 years 62 days, Nadal is the 2nd-oldest player to compete in singles since tennis returned to the Olympics at Seoul 1988 – after Stan Wawrinka, who is competing here this year aged 39 years 130 days. The oldest player to have competed in singles at the Olympic Tennis Event in the modern era prior to this year was Chinese Taipei's Yen-Hsun Lu, who competed in men's singles at Tokyo 2020 aged 37 years 352 days. (NB ages calculated at the end of the tournament)
- Nadal became world No. 1 for the first time in August 2008 and has been ranked at No. 1 for a total of 209 weeks. He spent 912 consecutive weeks in the Top 10 between 25 April 2005 and 20 March 2023, a men's record for most consecutive weeks spent in the world's Top 10. He plays here at No. 161 and entered the Olympic Tennis Event using a protected ranking of No. 9.
- Nadal is a **4-time Davis Cup champion**. He made his debut in the competition in 2004, has a 37-5 Davis Cup winloss record and was part of the Spanish teams which won the title in 2004, 2008, 2011 and 2019. He holds the record for most Davis Cup titles among active players. Spain were awarded a wild card for the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage and will compete in Group B in Valencia alongside Australia, Czechia and France.
- Nadal is coached by Carlos Moya, Marc Lopez and Gustavo Marcaccio. He competed in men's doubles at the Olympics alongside Moya at Athens 2004 and alongside Lopez at Rio 2016.

## COURT PHILIPPE CHATRIER – MEN'S SINGLES NO. 2 CARLOS ALCARAZ (ESP) v TALLON GRIEKSPOOR (NED)

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

2021	Montpellier Qualifying Draw	Hard (I)	R16	Griekspoor	46 63 61
2021	Estoril Qualifying Draw	Clay (O)	R16	Alcaraz	61 63
2022	Wimbledon	Grass (O)	R64	Alcaraz	64 76(0) 63
2023	Indian Wells-1000	Hard (O)	R32	Alcaraz	76(4) 63

- **ALCARAZ** is contesting the Olympics for the first time here.
- Alcaraz advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Hady Habib 63 61 for his first Olympic match-win on Saturday.
- Alcaraz is a 4-time Grand Slam singles champion. He won his first Grand Slam title at the 2022 US Open (d. Casper Ruud), and won the titles at 2023 Wimbledon (d. Novak Djokovic), 2024 Roland Garros (d. Alexander Zverev) and 2024 Wimbledon (d. Djokovic).
- 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 in the same year – after Rafael Nadal, who won his 4th title at Roland Garros and Olympic men's singles gold at Beijing in 2008.
- Aged 21 years 94 days, Alcaraz is bidding to become the **youngest player ever to win the Olympic men's singles gold medal**. 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).
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Alcaraz reached the quarterfinals at the Australian Open (I. Zverev).
- Alcaraz's other highlights in 2024 are winning the title at Indian Wells-1000 (d. Daniil Medvedev), reaching the semifinals at Buenos Aires (I. Nicolas Jarry) and the quarterfinals at Miami-1000 (I. Grigor Dimitrov) and Madrid-1000 (I. Andrey Rublev).
- Aged 19 years 130 days, Alcaraz became the **youngest world No. 1 in history** after winning the title at the 2022 US Open. He has been ranked as world No. 1 for 36 weeks, most recently between June and September 2023. He plays here at No. 3.
- Alcaraz **led Spain to victory at the 2018 Junior Davis Cup Finals in Budapest**, defeating France in the title match. He reached a career-high junior ranking of No. 22 in January 2020 and his best performance in the junior events at the Grand Slams was his quarterfinal finish in the boys' singles here at 2019 Wimbledon.
- Alcaraz has played **Davis Cup** for Spain since 2022 and has won 2 of the 3 matches he has contested in the competition. Spain were awarded a wild card for the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage and will compete in Group B in Valencia alongside Australia, Czechia and France.
- Alcaraz is coached by former world No. 1 Juan Carlos Ferrero, who reached the men's singles quarterfinals at Sydney 2000.
- **GRIEKSPOOR** is making his Olympic debut at this event.
- Griekspoor advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Petros Tsitsipas 62 63 for his **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Griekspoor's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the 3rd round on 3 occasions at the Australian Open in 2023 (I. Stefanos Tsitsipas) and 2024 (I. Arthur Cazaux) and at 2024 Roland Garros (I. Alexander Zverev).
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Griekspoor reached the 2nd round at Wimbledon (d. Daniel Elahi Galan, I. Miomir Kecmanovic).
- Griekspoor's **best results in 2024** are reaching the semifinals at Rotterdam (I. Jannik Sinner) and 's-Hertogenbosch (I. Sebastian Korda) and the quarterfinals at Geneva (I. Novak Djokovic).
- Griekspoor is bidding to **defeat a Top 5 player for the first time on his 13th attempt**. The highest-ranked player he has defeated is No. 8 Hubert Hurkacz in the 2nd round at Rotterdam this year.

- Griekspoor reached a career-high ranking of No. 21 in November last year. He plays here at No. 28.
- Griekspoor made his **Davis Cup** debut for Netherlands in 2019 and has led the team to quarterfinal finishes in both 2022 and 2023. He has a 9-8 overall win-loss record in the competition. Netherlands will compete in Group in Bologna alongside Italy, Belgium and Brazil at the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage in September.
- Griekspoor is coached by Kristof Vliegen.

## COURT PHILIPPE CHATRIER – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 5 JESSICA PEGULA (USA) v ELINA SVITOLINA (UKR)

#### Head-to-head: Pegula leads 4-1

Abu Dhabi	Hard (O)	R64	Svitolina	64 63
Australian Open	Hard (O)	R16	Pegula	64 36 63
Indian Wells-1000	Hard (O)	R16	Pegula	61 61
Washington	Hard (O)	QF	Pegula	46 63 64
US Open	Hard (O)	R32	Pegula	64 46 62
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- **PEGULA** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the first time. This is her 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Pegula advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Viktorija Golubic 63 64 for her **first Olympic singles match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Pegula **made her Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020**, falling in the 1st round in women's singles (I. Belinda Bencic). She also reached the women's doubles quarterfinals alongside Bethanie Mattek-Sands (I. Laura Pigossi/Luisa Stefani).
- Pegula's **best Grand Slam results** are reaching the quarterfinals on 6 occasions including once at Roland Garros, in 2022 (I. Iga Swiatek).
- In Grand Slam play this year, Pegula reached the 2nd round at the Australian Open (d. Rebecca Marino, I. Clara Burel) and Wimbledon (d. Ashlyn Krueger, I. Wang Xinyu). She did not compete at Roland Garros due to neck and back injuries.
- Pegula's **best Tour-level result in 2024** is winning the title at Berlin (d. Anna Kalinskaya). She also reached the semifinals at Adelaide (I. Daria Kasatkina), San Diego (I. Marta Kostyuk) and Charleston (I. Kasatkina), and reached the quarterfinals at Miami-1000 (I. Ekaterina Alexandrova).
- Pegula reached a career-high ranking of No. 3 in October 2022. She plays here at No. 6.
- Pegula made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for USA in 2019 and has a 6-2 win-loss record in the competition. USA defeated Belgium in the Qualifiers in April and will face Slovakia in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Pegula is coached by Mark Knowles and Mark Merklein, who reached the men's doubles quarterfinals together at Sydney 2000.
- SVITOLINA is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 3rd time. This is her 3rd Olympics appearances.
- Svitolina advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Moyuka Uchijima 62 61 in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Svitolina won the bronze medal in women's singles at Tokyo 2020. She fell to Marketa Vondrousova in the semifinals before defeating Elena Rybakina in the bronze medal match. She also competed at Rio 2016, reaching the quarterfinals in women's singles (I. Petra Kvitova).
- Svitolina's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the semifinals on 3 occasions at Wimbledon in 2019 (I. Simona Halep) and 2023 (I. Vondrousova) and at the 2019 US Open (I. Serena Williams).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Svitolina reached the quarterfinals at Wimbledon (I. Rybakina) and the round of 16 at both the Australian Open (I. Linda Noskova) and Roland Garros (I. Rybakina).
- Svitolina's **best Tour-level result** is finishing runner-up at Auckland (I. Coco Gauff). She also reached the round of 16 at Rome-1000 (I. Aryna Sabalenka).
- Svitolina has **won one of the last 8 matches she has contested against Top 10 players**. Her only victory against a Top 10 player in that time came against No. 10 Ons Jabeur in the 3rd round at Wimbledon this year. She has a 38-49 win-loss record against Top 10 players at Tour-level overall.
- Svitolina reached a career-high ranking of No. 3 in September 2017. She plays here at No. 31.

- Svitolina has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Ukraine since 2012 and has a 15-11 win-loss record in the competition. Ukraine fell to Romania in the Qualifiers in April and will face Austria in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Svitolina is coached by Raemon Sluiter.

## COURT SUZANNE LENGLEN – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 4 JASMINE PAOLINI (ITA) v MAGDA LINETTE (POL)

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

2023 Birmingham Grass (O)

R32 Linette 36 75 64

- **PAOLINI** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the first time. This is her 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Paolini advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Ana Bogdan 75 63 for her first Olympic singles match-win in the 1st round on Saturday.
- Paolini made her Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, falling in the women's singles 1st round (I. Petra Kvitova). She reached the women's doubles 2nd round alongside Sara Errani (d. Nicole Melichar/Aison Riske, I. Lyudmyla Kichenok/Nadiia Kichenok).
- Paolini reached her first 2 Grand Slam singles finals in 2024, finishing runner-up to Iga Swiatek at Roland Garros and to Barbora Krejcikova at Wimbledon. She is the 2nd Italian woman to reach multiple Grand Slam singles finals, after Francesca Schiavone, who won the title at 2010 Roland Garros and finished runner-up at 2011 Roland Garros.
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Paolini reached the round of 16 at the Australian Open (I. Anna Kalinskaya).
- Paolini's other highlights in 2024 are winning her first title at WTA-1000 level at Dubai-1000 (d. Kalinskaya), reaching the semifinals at Eastbourne (I. Daria Kasatkina), the quarterfinals at Stuttgart (I. Elena Rybakina) and the round of 16 at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Anastasia Potapova) and Madrid-1000 (I. Mirra Andreeva).
- Paolini rose to a **career-high ranking** of No. 5 after finishing runner-up at Wimbledon this month, becoming the 3rd Italian woman to be ranked in the Top 5 in singles, after Schiavone and Errani. She plays here at the same ranking.
- Paolini was part of the Italian team which finished as runners-up at the 2023 Billie Jean King Cup Finals (I. Canada). She has competed in Billie Jean King Cup for Italy since 2017 and has an 8-13 win-loss record in the competition. As 2023 runners-up, Italy automatically qualified for the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals and will face the winner of the tie between Japan and Romania in the quarterfinals at the Finals in Malaga in November.
- Paolini is coached by Renzo Furlan, who reached the men's singles quarterfinals at Atlanta 1996 and the men's singles 3rd round at Barcelona 1992.
- **LINETTE** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the first time. This is her 3rd Olympics appearance.
- Linette advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Mirra Andreeva 63 64 for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Linette lost in the 1st round on both of her previous Olympic appearances at Rio 2016 (I. Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova) and Tokyo 2020 (I. Aryna Sabalenka). She also fell in the 1st round in women's doubles alongside Alicja Rosolska at Tokyo 2020 (I. Bethanie Mattek-Sands/Jessica Pegula).
- Linette's best Grand Slam result is reaching the semifinals at the 2023 Australian Open (I. Sabalenka).
- Linette has lost in the 1st round at all 3 Grand Slam events this year at the Australian Open (I. Caroline Wozniacki), Roland Garros (I. Liudmila Samsonova) and Wimbledon (I. Elina Svitolina).
- Linette's best result in 2024 is winning her **3rd Tour-level title** at Prague last week (d. Magdalena Frech). She also finished runner-up at Rouen (I. Sloane Stephens) and reached the quarterfinals at Strasbourg (I. Madison Keys).
- Linette is bidding to end a **5-match losing streak against Top 5 players**. She has not defeated a Top 5 player since defeating No. 4 Caroline Garcia in the round of 16 at the 2023 Australian Open. She has a 3-14 win-loss record against Top 5 players overall.
- Linette reached a career-high ranking of No. 19 in March 2023. She plays here at No. 41.

- Linette has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Poland since 2011 and has a 16-15 overall win-loss record in the competition. Poland will play Spain in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Linette is coached by Mark Gellard.

## COURT SUZANNE LENGLEN – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 2 COCO GAUFF (USA) v MARIA LOURDES CARLE (ARG)

- **GAUFF** is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Gauff advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Ajla Tomljanovic 63 60 for her **first Olympic singles match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday. She recorded her first Olympic match-win on Saturday, defeating Ellen Perez/Daria Saville 63 61 alongside Jessica Pegula in the 1st round in women's doubles.
- Gauff won her first Grand Slam title at the 2023 US Open (d. Aryna Sabalenka). She has reached one other Grand Slam final at 2022 Roland Garros, where she finished runner-up to Iga Swiatek.
- At the Grand Slams this year, Gauff reached the semifinals at both the Australian Open (I. Sabalenka) and Roland Garros (I. Swiatek) and reached the round of 16 Wimbledon (I. Emma Navarro)
- Gauff's best Tour-level result in 2024 is winning the title at Auckland (d. Elina Svitolina). Her other highlights this season are reaching the semifinals at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Maria Sakkari), Rome-1000 (I. Iga Swiatek), and Berlin (I. Jessica Pegula) and the quarterfinals at Dubai-1000 (I. Anna Kalinskaya) and Stuttgart (I. Marta Kostyuk).
- Gauff recached a **career-high ranking** of No. 2 last month after reaching the semifinals at Roland Garros. She plays here at the same ranking.
- Gauff is a **former junior world No. 1**, achieving the top ranking in July 2018. She won the girls' singles title at 2018 Roland Garros (d. Caty McNally) and won the girls' doubles title alongside McNally at the 2018 US Open (d. Hailey Baptiste/Dalayna Hewitt). She never contested a Youth Olympic Games.
- Gauff led USA to their 5th Junior Billie Jean King Cup title at the 2018 Junior Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Budapest, defeating Ukraine in the title match.
- Gauff made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for USA at the 2022 Finals and has a 3-1 win-loss record in the competition. USA defeated Belgium 3-0 in the Qualifiers in April and will face Slovakia in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Gauff is coached by Jean Christophe Faurel and Brad Gilbert, who won men's singles bronze at Seoul 1988.
- CARLE is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Carle advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Tatjana Maria 60 60 for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Carle **made her Grand Slam main draw debut** at Roland Garros this year, falling to Elise Mertens in the 1st round. She also fell in the 1st round at Wimbledon (I. Katie Volynets). She did not compete at the Australian Open.
- Carle's best Tour-level result in 2024 is reaching the 3rd round at Madrid-1000 (I. Jelena Ostapenko). She has
  won one title at WTA-125 level this season at La Bisbal d'Emporda (ESP) (d. Rebeka Masarova) and won one title
  on the ITF World Tennis Tour at W75 Vero Beach, FL (USA) (d. Gabriela Lee).
- Carle is facing a Top 5 player for the first time. The highest-ranked player she has previously faced is No. 10 Ostapenko in the 3rd round at Madrid-1000 this year. The highest-ranked player she has defeated is No. 19 Veronika Kudermetova in the 2nd round at Madrid-1000 this year.
- Carle reached a career-high ranking of No. 71 in May this year. She plays here at No. 85.
- Carle was a **good junior**. She reached a career-high junior ranking of No. 9 in November 2017 and reached the girls' singles semifinals at the 2017 US Open (I. Gauff). She fell to Camila Osorio in the 1st round in girls' singles at the Buenos Aires 2018 Youth Olympic Games and finished in 4th place alongside Osorio in girls' doubles.
- Carle has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Argentina since 2016 and has an 8-4 win-loss record in the competition. Argentina won promotion from the Americas Group I event in April and will play away against Brazil in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Carle is coached by Matias Caceres.

## COURT SUZANNE LENGLEN – MEN'S SINGLES NO. 6 CASPER RUUD (NOR) v ANDREA VAVASSORI (ITA)

- **RUUD** is making his Olympic debut at this event.
- Ruud advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Taro Daniel 75 61 for his **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Ruud is a **3-time Grand Slam finalist**. He finished runner-up at Roland Garros in 2022 (I. Rafael Nadal) and 2023 (I. Novak Djokovic), and at the 2022 US Open (I. Carlos Alcaraz).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Ruud reached the semifinals at Roland Garros (I. Alexander Zverev), the 3rd round at the Australian Open (I. Cameron Norrie) and reached the 2nd round at Wimbledon (I. Fabio Fognini).
- Ruud's best results in 2024 are winning the titles at Barcelona (d. Stefanos Tsitsipas) and Geneva (d. Tomas Machac). He also finished runner-up at Los Cabos (I. Jordan Thompson), Acapulco (I. Alex de Minaur) and Monte Carlo-1000 (I. Tsitsipas) and reached the semifinals at Estoril (I. Pedro Martinez) and the quarterfinals at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Tommy Paul).
- Ruud reached a **career-high ranking** of No. 2 after his runner-up finish at the 2022 US Open. He plays here at No. 9.
- Ruud is a **former junior No. 1.** He reached the No. 1 ranking in January 2016 and was the first Norwegian player to hold the top junior ranking.
- Ruud has played **Davis Cup** for Norway since 2015 and has a 25-9 overall win-loss record in the competition. Norway will host Portugal in a World Group I tie in September.
- Ruud is coached by his father, Christian Ruud, who competed at Barcelona 1992, Atlanta 1996 and Sydney 2000. His best singles result was a 3rd round finish at Atlanta 1996.
- VAVASSORI is making his Olympic debut at this event.
- Vavassori advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Pedro Martinez 64 46 64 for his **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Vavassori has made 2 Grand Slam singles appearances he fell in the 1st round as a qualifier at 2022 Wimbledon (I. Frances Tiafoe) and reached the 2nd round as a qualifier at 2023 Roland Garros (d. Miomir Kecmanovic, I. Genaro Alberto Olivieri).
- Vavassori has reached **2 Grand Slam doubles finals** he finished runner-up alongside Simone Bolelli at both the Australian Open (I. Rohan Boppana/Matthew Ebden) and Roland Garros (I. Marcelo Arevalo/Mate Pavic) this year.
- Vavassori's best Tour-level result in 2024 is reaching the quarterfinals as a qualifier at Buenos Aires, where he defeated Thiago Seyboth Wild and Laslo Djere before falling to Carlos Alcaraz. He has recorded just one other Tour-level match-win prior to his victory in the 1st round here in a 2nd round finish as a qualifier at Miami-1000 (d. Pedro Cachin, I. Jannik Sinner).
- Vavassori is bidding to **defeat a Top 10 player for the first time on his 4th attempt**. The highest-ranked player he has defeated is No. 35 Djere in the 2nd round at Buenos Aires this year.
- Vavassori reached a **career-high ranking** of No. 128 in June 2023. He plays here at No. 206. He entered the singles draw here following the withdrawal of Sinner due to tonsilitis on Thursday.
- Vavassori is coached by his father, Davide Vavassori.

## COURT SUZANNE LENGLEN – MIXED DOUBLES NO. 1 SIEGEMUND/ZVEREV (GER) v SINIAKOVA/MACHAC (CZE)

- **SIEGEMUND/ZVEREV** are competing together at the Olympics for the first time. This is Siegemund's 3rd Olympic appearance and Zverev's 2nd Olympic appearance.
- Siegemund **reached the quarterfinals in mixed doubles at Tokyo 2020** alongside Kevin Krawietz (d. Bethanie Mattek-Sands/Rajeev Ram, I. Nina Stojanovic/Novak Djokovic). Zverev is making his first appearance in Olympic mixed doubles here.
- Zverev won the **men's singles gold medal on his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020** (d. Karen Khachanov). He also reached the quarterfinals in the men's doubles alongside Jan-Lennard Struff.
- Siegemund's **best Olympic singles result** is reaching the quarterfinals at Rio 2016 (I. Monica Puig). She fell in the 1st round at Tokyo 2020 (I. Elina Svitolina).
- Siegemund has won one Grand Slam women's doubles title and 2 Grand Slam mixed doubles titles. She won
  the women's doubles title alongside Vera Zvonareva at the 2020 US Open (d. Nichole Melichar/Xu Yifan) and also
  finished runner-up alongside Zvonareva at the 2023 US Open (l. Gabriela Dabrowski/Erin Routliffe). She won the
  mixed doubles titles alongside Mate Pavic at the 2016 US Open (d. CoCo Vandeweghe/Rajeev Ram) and alongside
  Edouard Roger-Vasselin at 2024 Roland Garros (d. Desirae Krawczyk/Neal Skupski).
- Siegemund/Zverev are making their 3rd appearance as a mixed doubles team, having also competed together at the United Cup in 2023 and 2024. They have a 4-0 win-loss record as a team, defeating Czechia's Maria Bouzkova/Jiri Lehecka in the group stage at the 2023 United Cup, and defeating Greece's Maria Sakkari/Petros Tsitsipas, Australia's Storm Hunter/Matthew Ebden, and Poland's Iga Swiatek/Hubert Hurkacz in the 3 knockout rounds of the competition as Germany won the 2024 United Cup.
- Siegemund rose to a **career-high doubles ranking** of No. 4 in January this year. She plays here ranked at No. 5. She reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 27 in August 2016 and is currently ranked at No. 64.
- Zverev rose to a **career-high singles ranking** of No. 2 after reaching the semifinals at 2022 Roland Garros. He re-entered the Top 5 for the first time since October 2022 in March this year and plays here at No. 4.
- Siegemund has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Germany since 2017 and has a 4-6 overall win-loss record in the competition. Germany defeated Brazil in the Qualifiers in April and will face Great Britain in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Zverev has played **Davis Cup** for Germany since 2016 and has a 9-6 overall win-loss record in the competition. Germany defeated Hungary in the Qualifiers in February to reach the 2024 Davis Cup Finals and will compete in Group C in Zhuhai alongside USA, Slovakia and Chile.
- Siegemund is coached by Antonio Zucca. Zverev is coached by his father, Alexander Zverev Sr.
- **SINIAKOVA/MACHAC** are making their first appearance in mixed doubles at the Olympics, either individually or as a team. They are both making their 2nd Olympics appearances overall.
- Siniakova won the **women's doubles gold medal on her Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020** alongside Barbora Krejcikova (d. Belinda Bencic/Viktorija Golubic).
- Machac made his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, reaching the 2nd round in men's singles (d. Joao Sousa, l. Diego Schwartzman).
- Siniakova is a 9-time Grand Slam women's doubles champion. She won her first 7 titles alongside Krejcikova at Roland Garros in 2018 and 2021, at Wimbledon in 2018 and 2022, at the Australian Open in 2022 and 2023, and at the 2022 US Open. She also won the women's doubles titles at 2024 Roland Garros alongside Coco Gauff (d. Sara Errani/Jasmine Paolini) and 2024 Wimbledon alongside Taylor Townsend (d. Gabriela Dabrowski/Erin Routliffe).

- Machac's best Grand Slam men's doubles results both came alongside Zhang Zhizhen in 2024 reaching the semifinals at the Australian Open (I. Rohan Bopanna/Matthew Ebden) and the quarterfinals at Roland Garros (I. Marcel Granollers/Horacio Zeballos).
- Siniakova/Machac are making their **3rd appearance as a mixed doubles team**. They have lost in the 1st round on both of their previous appearances as a team at the 2022 Australian Open (I. Nadiia Kichenok/Santiago Gonzalez) and 2024 Roland Garros (I. Hsieh Su-Wei/Jan Zielinski).
- Siniakova jointly reached the **doubles world No. 1 ranking** with Krejcikova for the first time in October 2018 and has spent a total of 115 weeks at world No. 1. She is currently ranked at No. 2. She reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 27 in June this year and is currently ranked at No. 39.
- Machac reached a **career-high doubles ranking** of No. 51 earlier this month and plays here at No. 53. He reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 33 in June this year and is currently ranked at No. 39.
- Siniakova was part of the Czech team that won the 2018 Billie Jean King Cup. She won both singles matches
  she contested in the 2018 final as Czechia defeated USA 3-0 to win the competition. She has a 10-8 win-loss record
  in the competition. Czechia received a wild card to the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November and
  will face the winner of Spain and Poland in the quarterfinals at the Finals in Malaga in November.
- Machac has played **Davis Cup** for Czechia since 2021 and has a 9-6 overall win-loss record in the competition. Czechia defeated Israel in the Qualifiers in February to reach the 2024 Davis Cup Finals and will compete in Group B in Valencia alongside Australia, France and Spain.
- Siniakova is coached by Peter Huber. Machac is coached by Daniel Vacek, who reached the men's doubles quarterfinals alongside Jiri Novak at Atlanta 1996.

## COURT SUZANNE LENGLEN – MIXED DOUBLES ERRANI/VAVASSORI (ITA) v ANDREEVA/MEDVEDEV (AIN)

- **ERRANI/VAVASSORI** are competing as a doubles team for the 2nd time at any level. Errani is making her 5th Olympic appearance while Vavassori is making his Olympic debut at this event.
- Errani is **contesting the mixed doubles at the Olympics for the 2nd time**. She fell in the 1st round alongside Andreas Seppi at London 2012 (I. Lisa Raymond/Mike Bryan).
- Errani is bidding to win the women's doubles gold medal here and complete the career 'Golden Slam' in women's doubles. She would become the 7th player to complete the 'career Golden Slam' in women's doubles if she wins the gold medal here after Gigi Fernandez, Barbora Krejcikova, Katerina Siniakova, Pam Shriver, Serena Williams and Venus Williams.
- Errani is a 5-time Grand Slam women's doubles champion. She won all 5 of her titles alongside Roberta Vinci at 2012 Roland Garros (d. Maria Kirilenko/Nadia Petrova), at the 2012 US Open (d. Andrea Hlavackova/Lucie Hradecka), at the Australian Open in 2013 (d. Ashliegh Barty/Casey Dellacqua) and 2014 (d. Ekaterina Makarova/Elena Vesnina), and at 2014 Wimbledon, completing the career Grand Slam as a team (d. Timea Babos/Kristina Mladenovic).
- Errani is a Grand Slam singles finalist. She reached the singles final at 2012 Roland Garros (I. Maria Sharapova).
- Vavassori has reached 2 Grand Slam men's doubles finals he finished runner-up alongside Simone Bolelli at both the Australian Open (I. Rohan Boppana/Matthew Ebden) and Roland Garros (I. Marcelo Arevalo/Mate Pavic) this year.
- Errani/Vavassori are contesting their **2nd mixed doubles event as a team**. They fell in the 1st round on their only previous appearance together at Wimbledon this year(I. Aldila Sutjiadi/Jackson Withrow).
- Errani is a **former doubles world No. 1**. She reached the top ranking for the first time in September 2012 after winning the women's doubles at the US Open alongside Vinci. She has spent a total of 87 weeks at world No. 1. She plays here at No. 16. She reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 5 in March 2013 and is currently ranked at No. 91.
- Vavassori reached a **career-high doubles ranking** of No. 9 earlier this month. He plays here at the same ranking. He reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 128 in June 2023 and is currently ranked at No. 206.
- Vavassori entered the men's singles draw here as an alternate following the withdrawal of Sinner due to tonsilitis on Thursday. He defeated Pedro Martinez 64 46 64 for his first Olympic match-win in the 1st round on Sunday and plays Casper Ruud in the 2nd round today.
- Errani is a **3-time Billie Jean King Cup champion**. She made her debut in the competition in 2008, has a 26-21 Billie Jean King Cup win-loss record and was part of the Italian teams which won the title in 2009, 2010 and 2013. As 2023 runners-up, Italy automatically qualified for the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals, and will face the winner of Japan and Romania in the quarterfinals at the Finals in Malaga in November.
- Errani is coached by Pablo Lozano. Vavassori is coached by Davide Vavassori.
- **ANDREEVA/MEDVEDEV** are contesting mixed doubles at any level for the first time, as individuals or as a team. Andreeva is making her Olympic debut at this event while Medvedev is making his 2nd Olympic appearance.
- Medvedev made his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, reaching the men's singles quarterfinals at Tokyo 2020 (I. Pablo Carreno Busta)
- Medvedev won his first Grand Slam singles title at the 2021 US Open (d. Novak Djokovic). He has reached 5 other Grand Slam finals finishing runner-up at the US Open in 2019 (I. Rafael Nadal) and 2023 (I. Djokovic), and at the Australian Open in 2021 (I. Djokovic), 2022 (I. Nadal) and 2024 (I. Jannik Sinner).
- Andreeva's **best Grand Slam singles result** is reaching the semifinals at Roland Garros this year (I. Jasmine Paolini).

- Andreeva's **best Grand Slam doubles result** is reaching the quarterfinals at 2024 Roland Garros alongside Vera Zvonareva, with the pair giving a walkover to Marta Kostyuk/Elena-Gabriela Ruse.
- Andreeva reached a **career-high singles ranking** of 23 last month after reaching her first Grand Slam singles semifinal at Roland Garros. She plays here at the same ranking
- Medvedev **became singles world No. 1** on 28 February 2022, becoming the first player other than the 'Big 4' (Novak Djokovic, Roger Federer, Andy Murray and Rafael Nadal) to hold the top ranking since Andy Roddick in February 2004. He held the No. 1 ranking for 16 weeks during 2022 but is yet to return to the No. 1 ranking. He plays here at No. 5. He is currently unranked in doubles.
- Andreeva is coached by Conchita Martinez, who is one of only 3 players to win medals at 3 different Olympic Games
   – she won the silver medal in women's doubles alongside Arantxa Sanchez Vicario at Barcelona 1992 and alongside
   Virginia Ruano Pascal at Athens 2004 and and the bronze medal in women's doubles alongside Sanchez Vicario at
   Atlanta 1996. Medvedev is coached by Gilles Cervara.

## COURT SIMONNE MATTHIEU – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 9 BARBORA KREJCIKOVA (CZE) v WANG XINYU (CHN)

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

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- **KREJCIKOVA** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 2nd time. This is her 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Krejcikova advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Sara Sorribes Tormo 46 60 76(3) in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Krejcikova's **made her Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020**, reaching the 3rd round in women's singles she defeated Zarina Diyas and Leylah Fernandez before falling to Belinda Bencic.
- Krejcikova **won women's doubles gold at Tokyo 2020** alongside Katerina Siniakova, defeating Bencic/Viktorija Golubic in the final.
- Krejcikova **won her 2nd Grand Slam singles title** at Wimbledon this year, defeating Jasmine Paolini in the final. Her first Grand Slam title came at 2021 Roland Garros (d. Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova).
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Krejcikova reached the quarterfinals at the Australian Open (I. Aryna Sabalenka) but fell in the 1st round at Roland Garros (I. Golubic).
- Krejcikova has **won 7 Grand Slam women's doubles titles** alongside Siniakova at Roland Garros in 2018 and 2021, at Wimbledon in 2018 and 2022, at the Australian Open in 2022 and 2023, and at the 2022 US Open. She has also won 3 Grand Slam mixed doubles titles at the Australian Open in 2019-21.
- Krejcikova's **other highlights in 2024** are reaching the quarterfinals at Abu Dhabi (I. Liudmila Samsonova) and Birmingham (I. Anastasia Potapova).
- Krejcikova achieved a career-high singles ranking of No. 2 in February 2022. She plays here at No. 10.
- Krejcikova reached a **career-high junior ranking of No. 3** and reached the girls' singles quarterfinals at the Australian Open in 2012 (I. Yulia Putintseva) and 2013 (I. Ana Konjuh) and at 2013 Wimbledon (I. Taylor Townsend). She was part of the Czech team that finished 3rd at the 2011 Junior Billie Jean King Cup Finals.
- Krejcikova was part of the Czech team that won the 2018 Billie Jean King Cup, but did not contest a match that year. She made her Billie Jean King Cup debut for Czechia against Romania in the 2019 World Group quarterfinals and has a 5-5 win-loss record in the competition.
- Krejcikova is coached by Pavel Motl.
- WANG is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Wang advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Tamara Korpatsch 62 61 for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Wang's **best Grand Slam singles result** is reaching the round of 16 on 2 occasions at the 2023 US Open (I. Karolina Muchova) and 2024 Wimbledon (I. Elina Svitolina).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Wang reached the 3rd round at Roland Garros, where she defeated Jule Niemeier and Viktoriya Tomova before falling to Anastasia Potapova, but fell in the 1st round at the Australian Open (I. Diane Parry).
- Wang is a **Grand Slam doubles champion**. She won the women's doubles title alongside Hsieh Su-Wei at 2023 Roland Garros (d. Leylah Fernandez/Taylor Townsend).
- Wang's **best result in 2024** is reaching the semifinals at Hua Hin (I. Diana Shnaider). It is one of 4 occasions she has recorded back-to-back Tour-level match-wins this year in addition to her round of 16 finish at Wimbledon and 3rd round finish at Roland Garros, she also reached the 3rd round at Miami-1000 (I. Madison Keys).

- Wang is bidding to **defeat a Top 10 player for the 2nd time**. She has a 1-6 win-loss record against Top 10 players, with her only victory coming in her most-recent match against a Top 10 player against No. 5 Jessica Pegula in the 2nd round at Wimbledon this year.
- Wang reached a career-high ranking of No. 32 in October 2023. She plays here 4 places lower at No. 36.
- Wang was a **good junior**. She reached a career-high junior ranking of No. 2 in October 2018 and reached the girls' singles semifinals at the Australian Open (I. Clara Burel) and Wimbledon (I. Iga Swiatek) in 2018. At the Buenos Aires 2018 Youth Olympic Games, she finished in 4th place in girls' singles and won the bronze medal alongside in girls' doubles Wang Xiyu.
- Wang made her Billie Jean King Cup debut for China, P.R. and has a 4-3 win-loss record in the competition. China, P.R. won promotion at the Asia/Oceania Group I event this year and will play at home against Belgium in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Wang is coached by Miro Hrvatin.

## COURT SIMONNE MATTHIEU – MEN'S SINGLES NO. 10 UGO HUMBERT (FRA) v FRANCISCO CERUNDOLO (ARG)

## Head-to-head: first meeting

- **HUMBERT** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 2nd time. This is his 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Humbert advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Fabian Marozsan 63 62 in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Humbert made his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, reaching the quarterfinals in men's singles (I. Karen Khachanov).
- Humbert's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the round of 16 at Wimbledon in 2019 (I. Novak Djokovic) and this year (I. Carlos Alcaraz).
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams this year, Humbert reached the 3rd round at the Australian Open (I. Hubert Hurkacz) but lost in the 1st round at Roland Garros (I. Lorenzo Sonego).
- Humbert's best results in 2024 are winning his 5th and 6th Tour-level titles at Marseille (d. Grigor Dimitrov) and Dubai (d. Alexander Bublik). He has won all 6 Tour-level finals he has contested. He also reached the semifinals at 's-Hertogenbosch (I. Alex de Minaur).
- Humbert reached a career-high ranking of No. 13 in April this year. He plays here 2 places lower at No. 15.
- Humbert made his Davis Cup debut for France against Hungary in the 2023 Qualifiers, and has a 4-1 win-loss record in the competition. France will compete in Valencia alongside Australia, Czechia and Spain in Group B at the 2024 Davis Cup Finals.

Humbert is coached by Jeremy Chardy, who also reached the men's singles quarterfinals at Tokyo 2020.

- **CERUNDOLO** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the first time. This is his 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Cerundolo advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Tomas Barrios Vera for his **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Cerundolo made his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, falling in the 1st round in men's singles (I. Liam Broady).
- Cerundolo's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the round of 16 at Roland Garros in 2023 (I. Holger Rune) and 2024 (I. Novak Djokovic).
- Elsewhere at the Grand Slams in 2024, Cerundolo reached the 2nd round at the Australian Open (d. Dane Sweeny, I. Fabian Marozsan) but fell in the 1st round at Wimbledon (I. Roman Safiullin).
- Cerundolo's best result in 2024 is winning his 3rd Tour-level title at Umag on Saturday night (d. Lorenzo Musetti). He also reached the semifinals at Rio de Janeiro (I. Sebastian Baez) and the quarterfinals at Bucharest (I. Mariano Navone), Madrid-1000 (I. Taylor Fritz) and Hamburg (I. Pedro Martinez).
- Cerundolo reached a career-high ranking of No. 19 in June 2023. He plays here at No. 26.
- Cerundolo made his **Davis Cup** debut for Argentina in 2022 and has a 3-3 win-loss record in the competition. Argentina will compete in Group D in Manchester alongside Canada, Finland and Great Britain at the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage.
- Cerundolo is coached by Kevin Konfederak.

## COURT SIMONNE MATTHIEU – MEN'S SINGLES NO. 8 STEFANOS TSITSIPAS (GRE) v DANIEL EVANS (GBR)

#### Head-to-head: Tsitsipas leads 4-0

2020	Dubai	Hard (O)	SF	Tsitsipas	62 63
2020	Hamburg	Clay (O)	R32	Tsitsipas	63 61
2021	Monte Carlo-1000	Clay (O)	SF	Tsitsipas	62 61
2022	Paris-1000	Hard (I)	R32	Tsitsipas	63 64

- **TSITSIPAS** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 2nd time. This is his 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Tsitsipas advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Zizou Bergs 76(6) 16 61 in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Tsitsipas made his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020, reaching the 3rd round in men's singles (I. Ugo Humbert). He also reached the quarterfinals in mixed doubles alongside Maria Sakkari (I. Ashleigh Barty/John Peers).
- Tsitsipas is a **2-time Grand Slam singles finalist**. He became the first Greek player to reach a Grand Slam final at 2021 Roland Garros, where he fell to Novak Djokovic in 5 sets despite holding a 2-0 lead. He also fell to Djokovic in the final at the 2023 Australian Open.
- At the Grand Slams in 2024, Tsitsipas reached the quarterfinals at Roland Garros (I. Carlos Alcaraz), the round of 16 at the Australian Open (I. Taylor Fritz) and the 2nd round at Wimbledon (I. Emil Ruusuvuori).
- Tsitsipas' **best result in 2024** is winning the title at Monte Carlo-1000 (d. Casper Ruud). He also finished runner-up at Barcelona (I. Ruud), reached the semifinals at Los Cabos (I. Ruud) and Gstaad (I. Matteo Berrettini), and the quarterfinals at Acapulco (I. Alex de Minaur) and Rome-1000 (I. Nicolas Jarry).
- Tsitsipas reached a career-high ranking of No. 3 in August 2021. He plays here at No. 11.
- Tsitsipas is a **former junior world No. 1**. His best Grand Slam singles results as a junior were reaching the semifinals at both Wimbledon (I. Denis Shapovalov) and the US Open (I. Felix Auger-Aliassime) in 2016.
- Tsitsipas made his **Davis Cup** debut for Greece at the 2019 Europe Group III event in Athens and has a 13-3 overall win-loss record in the competition. Greece will play away against Serbia in a World Group I tie in September.
- Tsitsipas is coached by his father, Apostolos Tsitsipas.
- EVANS is making his Olympic debut at this event.
- Evans advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Moez Echargui 62 46 62 for his **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday. He also recorded a victory in men's doubles alongside Andy Murray, saving 5 match points in a 26 76(5) [11-9] victory against Taro Daniel/Kei Nishikori.
- Evans' **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the round of 16 on 2 occasions at the 2017 Australian Open (I. Jo-Wilfried Tsonga) and at the 2021 US Open (I. Daniil Medvedev).
- Evans has lost in the 1st round at all 3 Grand Slam events this year at the Australian Open (I. Lorenzo Sonego), Roland Garros (I. Holger Rune) and Wimbledon (I. Alejandro Tabilo).
- **Prior to Wimbledon**, Evans lost to Brandon Nakashima in the 1st round at Queen's, retiring in the final set with a right knee injury. He also reached the quarterfinals at the Nottingham 2 Challenger (GBR) (I. Charles Broom) and the 2nd round at the Surbiton Challenger (GBR) (d. Adam Walton, I. Zachary Svajda).
- Evans is bidding to record his **5th Tour-level match-win of 2024**. His only match-wins at Tour-level so far this season prior to this event came in 2nd round finishes at Adelaide (d. Rinky Hijikata, I. Alexander Bublik), Los Cabos (d. Roman Safiullin, I. Thanasi Kokkinakis) and Miami-1000 (d. Lorenzo Sonego, I. Christopher Eubanks). His victory against Echargui in the 1st round here ended a 9-match Tour-level losing streak, with his last Tour-level victory having come against Sonego at Miami-1000.
- Evans is bidding to end a **6-match losing streak against Top 20 players**. He has not defeated a Top 20 player since defeating No. 12 Alex de Minaur at the 2023 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage. He has a 26-56 win-loss record against Top 20 players at Tour-level overall.

- Evans reached a career-high ranking of No. 21 in August 2023. He plays here at No. 58.
- Evans has played **Davis Cup** for Great Britain since 2009 and has a 16-21 win-loss record in the competition. Great Britain received a wild card to the group stage at the 2024 Davis Cup Finals and will compete in Manchester alongside Canada, Finland and Argentina in Group D.
- Evans is currently without a permanent coach.

## COURT SIMONNE MATTHIEU – MEN'S DOUBLES NO. 4 KRAJICEK/RAM (USA) v DE MINAUR/POPYRIN (AUS)

- **KRAJICEK/RAM** are contesting the Olympics as a team for the first time. This is Krajicek's 2nd Olympics appearance and Ram's 3rd Olympics appearance.
- Krajicek **made his Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020**, finishing in 4th place in men's doubles alongside Tennys Sandgren. The pair fell to Nikola Mektic/Ivan Dodig in the semifinals and to Marcus Daniell/Michael Venus in the bronze medal match.
- Ram is won the silver medal in mixed doubles at Rio 2016 alongside Venus Williams, falling to Bethanie Mattek-Sands/Jack Sock. He fell in the 2nd round on both of his appearances in men's doubles at the Olympics alongside Brian Baker at Rio 2016 (d. Gael Monfils/Jo-Wilfried Tsonga, I. Oliver Marach/Alexander Peya) and alongside Frances Tiafoe at Tokyo 2020 (d. Karen Khachanov/Andrey Rublev, I. Marin Cilic/Ivan Dodig).
- Krajicek/Ram have **competed as a team at 4 Tour-level tournaments**, as well as representing USA together in Davis Cup and at the ATP Cup. Their best result as a team is winning the title at 2018 Moscow (d. Max Mirnyi/Philipp Oswald). They have contested 2 events together this season, reaching the semifinals at Hamburg (I. Fabien Reboul/Edouard Roger-Vasselin) but falling in the 1st round at Houston (I. N Siriam Balaji/Andre Begemann).
- Krajicek won his first Grand Slam men's doubles title alongside Ivan Dodig at 2023 Roland Garros (d. Sander Gille/Joran Vliegen).
- Ram has won 4 Grand Slam men's doubles titles alongside Joe Salisbury at the 2020 Australian Open (d. Max Purcell/Luke Saville) and at the US Open in 2021 (d. Jamie Murray/Bruno Soares), 2022 (d. Wesley Koolhof/Neal Skupski) and 2023 (d. Rohan Bopanna/Matthew Ebden). He has also won the mixed doubles title alongside Barbora Krejcikova at the Australian Open in 2019 and 2021.
- Krajicek and Ram have both reached the **doubles world No. 1 ranking**. Ram reached the top ranking for the first time in October 2022 and is currently ranked at No. 5. Krajicek reached the top ranking for the first time in June 2023 and is currently ranked at No. 18.
- Krajicek and Ram are **Davis Cup** teammates and have won 4 of the 5 matches they have contested together in the competition. All of Krajicek's Davis Cup appearances have come alongside Ram, while Ram has an 8-2 overall win-loss record in the competition. USA will compete in Group C in Zhuhai alongside Germany, Slovakia and Chile at the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage in September.
- Krajicek is coached by Philip Farmer. Ram is coached by Bryan Smith.
- **DE MINAUR/POPYRIN** are both making their Olympic debuts at this event.
- De Minaur/Popyrin are contesting their 3rd Tour-level event as a team. They fell in the 1st round on both of their previous appearances as a team at 2024 Madrid-1000 (I. Lloyd Glasspool/Jean-Julien Rojer) and 2024 Rome-1000 (I. Kevin Krawietz/Tim Puetz). They also competed together at 2 junior tournaments in 2013.
- De Minaur's best Grand Slam singles result is reaching the quarterfinals on 3 occasions at the 2020 US Open (I. Dominic Thiem) and at both Roland Garros (I. Alexander Zverev) and Wimbledon, where he gave a walkover to Novak Djokovic due to a hip injury, this year.
- Popyrin's **best Grand Slam singles result** is reaching the 3rd round on 6 occasions including at Wimbledon this year (I. Novak Djokovic).
- De Minaur has won one Tour-level doubles title alongside Pablo Carreno Busta at 2020 Cincinnati-1000 (d. Jamie Murray/Neal Skupski).
- De Minaur **broke the singles Top 10 for the first time** in January this year and reached a career-high ranking of No. 6 after reaching the quarterfinals at Wimbledon this month. He plays here at the same ranking.
- Popyrin reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 38 in February this year. He plays here at No. 63.

- De Minaur reached a **career-high junior ranking** of No. 2 in February 2016, finished runner-up in boys' singles at 2016 Wimbledon (I. Denis Shapovalov) and also reached the semifinals of the boys' singles at the 2015 US Open (I. Tommy Paul) and the 2016 Australian Open (I. Jurabek Karimov).
- Popyrin was also a **successful junior**. He won the boys' singles title at 2017 Roland Garros (d. Nicola Kuhn) and reached a career-high junior ranking of No. 2 following his title there.
- De Minaur and Popyrin are **Davis Cup** teammates. De Minaur made his Davis Cup debut in 2018, was a member of the team which finished runners-up to Canada in 2022 and to Italy last year and has a 15-8 overall win-loss record in the competition. Popyrin made his Davis Cup debut in 2019, was a member of the team which finished runners-up 2023 and has a 2-2 overall win-loss record in the competition. As runners-up last year, Australia qualified automatically for the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage in September and will compete in Group B in Valencia alongside Czechia, France and Spain.
- De Minaur is coached by Adolfo Gutierrez. Popyrin is coached by Neville Godwin and Xavier Malisse.

## COURT SIMONNE MATTHIEU – MIXED DOUBLES NO. 4 SAKKARI/TSITSIPAS (GRE) v SCHUURS/KOOLHOF (NED)

- **SAKKARI/TSITSIPAS** are bidding to reach the quarterfinals at the Olympics for the 2nd time. This their 2nd Olympics appearance as a team.
- Sakkari/Tsitsipas **reached the quarterfinals in mixed doubles at Tokyo 2020**. They defeated Gabriela Dabrowski/Felix Auger-Aliassime in the 1st round before falling to Ashleigh Barty/John Peers. They both reached the 3rd round in singles at Tokyo 2020.
- Sakkari/Tsitsipas are contesting their 4th Tour-level event as a team. In addition to their appearance at Tokyo 2020, they have also competed for Greece the United Cup in 2023 and 2024. They won all 3 matches they contested together at the 2023 United Cup, but lost the only match they contested together at the United Cup this year, falling to Chile's Daniela Seguel/Tomas Barrios Vera.
- Sakkari's **best Grand Slam singles result** is reaching the semifinals on 2 occasions in 2021 at Roland Garros (I. Barbora Krejcikova) and the US Open (I. Emma Raducanu).
- Tsitsipas is a 2-time Grand Slam singles finalist. He became the first Greek player to reach a Grand Slam final at 2021 Roland Garros, where he fell to Novak Djokovic in 5 sets despite holding a 2-0 lead. He also fell to Djokovic in the final at the 2023 Australian Open.
- Sakkari and Tsitsipas have both reached career-high singles rankings of No. 3 Sakkari reached No. 3 for the first time in March 2022, while Tsitsipas reached No. 3 for the first time in August 2021. They are the highest-ranked Greek players in history. Sakkari is currently ranked at No. 8 while Tsitsipas is currently ranked at No. 11.
- Sakkari made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for Greece in 2012 and has a 16-20 win-loss record in the competition. Greece will next compete in Europe/Africa Group I in April next year.
- Tsitsipas made his **Davis Cup** debut for Greece at the 2019 Europe Group III event in Athens and has a 13-3 overall win-loss record in the competition. Greece will play away against Serbia in a World Group I tie in September.
- Sakkari is coached by David Witt. Tsitsipas is coached by his father, Apostolos Tsitsipas.
- SCHUURS/KOOLHOF are both contesting the mixed doubles at the Olympics for the first time. This is their 2nd Olympics appearances overall.
- Schuurs/Koolhof both made their Olympic debuts at Tokyo 2020. Schuurs reached the 2nd round in women's doubles alongside Kiki Bertens (d. Caroline Garcia/Kristina Mladenovic, I. Veronika Kudermetova/Elena Vesnina). Koolhof reached the 2nd round in men's doubles alongside Jean-Julien Rojer, defeating Sander Gille/Jordan Vliegen before giving a walkover to Marcus Daniell/Michael Venus.
- Schuurs/Koolhof's best result as a mixed doubles team is reaching the semifinals at 2021 Roland Garros (I. Vesnina/Aslan Karatsev). They have contested 3 other Grand Slam events they have played as a team, losing their opening match at all 3 at Wimbledon in 2017 and 2021 and at the 2021 Australian Open.
- Schuurs/Koolhof are contesting their 6th event as a team. In addition to their 4 Grand Slam events together, they
  also competed for Netherlands at the 2024 United Cup, winning both matches they contested against Croatia's
  Donna Vekic/Ivan Dodig and Norway's Ulrikke Eikkeri/Casper Ruud.
- Schuurs' best Grand Slam women's doubles result is reaching the semifinals alongside Nicole Melichar at the 2021 Australian Open (I. Elise Mertens/Aryna Sabalenka). Her best Grand Slam mixed doubles result is reaching the semifinals alongside Koolhof at 2021 Roland Garros.
- Koolhof has **won one Grand Slam men's doubles title and one Grand Slam mixed doubles title**. He won the men's doubles title alongside Neal Skupski at 2023 Wimbledon (d. Marcel Granollers/Horacio Zeballos) and won the mixed doubles title alongside Ena Shibahara at 2022 Roland Garros (d. Eikkeri/Vliegen).
- Schuurs has won 18 Tour-level doubles titles most recently alongside Luisa Stefani at 2024 Doha (d. Caroline Dolehide/Desirae Krawczyk).

- Koolhof has won 19 Tour-level doubles titles, including 3 this year alongside Nikola Mektic at Auckland (d. Granollers/Zeballos), Rotterdam (d. Robin Haase/Botic van de Zandschulp) and Indian Wells-1000 (d. Granollers/Zeballos).
- Schuurs reached a career-high doubles ranking of No. 7 in October 2018. She is currently ranked at No. 22.
- Koolhof reached the **doubles world No. 1 ranking** for the first time in November 2022. He is currently ranked at No. 7.
- Schuurs has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Netherlands since 2012 and has an 11-5 win-loss record in the competition. Netherlands won promotion at the Europe/Africa Group I event in April and will play away against Slovenia in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Koolhof has played **Davis Cup** for Netherlands since 2019 and has a 5-7 win-loss record in the competition. Netherlands will compete in Group A in Bologna alongside Italy, Belgium and Brazill at the 2024 Davis Cup Finals Group Stage in September.
- Schuurs is coached by Philippe Goijens and Torsten Peschke. Koolhof is coached by Mariusz Fyrstenberg.

## COURT 13 – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 6 ZHENG QINWEN (CHN) v ARANTXA RUS (NED)

- **ZHENG** is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Zheng advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Sara Errani 60 60 for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Zheng reached her **first Grand Slam final** at the Australian Open this year (I. Aryna Sabalenka). She became the 2nd Chinese player to reach a Grand Slam singles final after Li Na.
- Zheng's other highlights in 2024 are winning the title at Palermo (d. Karolina Muchova). She also finished runner-up at the Australian Open (I. Aryna Sabalenka), and reached the quarterfinals at Dubai-1000 (I. Iga Swiatek) and Rome-1000 (I. Coco Gauff).
- Zheng reached a **career-high ranking** of No. 7 after her runner-up finish at the Australian Open. She plays here at the same ranking.
- Zheng reached a **career-high junior ranking** of No. 6 and reached the girls' singles semifinals at both the 2019 Roland Garros (I. Emma Navarro) and the 2019 US Open (I. Alexandra Yepifanova).
- Zheng made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for China, P.R. in 2022 and has a 3-1 win-loss record in the competition. China, P.R. won promotion at the Asia/Oceania Group I event in Changsha in April and will face Belgium in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Zheng is coached by Pere Riba.
- **RUS** is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Rus advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Olivia Gadecki 64 61 for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Rus' best Grand Slam result is reaching the round of 16 at 2012 Roland Garros (I. Kaia Kanepi).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Rus reached the 2nd round at the Australian Open (d. Anhelina Kalinia, I. Anna Kalinskaya), Roland Garros (d. Angelique Kerber, I. Elena Rybakina) and Wimbledon (d. Yuan Yue, I. Maria Sakkari).
- Rus' best Tour-level results in 2024 are reaching the quarterfinals at Hobart (I. Elise Martens), Cluj-Napoca (I. Ana Bogdan) and Rouen (I. Magda Linette). She also won a title on the ITF World Tennis Tour at W75 Den Haag (NED) (d. Gina Feistel).
- Rus is bidding to end a **12-match losing streak against Top 5 players**. She has not defeated a Top 10 player since defeated No. 5 Samantha Stosur in the 2nd round at 2012 Wimbledon. She has a 2-15 win-loss record against Top 10 players, with her only other victory coming against No. 2 Kim Clijsters in the 2nd round at 2011 Roland Garros.
- Rus reached a career-high ranking of No. 41 in August 2023. She plays here at No. 103.
- Rus is a **former junior world No. 1**. She reached the top ranking in July 2008 after winning the girls' singles title at the Australian Open (d. Jessica Moore) and reaching the girls' singles semifinals at Roland Garros (l. Simona Halep) that year.
- Rus has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Netherlands since 2008 and has an 18-21 overall win-loss record in the competition. Netherlands won promotion at the Europe/Africa Group I event in April and will play away against Slovenia in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Rus is coached by Julian Alonso.

## COURT 14 – WOMEN'S SINGLES JAQUELINE CRISTIAN (ROU) v ANGELIQUE KERBER (GER)

- **CRISTIAN** is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Cristian advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Caroline Garcia 57 63 64 for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Saturday.
- Cristian's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the 2nd round on 2 occasions at the 2022 Australian Open (d. Greet Minnen, I. Madison Keys) and 2023 Wimbledon (d. Lucia Bronzetti, I. Beatriz Haddad Maia).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Cristian fell in the 1st round at the Australian Open (I. Katerina Siniakova), Roland Garros (I. Jelena Ostapenko), and Wimbledon (I. Bianca Andreescu).
- Cristian's **best Tour-level result in 2024** is a semifinal finish at Cluj-Napoca (I. Ana Bogdan). She also reached the quarterfinals at Charleston (I. Daria Kasatkina) and Palermo (I. Zheng Qinwen).
- Cristian has risen to a new career-high ranking of No. 57 today.
- Cristian has played **Billie Jean King Cup** for Romania since 2021 and has an 8-3 win-loss record in the competition. Romania will face Japan in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Cristian is coached by Javier Marti.
- **KERBER** is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 3rd time. This is her 3rd Olympics appearance.
- Kerber advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Naomi Osaka 75 63 in the 1st round on Saturday.
- Kerber won the women's singles silver medal at Rio 2016, falling to Monica Puig in the gold medal match. She also reached the quarterfinals in women's singles at London 2012 (I. Victoria Azarenka). She did not compete at Tokyo 2020.
- Kerber is a **3-time Grand Slam champion**. She won her first 2 Grand Slam titles in 2016, defeating Serena Williams in the final at the Australian Open and defeating Karolina Pliskova in the final at the US Open, and finished runner-up to Williams at Wimbledon the same year. She won her 3rd Grand Slam title at 2018 Wimbledon (d. Serena Williams).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Kerber lost in the 1st round at the Australian Open (I. Danielle Collins), Roland Garros (I. Arantxa Rus) and Wimbledon (I. Yulia Putintseva).
- Kerber's **best results in 2024** are reaching the round of 16 at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Caroline Wozniacki) and Rome-1000 (I. Iga Swiatek).
- Kerber took maternity leave in 2022-23, returning to the tour after an 18-month break at the United Cup in January this year.
- Kerber has announced that she will retire from professional tennis after the Paris 2024 Olympic Tennis Event.
- Kerber is a **former world No. 1**, reaching the top ranking for the first time in September 2016 after winning her 2nd Grand Slam title at the US Open. She plays here at No. 212 but entered the draw using a special ranking of No. 31.
- Kerber made her **Billie Jean King Cup** for Germany in 2007 and has a 14-15 overall win-loss record in the competition. She was a member of the team which finished as runners-up to Czechia in 2014.
- Kerber is coached by Torben Beltz.

## COURT 14 – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 7 MARIA SAKKARI (GRE) v YUAN YUE (CHN)

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

2023	Australian Open	Hard (O)	R128	Sakkari	61 64
2024	Miami-1000	Hard (O)	R64	Sakkari	62 62

- SAKKARI is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 2nd time. This is her 2nd Olympics appearance.
- Sakkari advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Danka Kovinic 60 61 in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Sakkari's **made her Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020**, reaching the 3rd round in women's singles (I. Elina Svitolina). She also reached the mixed doubles quarterfinals alongside Stefanos Tsitsipas (I. Ashleigh Barty/John Peers).
- Sakkari's **best Grand Slam result** is reaching the semifinals on 2 occasions in 2021 at Roland Garros (I. Barbora Krejcikova) and the US Open (I. Emma Raducanu).
- At the Grand Slams in 2024, Sakkari reached the 3rd round at Wimbledon (I. Raducanu) and the 2nd round at the Australian Open (I. Elina Avanesyan) but fell in the 1st round at Roland Garros (I. Varvara Gracheva).
- Sakkari's **best Tour-level result in 2024** is finishing runner-up at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Iga Swiatek). She also reached the semifinals at Charleston (I. Danielle Collins), the quarterfinals at Miami-1000 (I. Elena Rybakina), and the round of 16 at Madrid-1000 (I. Beatriz Haddad Maia) and Rome-1000 (I. Victoria Azarenka).
- Sakkari achieved a **career-high ranking** of No. 3 in March 2022. She and Tsitsipas are the highest-ranked Greek players in history, having peaked at No. 3 in the WTA and ATP rankings respectively. She plays here at No. 8.
- Sakkari made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for Greece in 2012 and has a 16-20 win-loss record in the competition. Greece will next compete in Europe/Africa Group I in April next year.
- Sakkari is coached by David Witt.
- YUAN is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Yuan advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Ekaterina Alexandrova 75 67(0) 62 for her **first Olympic matchwin** in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Yuan's best Grand Slam result is reaching the 3rd round as a qualifier at the 2022 US Open (I. Jessica Pegula).
- Yuan has **lost in the 1st round on her 6 other Grand Slam main draw appearances**, including at all 3 Grand Slam events in 2024 at the Australian Open (I. Katie Boulter), Roland Garros (I. Mayar Sherif) and Wimbledon (I. Arantxa Rus).
- Yuan's best result in 2024 is winning her **first Tour-level title** at Austin (d. Wang Xiyu). She also reached the semifinals at Hobart (I. Emma Navarro) and the quarterfinals at Indian Wells-1000 (I. Coco Gauff) and Rouen (I. Sloane Stephens).
- Yuan reached a **career-high ranking** of No. 36 in May this year. She plays here 4 places lower at No. 40.
- Yuan made her **Billie Jean King Cup** debut for China, P.R. in 2022 and has won all 7 matches she has contested in the competition to date. China, P.R. won promotion at the Asia/Oceania Group I event this year and will play at home against Belgium in the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Play-offs in November.
- Yuan is coached by Nan Yang.

## COURT 14 – WOMEN'S SINGLES NO. 8 DANIELLE COLLINS (USA) v CAROLINE WOZNIACKI (DEN)

#### Head-to-head: Wozniacki leads 2-1

2018	Roland Garros	Clay (O)	R128	Wozniacki	76(2) 61
2019	Rome	Clay (O)	R64	Collins	76(5) 0-0 ret.
2019	US Open	Hard (O)	R64	Wozniacki	46 63 64

- COLLINS is making her Olympic debut at this event.
- Collins advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Laura Siegemund for her **first Olympic match-win** in the 1st round on Sunday. Collins led 63 2-0 when Siegemund retired due to a left ankle injury.
- Collins reached her only Grand Slam final to date at the 2022 Australian Open (I. Ashleigh Barty).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Collins reached the round of 16 at Wimbledon (I. Barbora Krejcikova) but fell in the 2nd round at both the Australian Open (I. Iga Swiatek) and Roland Garros (I. Olga Danilovic).
- Collins' best Tour-level results in 2024 are winning back-to-back titles at Miami-1000 (d. Elena Rybakina) and Charleston (d. Daria Kasatkina). She also finished runner-up at Strasbourg (I. Madison Keys), reached the semifinals at Rome-1000 (I. Aryna Sabalenka), the quarterfinals at Doha-1000 (I. Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova) and Austin (I. Wang Xiyu) and the round of 16 at Madrid-1000 (I. Sabalenka)
- Collins achieved a career-high ranking of No. 7 in July 2022. She plays here at No. 9.
- Collins made her Billie Jean King Cup debut for USA in 2019 and has a 7-3 win-loss record in the competition. USA defeated Belgium 3-0 in the Qualifiers in April and will face Slovakia in their opening tie at the 2024 Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Malaga in November.
- Collins **played collegiate tennis** at the University of Virginia, graduating in 2016. She won the NCAA singles title twice, during her sophomore and senior years in 2014 and 2016.
- Collins has announced that she will retire from professional tennis at the end of the 2024 season.
- Collins is coached by Jared Jacobs and Ryan Harrison.
- WOZNIACKI is bidding to reach the 3rd round at the Olympics for the 3rd time. This is her 4th Olympics appearance.
- Wozniacki advanced to the 2nd round after defeating Mayar Sherif 26 75 61 in the 1st round on Sunday.
- Wozniacki's **best Olympic result** is reaching the quarterfinals at London 2012 (I. Serena Williams). She also reached the 3rd round at Beijing 2008 (I. Elena Dementieva) and the 2nd round at Rio 2016 (I. Petra Kvitova).
- Wozniacki won her **first Grand Slam singles title** at the 2018 Australian Open (d. Simona Halep). She also finished runner-up at the US Open in both 2009 (I. Kim Clijsters) and 2014 (I. Serena Williams).
- At the Grand Slams this year, Wozniacki reached the 3rd round at Wimbledon (I. Elena Rybakina) and the 2nd round at the Australian Open (I. Maria Timofeeva). She did not compete at Roland Garros.
- Wozniacki's **best Tour-level results this season** are reaching the quarterfinals at Indian Wells-1000, where she retired against Iga Swiatek, and Bad Homburg, where she retired against Emma Navarro.
- Wozniacki is bididng to end a **6-match losing streak against Top 10 players**. She has not defeated a Top 10 player since defeating No. 5 Petra Kvitova in the group stage at the 2018 WTA Finals. She has a 61-73 win-loss record against Top 10 players at Tour-level overall.
- Wozniacki retired from professional tennis in January 2020 before returning from retirement in August 2023.
- Wozniacki is a **former world No. 1**. She reached the top ranking for the first time in October 2010 and has spent a total of 71 weeks as world No. 1. She plays here at No. 70.
- Wozniacki has been coached by her father, Piotr, throughout her career.