



2026 RCS RISING STAR TENNIS CALENDAR

MPUMALANGA					
Provincial Organizer: Sabelo Mathebula					
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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Ehlanzeni	Nelspruit Tennis Club	30 Jul – 2 Aug 2026	Charlene Killian	072 462 2357	caleidoconsult@gmail.com
Gert Sibanda	Secunda Sasol Tennis Club	30 Jul – 2 Aug 2026	Sulinda Heine	081 042 1085	sulindacoetzee@icloud.com
Nkangala	Middelburg Tennis Club	30 Jul – 2 Aug 2026	Nomaswazi Khumalo	079 138 5939	nomaswazizinhle@gmail.com
Provincial Event	Secunda	11 – 13 September 2026	Sabelo Mathebula	078 296 8499	sabelosoul@gmail.com



KWAZULU-NATAL

Provincial Organizer: Kim Hayes

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
eThekwini	Westridge	01 – 02 August 2026	Kim Hayes	082 468 4420	info@durbantennis.co.za
King Cetshwayo	Richards Bay	01 August 2026	Petro Norval	082 685 1738	petro.nm@absamail.co.za
Harry Gwala	Kokstad Tennis Courts	14 May 2026	Sandy Fortmann	076 981 0011	
Ugu	Uvongo Tennis Club	19 July 2026	Sharon van der Schyff	083 263 1398	ugutennis@gmail.com
uMgungundlovu	Kershaw	03 August – Girls 06 August - Boys	Anil Mooljee	072 493 0742	amooljee@stannes.co.za
Provincial event	Westridge Park Stadium	30 August 2026	Kim Hayes	082 468 4420	info@durbantennis.co.za



GAUTENG

Provincial Organizer: Vanessa Jooste

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Gauteng East	Gauteng East Tennis Complex	25 July 2026	Karen Macrae	079 629 7190	juniors@getennis.co.za
Gauteng Central (Johannesburg)	Ellis Park Tennis Courts	15 August	Merisa Steyn	083 651 7826	merisa@gcta.co.za
Gauteng North	Groenkloof Tennis Club	17 & 19 July (Green Ball) 18 July (Orange Ball)	Vanessa Jooste	082 957 9846	Vanessa@tennissa.co.za
Provincial event	Groenkloof Tennis Club	19 – 20 September 2026	Vanessa Jooste	082 957 9846	Vanessa@tennissa.co.za



NORTHERN CAPE

Provincial Organizer: Nolan Van Der Merwe

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Frances Baard	Newton Primary & Park Tennis Club	22 July 2026	Nolan Van der Merwe	078 146 2345	moiraandnolan@gmail.com
ZF Mgcawu	OP Die Voorpos Primary School	22 July Orange Ball 24 July Green Ball	Marianne Grobler	072 435 9442	mgrobler75@gmail.com
Pixley Ka Seme	Hoërskool Hopetown	14 – 15 Aug 2026	Marlese Wilke-Louw	083 297 6064	marlesewilke@gmail.com
John Taolo Gaetsewe	Khatu Primary School	24 – 25 June 2026	Carina Van Heerden	074 233 9288	carinas297@gmail.com
Namaqualand	Springbok	17 – 18 July 2026	Clive De Jongh	076 144 6260	Clivedejongh2301@gmail.com
Provincial event	Upington	24 – 25 September 2026	Nolan Van der Merwe	078 146 2345	moiraandnolan@gmail.com



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LIMPOPO

Provincial Organizers: Dan Ramokgopa

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATE	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Capricorn	Polokwane Tennis Club	31 July 2026	Thembi Mathobela	078 565 1046	Thembimathobela1@gmail.com
Waterberg	Modimolle Tennis Club	TBC	Tanya Verhoeven	071 439 5405	tanya5405.tg@gmail.com
Sekhukhune	Marble Hall	20 June 2026	Joe Mahlanya	082 550 6266	joemahlanya@gmail.com
Vhembe	University of Venda	26 June 2026	Jennifer Rendani	082 044 3620	renadanijennifer@gmail.com
Provincial Event	Polokwane Tennis Club	19 September 202	Dan Ramokgopa	072 076 4735	danielramokgopa@gmail.com



WESTERN CAPE					
Provincial Organizer: Contact: / Email:					
DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Overberg	Hermanus	2 August 2026	Pieter Joubert	084 406 8294	info@jouberttennis.co.za
Eden & Central Karoo	Great Tennis Academy	21 August 2026	Ettiene Van Zyl	083 494 3412	ettienevz@gmail.com
Winelands	Stellenbosch	12 September 2026	Theresa Bakker	083 277 3374	theresa@matchpointtennis.co.za
West Coast	Moorreesburg Tennis Club & Dirkie Uys Primary and High school	19 September 2026	Alderd Burden	083 702 2472	burden@stepaheadtennis.co.za
Cape Town	Cape Town	19 September 2026	Ebe Badenhorst		ebebaden@gmail.com
Provincial Event	Moorreesburg	23 September 2026	Aldred Burden	083 702 2472	burden@stepaheadtennis.co.za



NORTH-WEST

Provincial Organizer: Perry Grant

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Dr Modiri Molema Lichtenburg	Lichtenburg	25 June 2026	Riaan Booyse	081 858 2573	golden1sports@gmail.com
Dr Kenneth Kaunda	Klerksdorp	25 July 2026	Perry Grant	082 925 9209	perrywestside@gmail.com
Bojanala District	Rustenburg	25 July 2026	Lorinne Loots	082 760 9759	lorinne.loots@vastrap.co.za
Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompoti	Gert Lubbe	25 July 2026	Carla Grobbelaar	083 086 0388	carlagrobbelaar99@gmail.com
Provincial Event	TBC	TBC	Perry Grant	082 925 9209	perrywestside@gmail.com



FREE STATE

Provincial Organizer: Jaco Steyn

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Mangaung	Free State Tennis Stadium	5 – 6 June 2026	Jaco Steyn	083 387 2554	chair@fssta.co.za
Lejweleputswa	Free State Tennis Stadium	30 – 31 July 2026	Marisa Steyn	079 847 8259	sport@welkomvolkskool.co.za
Thabo Mufutsanyana	Bethlehem	20 – 21 July	TBC		
Provincial Event	Free State Tennis Stadium	10 August	Jaco Steyn	083 387 2554	chair@fssta.co.za



EASTERN CAPE

Provincial Organizer: Jakollette Thiart

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DISTRICT	VENUE	DATES	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Sarah Baartman 1	Grahamstown	23 & 24 May 2026	Jakolette Thiart	078 764 6103	jakolette@gmail.com
Chris Hani & Joe Gqabi	Cradock	23 & 24 May 2026	Jakolette Thiart	078 764 6103	jakolette@gmail.com
Sarah Baartman 2	Graaf-Reinet	23 & 24 May 2026	Jakolette Thiart	078 764 6103	Jakollette@gmail.com
Nelson Mandela Metro (Sarah Baartman 3)	PE Lawn Tennis Club	23 & 24 May 2026	Camilla Stoltz	067 051 2103	carmy.val02@gmail.com
BCM & Amathole	Stirling Primary School	23 & 24 May 2026	Katherine Mildenhall	076 904 5294	katherenem@stirlingps.co.za
Provincial Tournament	Grahamstown	19 – 20 Sep 2026	Jakolette Thiart	078 764 6103	Jakollette@gmail.com



RCS RISING STAR TENNIS NATIONAL FINAL					
PROVINCE	VENUE	DATE	ORGANIZER	CONTACT INFO	CONTACT EMAIL
Gauteng	Gauteng East Tennis Complex	30 Oct – 1 Nov 2026	Mpho Makhoba	082 366 9360	rst@tennissa.co.za



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PRIMARY AND SPECIAL SCHOOLS, AIMED AT GROWING
PARTICIPATION AT THE GRASSROOTS LEVEL

DISTRICT & PROVINCIAL EVENTS	NATIONAL FINALS
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