

## *Thistleworth Internet League 2017/2018 - Guidelines*

All players will be put into a division based on their playing standard and finishing position the previous year.

Each division will have either 4 or 5 players who should play each other during a calendar month.

Match results should be emailed to Philipp Standing  
[philipp.standing@gmail.com](mailto:philipp.standing@gmail.com)

All results will be updated on the club website [www.thistleworth.net](http://www.thistleworth.net)

It is the responsibility of the winning player to email the result.

At the end of each month 1 player will be promoted and 1 player will be relegated in divisions where there are 4-players. 2 players will be promoted and relegated in 5-player divisions.

**In order for the league to work players MUST make every effort to play their matches each month. This is very important. Please do not enter the league if you are unable to make this commitment.**

Players who consistently fail to play their matches will be withdrawn and replaced by players waiting to enter the league.

All matches will be decided by playing 2 tiebreak sets. One point will be awarded for each set won and 1 point to each player for playing the match. Therefore, if you win both sets you get 3 points and if you lose both sets you still get 1 point.

In the event of players having the same number of points at the end of the months, the player with the greatest games difference wins. If this still produces a draw then the player who completed their games earliest will be given the advantage.

**Matches must not be played on Saturday afternoons or Sunday mornings during senior club sessions. Please also try to avoid Saturday mornings as this will create court congestion alongside the Junior coaching sessions. Wherever possible try to reserve courts mid-week under lights.**