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About Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open

The Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open (PHKTO) is a WTA sanctioned 250 Series Event returning in 2023 after a five-year hiatus. Since its launch in 2014, PHKTO has become one of the key events on the Hong Kong international sporting calendar and this year celebrates its 6th edition. Owned by the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association, the tournament is supported by the Hong Kong Government alongside title sponsor Prudential Hong Kong Limited.

The event continues to showcase world-class tennis competition and the best female tennis players from around the globe, whilst giving back to the community through engaging people from all walks of life and fostering a passion for sport and physical activity in the region. The tournament has become a popular destination for players and fans, as well as the general public and overseas visitors, with the last event in 2018 receiving the 'Best WTA International Tournament of the Year' award and recording attendance of more than 71,000.

Past singles champions include 2013 Wimbledon finalist Sabine Lisicki, former world number ones Jelena Jankovic and Caroline Wozniacki, Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova and Dayana Yastremska.

關於保誠香港網球公開賽

「保誠香港網球公開賽」是國際女子網球協會(WTA)認可的250級 別國際巡迴賽,暌違五年,賽事終於在2023年載譽歸來。由中國 香港網球總會主辦、香港特別行政區政府及冠名贊助商保誠保險 有限公司全力支持,賽事自2014年首辦至今,已成為香港重要的 國際體壇盛事之一,今年亦昂然邁進第六屆的里程碑

賽事每年均邀得來自世界各地的頂尖女子球手來港獻技,為香港 帶來高水平的網球比賽,同時亦致力燃起本地社區對體育及運動 的熱愛,透過社區活動凝聚不同階層的群眾以回饋社會。賽事 深受球手和球迷喜愛,也得到公眾及海外遊客的支持。「保誠香港 網球公開賽2018」更獲選為「WTA年度最佳國際賽」,總入場人次 超過71,000人,是香港作為亞洲盛事之都的又一力證。

過往五屆贏得單打冠軍的球手分別是:2013年溫布頓網球錦標賽 亞軍列絲姬;前世界排名第一的珍高域及禾絲妮雅琪;柏芙尤真 高娃以及恩絲杜絲卡

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Message from Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region 香港特別行政區行政長官賀辭

I am pleased to congratulate the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association on hosting the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023, a Women's Tennis Association (WTA) 250 Series event.

The Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open, an "M" Mark event since 2014, is back on the WTA's annual circuit for the first time since 2018, when it was awarded "International Tournament of the Year" by the WTA. This year's Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open has attracted more than 50 world-class women's tennis players from about 20 countries and regions, including four from Hong Kong. They will compete in the singles and doubles championships at the Victoria Park Tennis Center Court during the nine-day tournament.

The return of the high-profile tennis showcase, following the pandemic, underlines the city's status as an in-demand destination for premier, world-class sports and entertainment events. I am grateful to the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association for organising the tournament. My thanks as well to the many sponsors for their strong support of this fabulous international event, one sure to attract tennis enthusiasts and fans from Hong Kong and around the world.

I wish this year's Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open another resounding success and our international guests a memorable stay in Hong Kong.

John KC LEE

Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

中國香港網球總會主辦的國際女子網球協會 250級別賽事「保誠香港網球公開賽2023」隆重 舉行,謹此致賀。

「保誠香港網球公開賽」自二零一四年起成為「M」 品牌活動,二零一八年更獲國際女子網球協會 評選為「年度最佳國際賽」。 自二零一八年後 闊別數載,「保誠香港網球公開賽」今年復辦 並重返國際女子網球協會年度巡迴賽之列,令人 翹首以盼。今屆賽事高手雲集,有來自約二十 個國家及地區的五十多名世界級網球女將同場 較量,當中包括四名本港精英。 一眾球手會師 維多利亞公園網球主場,在為期九天的賽事中, 競逐各項單打及雙打比賽殊榮,勢必激戰連場。

「保誠香港網球公開賽」是備受矚目的體壇盛事 今在疫情過後載譽歸來,足證香港是舉辦世界 頂尖體育及文娛活動地點的熱門之選。我感謝 中國香港網球總會悉心籌辦比賽,亦感謝一眾 贊助商鼎力支持。相信這項國際盛事定能一如 既往,吸引本地及海外球迷參與其中。

祝願今屆「保誠香港網球公開賽」圓滿成功, 各地來賓在港旅途愉快,滿載而歸

李家超

香港特別行政區行政長官



Prudential Highlights 保誠焦點

Since Prudential and the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association (HKCTA) partnered to bring back a WTA event to Hong Kong in 2014, the community sports event has gone from strength to strength. Notable data points, such as total attendance, visitors to the Tournament Village, press coverage, and social media presence, all reached record highs by 2018.

The tournament received the ultimate seal of approval when it was voted by the WTA player body as the 2018 International Tournament of the Year. This accolade is a fantastic achievement in that the event has received recognition from the WTA players due to the excellence of staff and organisation, passionate fans, dedication to the sport, its athletes, and much more.

The Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open (PHKTO) has developed into a world-class sporting event that engages and inspires the community. Not only have we succeeded in nurturing a burgeoning appetite for the sport, greatness can be seen by the calibre of players that have graced our courts over the years, such as Venus Williams, Jelena Jankovic, Samantha Stosur, Caroline Wozniacki, Garbine Muguruza and Angelique Kerber, who were all either former No. 1s or Grand Slam winners, or both. Moreover, future world No.1s Karolina Pliskova and Naomi Osaka also played in Hong Kong before their ascent to higher places.

Charity and fundraising events, such as "Prudential Charity Tennis Challenge", have not only inspired the active participation of local community leaders, entrepreneurs, and athletes from diverse fields but have also successfully raised funds to support the development of tennis within the local community.

PHKTO continues to offer free entry on People's Monday and Students' Tuesday to boost sports at the community level and to offer more opportunities for the underprivileged and less well-resourced to attend a major sports event. The Tournament Village also remains a key tool to deliver the tournament's vision of delivering tennis to a wider audience, providing family-friendly activities and games as well as the popular player autograph sessions at the Prudential Booth.

Visiting WTA players have been enthusiastic and motivated to engage with our community, visiting primary school kids, meeting with visitors from NGOs and community programmes, conducting clinics for our National Training Squad juniors, and participating in the annual Kids' Day.

Prudential and HKCTA passionately believe the resources and effort invested on the back of the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open will go on to foster a stronger sporting culture in Hong Kong. Popularising tennis among the community and inspiring the local public to pick up a racquet to promote the virtues of regular physical activity through sports are core values championed by both Prudential and HKCTA.

保誠保險有限公司(「保誠保險」)與中國香港網球總會(「網總」)自2014年起攜手合作,將WTA賽事帶回香港,這項備受社區關注的體育盛事亦發展得愈來愈盛大。2018年,「保誠香港網球公開賽」由入場人數、「網球同樂區」訪客人數、傳媒報導乃至社交媒體曝光等方面均創下歷史新高。

「保 誠 香 港 網 球 公 開 賽」於 2018 年 獲 選 為「WTA 年度最佳國際賽」,該榮譽代表賽事工作人員和賽事營運、球迷的熱情支持、對運動員的發展及體育界的貢獻等因素都獲得WTA 球手認可。

「保誠香港網球公開賽」已發展成為世界級體育盛事,為本地社區增添凝聚力和帶來更多啟發。透過賽事,我們成功推動市民大眾接觸及投入網球運動,更邀得多位國際頂尖女網球手來港作賽,例如雲露絲威廉絲、珍高域、施杜素、禾絲妮雅琪、梅古露莎和姬芭,她們都是前世界排名第一的球手或大滿貫賽事得主,而柏莉絲高娃及大坂直美等球手在登上世界第一寶座前亦曾來港作賽。

賽事 更舉 辦了一系 列慈善和籌款活動,例如「保誠網球慈善挑戰賽」,不但邀得本地社區領袖、企業家及其他運動員踴躍參與,更成功籌得款項以支持本地社區網球運動發展。

「保誠香港網球公開賽」推出全城均可免費入場的「全民參與星期一」和「學生星期二」,進一步將網球運動推廣至社區層面,並提供機會予弱勢社群親身參與大型體育活動。「網球同樂區」在賽事期間亦會開放予公眾入場吃喝玩樂、設有老少咸宜的活動和遊戲、於「保誠專區」會舉行球星簽名會,務求帶動全城同樂。

國際女子網球協會的球員都熱情地與本地群眾互動,探訪小學生、出席非牟利組織和社區項目、 於訓練班指導加入了國家集訓隊的青少年球員, 以及參加一年一度的「網球童樂日」。

「保誠保險」和「網總」深信投入了「保誠香港網球公開賽」的資源和努力,絕對有助促進香港的體育文化。「保誠保險」和「網總」會堅持理念,鼓勵本地市民執起球拍,啟動恆常運動的健康生活習慣。



Message from Chief Executive Officer of Prudential Hong Kong Limited 保誠保險香港行政總裁賀辭

Welcome to the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023!

This year's Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open (PHKTO) marks a resumption of the event after a five-year hiatus. It returns to the Victoria Park Tennis Stadium, an intimate setting with Hong Kong as a unique backdrop, where we can feel a sense of anticipation and the spirit of this vibrant city.

Prudential is hugely honoured to have supported this prestigious WTA event since 2014, and to now be bringing world-class tennis to Hong Kong once more. It is also a privilege to be the title sponsor and to welcome some of the world's leading female tennis stars for nine days of intense competition.

Highly competitive, yes, but a celebration too. Prudential is in a celebratory mood as this year marks the 175 years since it was founded, but more importantly we are celebrating Hong Kong and all the energy it offers. Its vibrancy and hospitality make it a perfect host city for world-class sport. The excitement, skills and drama of tennis played at the highest-level embodies this sense of celebration.

But there's more. Our ambition is for the event to have a meaningful legacy, so I am delighted the PHKTO's flagship Corporate Social Responsibility programme "Prudential Charity Tennis Challenge" continues to bring together WTA players, community leaders, local athletes and celebrities to raise money and support the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association (HKCTA) with sports development and the tennis promotion in the region. Our partnership with the HKCTA is inspiring more people in Hong Kong to pick up a racquet and embrace a healthy, active lifestyle.

On behalf of Prudential, I would like to thank the HKCTA for staging this tournament and the Government of the Hong Kong SAR for its unwavering support. And, of course, I want to thank the inspirational players and the passionate fans who make this event so special.

Let's celebrate and enjoy the games!

Lawrence Lam

Chief Executive Officer of Prudential Hong Kong Limited

歡迎蒞臨「保誠香港網球公開賽2023」!

闊別五年,萬眾期待的「保誠香港網球公開賽」 於今年重臨熟悉的維園網球主場,讓我們感受 香港這個活力四射的繁華都市。

保誠非常樂幸能夠自2014年起支持舉辦這項享負 盛名的WTA (國際女子網球協會)國際級賽事, 並將此國際網壇盛事再次帶回香江。我們亦很高 興成為冠名贊助商,見證一眾頂尖女子球手展開 為期九日的激烈競逐。

這項盛事不單是一場場巔峰對決,亦是一次慶典, 適逢我們慶祝保誠集團成立175週年。更重要的 是,我們與全港市民一同慶賀香港的非凡活力。 這個朝氣蓬勃、熱情好客的城市是舉辦國際體育 賽事的不二之選,而激動人心、高超緊湊的頂尖 網球比賽亦增添了歡慶的氣氛。

我們的使命並不止於此,而是希望藉活動締造 更深遠的意義。因此,我很高興「保誠香港網球 公開賽」將繼續透過其企業社會責任旗艦項目 「保誠網球慈善挑戰賽」貢獻社群。「保誠網球 慈善挑戰賽」邀來女網壇球星、各界領袖、本地 體育精英及城中名人攜手參與,籌集善款以支持 中國香港網球總會在區內的體育項目發展和網球 推廣。而保誠和中國香港網球總會合作,旨在讓 更多香港市民燃起對網球運動的熱愛,身體力行 打造健康積極的生活方式。

我謹代表保誠感謝中國香港網球總會主辦是次 賽事,亦感謝香港特別行政區政府的鼎力支持, 並對所有出色的網球選手及熱情的球迷表示由衷 的謝意,是他們令此盛事別具意義。

讓我們一起慶祝並享受比賽!

林智剛

保誠保險香港行政總裁

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KEY STATISTICS (2014-2018)

五年重點數據



AWARDED 2018 WTA INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT OF THE YEAR 獲選2018 WTA年度最佳國際賽

232_k *******

TOTAL ATTENDANCE 總入場人次

2000

PLAYERS FROM OVER 40 COUNTRIES & REGIONS 來自超過40個國家及地區的球手



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GRAND SLAM



奥運金牌得主

FORMER WORLD NO. 1 PLAYERS 前世界排名第一球手

1.2 billion

OVERSEAS TV NEWS REACH PER YEAR 每年海外電視收看人數



225
WTA OFFICIALS
WTA專業裁判

1,214 VOLUNTEERS & BALL PERSONS 球僮及義工



84k ****

FACEBOOK
PAGE FANS 專頁人數

98

7,250 88888

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Message from Secretary for Culture, Sports and Tourism 文化體育及旅遊局局長賀辭

I would like to extend my heartfelt congratulations to the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association on hosting the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023.

We are delighted that this long-awaited premier tennis event will be held again in October after a four-year hiatus. Awarded the "M" Mark status, the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023 will feature some of the best female tennis players at home and from abroad who will go head to head at the iconic Victoria Park Tennis Centre Court. For tennis enthusiasts from near and far, the nine-day action-packed tournament is certainly not to be missed.

My sincere gratitude goes to the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association for their hard work in staging this spectacular event, and to event sponsors and partners for their steadfast support all along. The Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023 not only adds colour to our sports scene, but also underlines Hong Kong's profile as a centre for major international sports events.

May I wish the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023 a phenomenal success and all visitors a memorable stay in Hong Kong.

Kevin Yeung

Secretary for Culture, Sports and Tourism

欣悉中國香港網球總會舉辦「保誠香港網球公開賽2023」, 謹此衷心致賀。

這項大家期待已久的網壇盛事在闊別四年後,將於十月再次上演,實在令人欣喜。「保誠香港網球公開賽2023」同時獲頒授「M」品牌認可,將匯聚本港和世界頂尖網球女將,在著名的維多利亞公園網球主場上互相較量,爭逐殊榮。為期九天的比賽必定精彩刺激,全球各地的網球迷不容錯過。

感謝中國香港網球總會竭力籌辦這項盛事, 也感激賽事贊助商和合作伙伴給予全力支持。 「保誠香港網球公開賽 2023」不但為香港體壇 增添姿彩,也凸顯香港作為國際體育盛事之都的 地位。

祝願「保誠香港網球公開賽2023」圓滿成功, 各位旅客香港之行愉快難忘。

楊潤雄

文化體育及旅遊局局長

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Message from Chairman of the Major Sports Events Committee 大型體育活動事務委員會主席賀辭

On behalf of the Major Sports Events Committee, I would like to convey my heartiest congratulations to the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association on staging the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023.

After a four-year hiatus, the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open 2023, a prestigious international sports event awarded with the "M" Mark status, will be held in Hong Kong again, which does not only showcase Hong Kong's capability to host world-class events but also enhance Hong Kong's position as a centre for major international sports events.

With the return of world's elite female players from over 25 countries/regions competing, we anticipate a series of thrilling matches to be played. This will definitely attract wide media coverage and engage the attention of tennis fans from both local and overseas.

I wish the tournament a resounding success, all players the best of luck and spectators a wonderful time.

Wilfred Ng

Chairman of the Major Sports Events Committee

我謹代表大型體育活動事務委員會,對中國香港 網球總會舉辦「保誠香港網球公開賽2023」表示 衷心祝賀。

闊別四年,城中享負盛名的國際體育盛事「保誠 香港網球公開賽2023」獲頒授「M」品牌認可, 再度於香港舉行,不但展示香港舉辦世界級體壇 盛事的實力,而且能提升香港作為國際體育盛事 之都的地位。

隨著來自超過25個國家/地區的世界女子網球 精英回歸參賽,比賽定必會激鬥連場,實在叫人 翹首以盼。此外,賽事亦勢將吸引媒體廣泛報導, 屆時本地和海外球迷必會熱切關注。

在此我祝願賽事圓滿成功,所有參賽好手勇創 佳績,觀眾均盡興而歸。

吳守基

大型體育活動事務委員會主席



HONG KONG, CHINA TENNIS ASSOCIATION 中國香港網球總會



Mission Statement 網總的使命

To promote tennis to all through the HKCTA and collaborations with other tennis and government bodies.

透過本會並與其他網球團體、政府機構合作推廣網球。

To set and maintain the standards of the game to an international level and to nurture talented local players to compete in regional and international tournaments.

確立及維持本地網球至國際 水平,培養具潛質的本地球員 參與地區性及國際賽事。 To raise the standard of tennis by organising local, regional, and international competitions.

舉辦本地、地區性及國際賽事以提升本地網球水平。





Message from President of the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association 中國香港網球總會會長賀辭

It is my pleasure to welcome you to celebrate the return of the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open (PHKTO) with us! After a five-year hiatus, we are thrilled to be bringing this world-class event back to fans. This year is one of many celebrations as it is also the landmark 50th anniversary of the WTA, as well as our title sponsor Prudential's 175th anniversary, and we hope you will join us in the festive spirit at Victoria Park this week.

We are proud to see the growth of PHKTO since its inaugural event in 2014, with the last event held in 2018 awarded the 'WTA International Tournament of the Year' accolade, and drawing record attendance numbers of over 71,000, solidifying it as one of the top attended tournaments in its category.

The support from both our title sponsor, Prudential and the Hong Kong Government over the years has been instrumental in the tournament's continued success. We also give thanks to all our official partners and supporters, including Morgan Stanley, Hologic, Hong Kong Broadband Network, Inchcape Group, Hong Kong Tennis Foundation, The Kowloon Dairy, Lalique, Lotto, Chevalier Group, Gatorade, Dunlop, Watson's Water and Pullman Hotel Group. A special note of thanks must also be given to the Major Sports Event's Committee's "M" Mark Scheme, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department, the Hong Kong Tourism Board and the Cultural, Sports and Tourism Bureau for their unwavering support.

Our line-up this year again features some of the best players in the world, with former Grand Slam champions & world No.1s, current top ranked players and exciting emerging stars all competing for the coveted title. Our diverse and international field reflects Hong Kong's status as a global financial and travel hub and is testament to the reputation the tournament has built since it launched in 2014.

Our commitment to fan activations and engagement remains at the forefront of the event, and we hope you will enjoy our Tournament Village and various activities throughout the week. PHKTO continues to strive for deeper community involvement, aiming to introduce tennis to a wider audience and inspire more people to lead healthy and active lives.

The success of the tournament is a tribute to the passion and hard work put in by all our stakeholders and I must acknowledge the dedicated efforts of all our sponsors & partners, the Steering Committee members, HKCTA staff, officials, linespersons, ballpersons and our volunteers.

I eagerly look forward to sharing this fantastic week of tennis with you at Victoria Park.

Philip Mok

President of the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association

很高興能夠與大家一起慶祝「保誠香港網球公開賽」載譽回歸!相隔五年,我們非常榮幸再一次為球迷帶來這項世界級賽事。適逢今年是WTA 50週年誌慶,也是冠名贊助商「保誠保險」成立175週年,希望大家今個星期能夠於維多利亞公園投入歡樂多彩的熱烈氣氣。

我們為「保誠香港網球公開賽」自2014年舉辦 首屆賽事以來一直壯大而感到自豪,賽事更於 2018年榮獲「WTA年度最佳國際賽」之殊榮, 創下超過71,000入場人次的紀錄,進一步鞏固 其最高入席率的網球賽事之一。

有賴冠名贊助商「保誠保險」及香港特別行政區政府多年來的鼎力支持,賽事得以持續取得成功。我們衷心感謝所有合作夥伴,包括摩根士丹利、Hologic、香港寬頻、英之傑集團、香港網球基金會、維記牛奶、Lalique、Lotto、其士集團、佳得樂、Dunlop、屈臣氏蒸餾水和香港柏寧酒店,亦要特別鳴謝大型體育活動事務委員會「M」品牌活動、康樂及文化事務署、香港旅遊發展局和文化體育及旅遊局的長久支持。

今年我們再次邀得世界頂尖球手參賽,有前大滿貫冠軍兼前世界排名第一的球星、位列前茅的球手及網壇超新星,她們將為競逐賽事的冠軍頭銜揮拍較量。如此國際化的星光陣容,不但展示了香港金融和旅遊中心的地位,亦反映賽事由2014年創辦以來所建立的認受性。

是次賽事依然有為球迷籌備的精彩環節,希望 大家在「網球同樂區」和周邊活動盡情享受網球 的樂趣。「保誠香港網球公開賽」將繼續深化與 社區的互動,把網球運動推廣給各階層人士, 鼓勵更多人投入健康積極的生活模式。

賽事的成功,全歸功於所有相關人士的熱情和 幹勁,我們衷心感謝贊助商、合作夥伴、賽事 督導委員會成員、中國香港網球總會全人、裁判、 司線員、球僮和義工們的努力。

我熱熾期待與各位在維多利亞公園投入這一星期的網球盛事。

莫君逸

中國香港網球總會會長

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Message from CEO & Chairman of Women's Tennis Association 國際女子網球協會主席兼首席執行官賀辭

On behalf of the WTA, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open for another exciting edition of this long-standing and celebrated tournament.

This year the WTA is marking its 50th anniversary as the Tour celebrates its history of pioneers, spectacular athletes, rivalries, historical sporting endeavors, along with the founding principle and strive for equality. We have many exciting celebrations planned across 2023 as we honor the past, enjoy the present, and look to the future.

The WTA boasts an incredibly diverse array of players and personalities, many of which you will see here at the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open, from established global superstars to emerging new talent eager to make their mark on the sport.

The Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open is well-known for the excellence of their staff and organization, their passionate fans and their wider dedication to the sport and the athletes of WTA, and we're excited to write another chapter this year.

I would like to thank our partners who will be with us during the 2023 season and who play a huge part in our mission of championing women.

Finally, I would like to thank you, our loyal fans, for all you do in making the WTA the leading global sports organization for women. Whether you've followed and supported women's tennis for the last 50 years, or are joining us for the first time this season, welcome to the Hologic WTA Tour. We're just getting started.

Steve Simon

CEO & Chairman of Women's Tennis Association

我謹代表WTA歡迎大家蒞臨「保誠香港網球公開賽」,一起投入這 項舉辦多屆的精彩網增盛事

今年適逢WTA 50週年誌慶, 秉持公平是WTA成立以來一直堅守 的原則。多年來,WTA巡迴賽帶來無數值得記念和慶祝的精彩 片段 --- 開創先鋒、傑出的運動員、刺激的賽事和歷史性時刻。 2023年我們準備了更多慶祝活動,以歌頌過去、享受現在及展望

WTA巡迴賽再度高手雲集,當中包括在國際網壇征戰多年的頂尖 球手,以及嶄露鋒芒的網壇新星,大家將會在「保誠香港網球公開賽」

「保誠香港網球公開賽」一直獲得高度讚賞,全賴專業的主辦機 構和工作人員、熱情的球迷、以及各界對WTA球手和網球運動 的全力支持,我們期待今年再次為「保誠香港網球公開賽」寫下

我衷心感謝2023賽季所有官方合作夥伴,你們的支持是WTA發展 女子網球運動的原動力。

最後,我感謝每位忠實球迷的愛戴,讓WTA成為全球領先的女 子體育組織。無論你是一直默默支持女子網球運動,還是在這 個賽季成為我們的一份子,歡迎你們出席 Hologic WTA 巡迴賽。 連場精彩賽事,正式開始!

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國際女子網球協會主席兼首席執行官

VICTORIA AZARENKA

艾莎蓮嘉



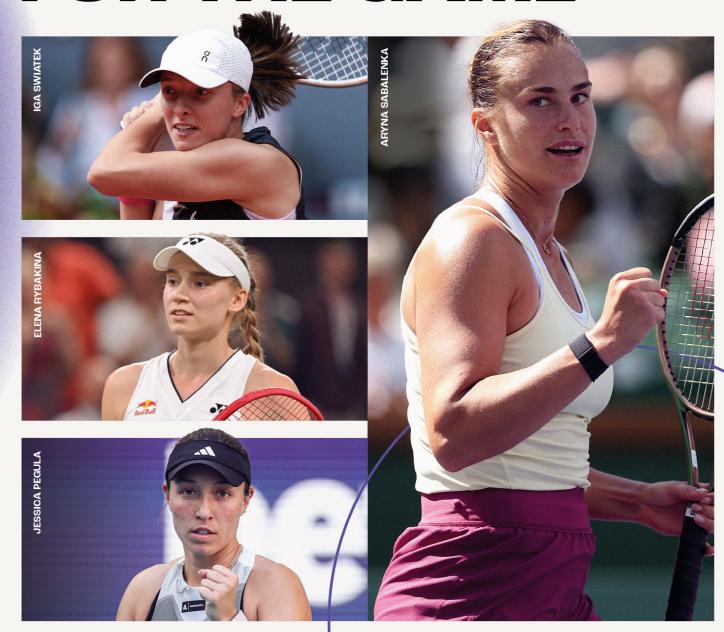
Azarenka captured her maiden WTA Tour title in Brisbane in 2005 and her most recent one at the Western & Southern Open in 2020. In between, she won the Australian Open twice in 2012 and 2013, reached the US Open final in 2012, 2013, and 2020, semifinals at both the French in 2013 and Wimbledon in 2011 and 2012. She first became world No. 1 from Jan 30-Jun 10, 2012 and also from Jul 9, 2012-Feb 17, 2013. The total of 51 weeks atop the WTA Rankings has her in 13th place all-time, while Iga Swiatek (75), Caroline Wozniacki (71), and Simona Halep (64) are the only active players ahead of her in this regard. She has won 21 career singles titles, 10 in doubles, and mixed doubles at the US Open in 2007 and French Open in 2008. At the London Olympics 2012, she claimed a bronze in singles and a gold in mixed doubles (with Max Mirnyi). She was the year-end No. 1 in 2012 and finished in the world's top 10 five times in a row from 2009-2013. In 2005, she won the Australian and US Open girls' singles titles and ended the season ranked No. 1 and was named World Junior Champion by the ITF. Her best result this year was beating world No. 3 Jessica Pegula en route to the Australian Open semis. Originally penciled in to play here back in 2015 if not for an untimely injury, Azarenka will be making her long-awaited debut at the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open.

艾莎蓮嘉在2005年於布里斯班首次奪得WTA巡迴賽冠軍,最近一次奪得冠軍則是 在2020年的「辛辛那提大師賽」。她也在2012年和2013年兩度奪得「澳洲網球公開 賽」冠軍,並在2012年、2013年和2020年打入「美國網球公開賽」決賽。艾莎蓮嘉 在2013年的「法國網球公開賽」及2011年和2012年的「溫布頓網球錦標賽」均躋身 準決賽。2012年1月至6月以及2012年7月至2013年2月期間,艾莎蓮嘉穩踞世界一 姐寶座;連續51週蟬聯世界排名第一位,令艾莎蓮嘉成為史上第13位保持世一紀錄 最長的球手,在她之前只有絲維雅迪克(75週)、禾絲妮雅琪(71週)以及哈立(64週) 仍活躍於賽場。艾莎蓮嘉職業生涯共獲得21個單打冠軍、10個雙打冠軍,並在2007 年美網和2008年法網獲得混雙冠軍。2012年的倫敦奧運,她取得女單銅牌,亦夥拍 米爾尼奪得混雙金牌。她其後在2012年獲得年終第一,2009至2013年連續五次躋身 世界前十名。2005年,艾莎蓮嘉贏得澳網及美網女單青年冠軍,季尾亦成為青年第一, 並獲選為ITF世界青年冠軍。今年艾莎蓮嘉的最好成績是在澳網準決賽擊敗世界排名 第三的柏高娜。2015年因傷取消來港,今屆將會是艾莎蓮嘉傷後首次在港獻技。

PLAYER BIO 球手簡介		
34		
6' 0"		
Pro 職業球手 (2003)		
21		
10		
No.1 (30/1/2012)		
Right-handed 右手		
#27 (2022) #27 (2021) #13 (2020) #50 (2019) #51 (2018)		



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Beatriz "Bia" Haddad Maia is the first Brazilian to enter the top 10 since computerised rankings were introduced in women's tennis in 1975. Seeded 14th, the southpaw achieved that milestone earlier in June after beating Ons Jabeur to reach the French Open semifinals. This year, she also reached the semis at Abu Dhabi and quarterfinals in Rome, Stuttgart, Doha, and Adelaide. In 2022, she captured her maiden Tour titles at WTA 250 events in Nottingham and Birmingham in successive weeks, won the 125K Series event at Saint Malo, and defeated world No. 1 Iga Swiatek en route to the final of the WTA 1000 in Toronto. Other top 10 wins in her career include the likes of Elena Rybakina, Maria Sakkari, Karolina Pliskova, and Sloane Stephens, among others. In doubles, she reached the final of the Australian Open (with Danilina) in 2022 and after beating Coco Gauff and Jessica Pegula to capture the WTA 1000 Mutua Madrid Open (with Azarenka) this year, she rose to a career-high No. 10 in the world as well.

夏達馬雅是自1975年引入電子計分以來,首位躋身女子排名前10位的巴西球手。 這位左用手球手在今年6月擊敗突尼西亞名將查寶雅,晉級「法國網球公開賽」 準決賽,達至生涯重要的里程碑。今年夏達馬雅表現出色,於「阿布扎比網球 公開賽」躋身準決賽,並晉級羅馬、史特加、多哈和阿德萊德等賽事的八強。 2022年,她連續兩星期贏得「諾丁漢公開賽」和「伯明翰精英賽」,並在聖馬洛125K 系列賽中奪冠。於同年的多倫多WTA 1000賽事,夏達馬雅擊敗當時世界排名第一位 的絲維雅迪克,成功晉身決賽。值得一提的是,她在職業生涯曾擊敗賴芭堅娜、 莎卡妮、柏莉絲高娃及史提芬絲等多位世界前十名球手。雙打方面,她夥拍丹妮 莉娜殺入2022年澳網決賽,並於今年與艾莎蓮嘉一起擊敗高芙和佩古拉,贏得 WTA 1000「馬德里公開賽」女雙冠軍。這些驕人成績讓夏達馬雅的世界排名躍升至 職業生涯最高的第10位。

PLAYER BIO 球手簡	र्ग
Age 年齡	27
Height 身高	6' 0"
Status 身份	Pro 職業球手 (2014)
Career singles titles 職業單打冠軍	2
Career doubles titles 職業雙打冠軍	5
Career high rank 最高世界排名	No.10 (8/5/2023)
Plays 握拍	Left-handed 左手
Season-ending singles 年終單打排名	#15 (2022) #82 (2021) #358 (2020) #119 (2019)

#184 (2018)



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In 2019, she was a runner-up in Australia before capturing the girls' singles title at Roland Garros to become the first Canadian junior Grand Slam winner since Eugenie Bouchard at Wimbledon in 2012, a victory that earned Leylah the world No. 1 junior ranking. In 2021, at age 19, she won her maiden tour title at the WTA 250 Monterrey and then beat three top 5 players -2nd-ranked Aryna Sabalenka, 3rd-ranked Naomi Osaka, and 5th-ranked Elina Svitolina – to reach the women's singles final at the US Open before falling to fellow teenager, Emma Raducanu. At the end of that year, Fernandez was given the Bobbie Rosenfeld Award by the Canadian Press as its choice for Canadian female athlete of 2021. In 2023, she partnered Taylor Townsend to reach the WTA 1000 Miami Open women's doubles final where they lost to Coco Gauff and Jessica Pegula. Fernandez and Townsend also reached the French Open final but lost to Hsieh Su-Wei and Wang Xinyu in three sets. Leylah is also the winner of the Billie Jean King Cup Heart Award for the 2023 Qualifiers.

2019年,費蘭迪絲奪得「澳洲網球公開賽」女單青年亞軍,其後在「法國網球 公開賽」奪得女單青年冠軍,成為繼寶莎於2012年取得「溫布頓網球錦標賽」 桂冠後的另一位加拿大大滿貫青年冠軍。這場勝利令她躍升至當時世界青少年排名 第一位。2021年,19歲的費蘭迪絲在「蒙特雷公開賽」贏得首個巡迴賽冠軍,及後 更成功擊敗三名當時排名世界前五位的球手,包括:世界第二的莎芭列卡、世界第三 的大坂直美及世界第五的絲維度蓮娜,晉身「美國網球公開賽」女單決賽,最後惜敗 拉杜卡奴。同年年底,費蘭迪絲獲加拿大媒體授予「博比羅森菲爾德獎」,成為 2021年加拿大年度最佳女子運動員。2023年,她夥拍唐辛攜手殺入「邁阿密 公開賽」女雙決賽,但憾負嘉奧芙及柏高娜。費蘭迪絲和唐辛也晉身「法國網球 公開賽」決賽,最後不敵謝淑薇和王欣瑜。費蘭迪絲亦是2023年「金夫人盃」愛心 獎得主。

PLAYER BIO 球手簡	介
Age 年齡	21
Height 身高	5' 6"
Status 身份	Pro 職業球手 (2019)
Career singles titles 職業單打冠軍	2
Career high rank 最高世界排名	No.13 (8/8/2022)
Plays 握拍	Left-handed 左手
Season-ending singles 年終單打排名	#40 (2022) #24 (2021) #88 (2020) #213 (2019) #487 (2018)



WANG XIYU

王曦雨



Earlier this year, the 22-year-old left-hander reached a career-high No. 49 on the WTA rankings. She then registered her best results at the WTA 1000 level by defeating former US Open champion and world No. 27 Bianca Andreescu to reach the third round in Madrid and world No. 27 Irina-Camelia Begu to reach the last sixteen in Rome. In 2022, she made her top 100 debut in June after reaching her first WTA Challenger final at the Open de Valencia and was twice a semifinalist at the WTA 250 events in Washington and Transylvania. She recorded her best showing at a Grand Slam last year when she knocked out No. 3 seed Maria Sakkari to reach the US Open third round. In her career, she has also recorded wins against the likes of Victoria Azarenka, Barbora Krejcikova, and Paula Badosa, among others. She was one of eight women shortlisted by the Chinese Tennis Association to compete at the Paris 2024 Summer Olympics. In 2018, she partnered compatriot Wang Xinyu to claim the Wimbledon girls' doubles title and then became the world's junior No. 1 after winning the US Open girls' singles crown that year. Her last title came at the W60 La Bisbal D'Emporda in 2019, but in no uncertain terms will she be gunning for her maiden tour title here in Hong Kong.

這位22歲的左用手球手早前世界排名上升至職業生涯最高的第49位。及後她於 馬德里擊敗「美國網球公開賽」前冠軍、當時世界排名第27位的安德列絲古 並晉級第三圈。她更在羅馬擊敗當時世界排名第27位的比古,躋身十六強,創下 個人於WTA 1000賽事的最佳成績。2022年6月,王曦雨在「華倫西亞國際網球 公開賽」首次打進WTA挑戰賽決賽,令其世界排名升至前100位,及後她更兩次 晉級WTA 250賽事中的準決賽。去年的美網,王曦雨淘汰3號種子球手莎卡妮, 闖入賽事第三圈,創下個人大滿貫賽事最佳成績。職業生涯中,王曦雨曾經擊敗 艾莎蓮嘉、琪莉芝高娃及芭杜莎等等。 她亦是2024年巴黎奧運八名中國女子候選 球手之一。2018年,她夥拍王欣瑜奪得「溫布頓網球錦標賽」女雙青年冠軍,接著 更取得美網女單青年冠軍,成為世界青年第一位。她的上一個錦標是2019年W60 「拉比斯瓦爾網球賽」,王曦雨有望於香港奪得首個巡迴賽冠軍

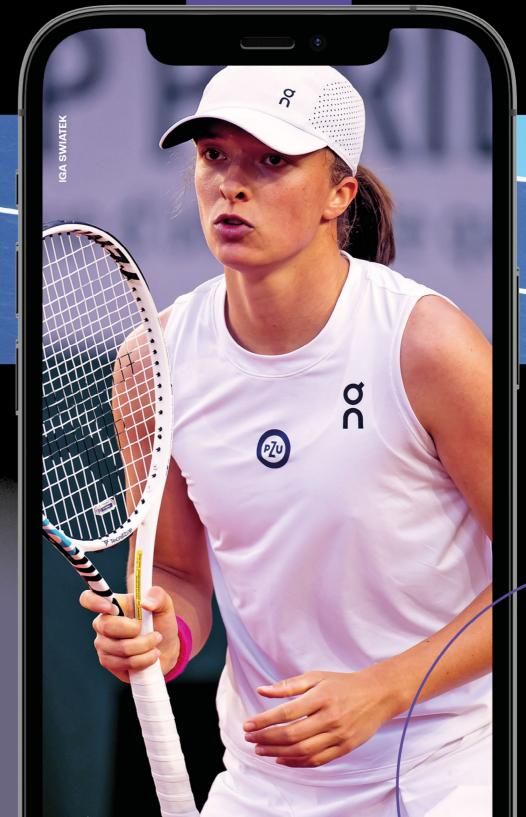
PLAYER BIO 球手簡介

Age 年齡	22
Height 身高	5'11"
Status 身份	Pro 職業球手 (2018)
Career singles titles 職業單打冠軍	3 ITF
Career doubles titles 職業雙打冠軍	4 ITF
Career high rank 最高世界排名	No.49 (9/1/2023)
Plays 握拍	Left-handed 左手
Season-ending singles 年終單打排名	#50 (2022) #128 (2021) #123 (2020) #142 (2019)

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Andreeva first came on the radar when she went undefeated in all six singles matches during the under-14 WJT Final in 2021 to help her national team win the title. In 2022, she won four ITF World Tennis Tour women's singles titles to finish the year with a WTA ranking of No. 293. Then, in April 2023, five days before her 16th birthday, she was offered a wildcard for the WTA 1000 Madrid. Ranked No. 194 in the world, she beat former US Open finalist Leylah Fernandez and top 20 players, Beatriz Haddad Maia and Magda Linette, to reach the last 16. Then, she qualified for the main draw of the French Open and reached the third round in her first Grand Slam women's singles appearance. Then, she took Wimbledon by storm, beating former Roland Garros champion and No. 10 seed Barbora Krejcikova and No. 22 seed Anastasia Potapova as a qualifier to make it to the second week of the tournament, the youngest player since Coco Gauff to reach this milestone. In May 2023, she was the No. 1-ranked junior in the world. She is also to star in Netflix's next 'Break Point' series. Few teenage prospects in sport right now have generated as much interest in Andreeva as she makes her debut in Hong Kong.

安祖莉娃於2021年的14歲以下世界青少年網球決賽嶄露頭角,她於全六場單打 賽事保持不敗戰績,協助國家隊奪冠。2022年,她贏下四個ITF國際網賽女單冠軍 年終排名躍升至第293位。2023年4月,在16歲生日的前五天,安祖莉娃獲得 「馬德里公開賽」的外卡資格。當時世界排名第194位的她擊敗「美國網球公開賽」 前女單亞軍費蘭迪絲以及當時排名前20位的球手夏達馬雅和蓮妮茲,成功躋身 賽事十六強。她隨後獲得「法國網球公開賽」正賽資格,首次參加大滿貫女單賽事 即殺入第三圈。安祖莉娃其後在溫布頓大放異彩,以資格賽選手身份擊敗法網前 冠軍、10號種子琪莉芝高娃以及22號種子寶達普娃,闖入第二周比賽,是自嘉奧 芙以來達到此成就的最年輕球手。截至2023年5月,安祖莉娃穩踞青少年世界排名 第一位。她還將出演Netflix劇集《破發點:大滿貫之路》的新一季。安祖莉娃將 首度亮相香港,相信這位年輕球手將吸引無數球迷入場一睹其天才球技

PLAYER BIO 球手簡介	
Age 年齡	16
Height 身高	5' 7"
Status 身份	Pro 職業球手 (2022)
Career singles titles 職業單打冠軍	6 ITF
Career high rank 最高世界排名	No.62 (31/7/2023)
Plays 握拍	Right-handed 右手
Season-ending singles 年終單打排名	#405 (2022)

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Celebrating 50 years of the WTA

WTA五十週年誌慶

With the advent of the Open Era in 1968 that saw the Grand Slams lifting the ban on professionals, tennis players were given the opportunity to make a steady, and in some cases lucrative, income. While the men's game took off, there were far less events on the women's side, and therefore fewer opportunities for women to come through as professional tennis players. Moreover, prize money on offer for the women was disproportionately smaller compared to the men. So, when the Original 9 – Billie Jean King, Rosie Casals, Nancy Richey, Kerry Melville Reid, Peaches Bartkowicz, Kristy Pigeon, Judy Dalton, Valerie Ziegenfuss, and Julie Heldman - decided to form a breakaway tour to fight not just for their rights, but their survival, they changed the sport forever.

They signed on for what was called the Virginia Slims Circuit in 1970 which, three years later, became the Women's Tennis

1970年,9位創始人宣佈參加在休斯敦進行的 弗吉尼亞香煙巡迴賽,該賽事於三年後正式更 名為國際女子網球協會(WTA)巡迴賽。金夫人 表示:「首先,我們希望任何一個擁有才能的 女孩都可獲得出賽機會;其次,女性是憑個人 成就獲受認可而不是她的外貌。最重要的事, 我們希望女性能夠以打職業網球維生。」





Association (WTA). Billie Jean King reflected, "First, we wanted any girl born in the world, if she was good enough, will have a place to compete. Second, women would be recognised for their accomplishments, not only their looks. Finally, and the most important thing, to be able to make a living playing professional tennis."

Bartkowicz recalled when she went over to Europe and won the first six tournaments she played but still lost money because it was not enough to cover the travelling costs. Dalton recounted that restrictions by the establishment did not allow players from her country to compete for more than six months of the year, which rendered her with few options but to work as a bookkeeper during the off-season to make ends meet.



The subsequent increase in prize money offered to women's tennis created a ripple effect across all sports, with female athletes receiving long-overdue recognition, sponsorship contracts, and pay equity. Men and women now compete for equal prize money at all four Grand Slams. Today, tennis players dominate Forbes' list of the highest-paid female athletes

in the world each year. Over the past decade, over 80 per cent of the athletes in its top 10 hailed from tennis, including the top annual earner.

Furthermore, tennis has become increasingly global, with players from Belgium (Justine Henin, Kim Clijsters), Denmark (Caroline Wozniacki), Japan (Naomi Osaka), Poland (Iga Swiatek), Romania (Simona Halep), and Serbia (Ana Ivanovic, Jelena Jankovic) rising to the top of the WTA rankings alongside those from traditional powerhouses, such as Australia, Germany, Spain, and USA. China's Li Na became the first player from Asia to win a major, capturing the Australian and the French, and ascended to No. 2 in the world.

Tennis stars, past and present, joined Billie Jean King and founding members Rosie Casals, Betty Stove and Francoise Durr in a purple carpet event in New York to celebrate the 50th year of the WTA. Chris Evert, Virginia Wade, Tracy Austin, Gabriela Sabatini, Bianca Andreescu, Coco Gauff, and many more, made their presence felt in honor of the milestone anniversary of an organisation that has sought equality and inclusion, not just for women's tennis, but for all of women's sports.



巴特科維奇回憶時表示,她前往歐洲比賽並摘得首六場賽事桂冠, 但所獲總獎金仍不足以支付出賽路費。朱迪特加特亦表示,由於 賽會限制,她所屬國家的球手每年只能參加不超過六個月的賽事, 休賽期間她只能擔任記帳等工作以維持生計。

WTA助力女網賽事獎金增長,並於全球體壇引起連鎖效應: 女性運動員的成就獲得前所未有的認可,並為她們帶來同工同酬的 公平待遇及更多接受贊助的機遇。現在,無論男女子網球手均於 所有大滿貫賽事中競逐相同金額的賽事獎金,而女網球手亦逐步 主導每年的福布斯十大最高收入女運動員榜;在過去十年,榜上 有名的運動員,包括年收入最高的前十名,有八成均是來自網球 界別。

此外,網球運動逐步推廣至全球各地,比利時(軒寧、克莉絲達絲)、丹麥(禾絲妮雅琪)、日本(大坂直美)、波蘭(絲維雅迪克)、羅馬尼亞(哈立)及塞爾維亞(伊雲奴域、揚科維奇)的球手,與澳洲、德國、西班牙及美國等傳統大國的球手一同躋身WTA排名前列。中國球手李娜更於澳洲網球公開賽和法國網球公開賽封后,成為亞洲首位獲得大滿貫冠軍的女網球手,其世界排名一度攀升至第二位。

於紐約的慶典上,金夫人及WTA創始人薩爾斯、貝蒂斯托夫和杜爾領銜一眾WTA名人及當代球星,共同走過紫色地毯,慶祝WTA五十週年這一紀念時刻。球手伊維特、韋德、奧斯汀、莎芭提妮、安祖艾絲古、嘉奧芙等均出席是次WTA里程碑活動,共同向以公平與包容為原則並影響女子網壇乃至女子體壇發展的機構致敬。



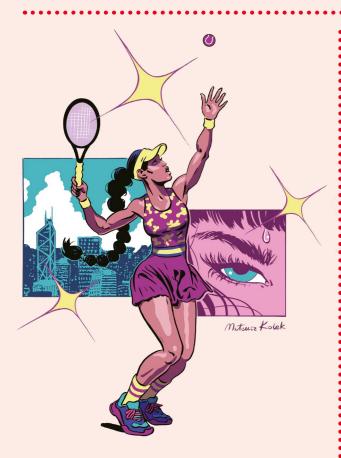
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As part of the celebration of the 6th edition of the Prudential Hong Kong Tennis Open, this year the tournament is creating unique PHKTO merchandise items that integrate culture and sport. The limited-edition items are designed by renowned Polish artist Mateusz Kolek and local illustration organisation Ztoryteller and are available for purchase in the Tournament Village.

為慶祝第六屆「保誠香港網球公開賽」載譽歸來,今屆賽事 特別與波蘭藝術家Mateusz Kolek及本地插畫機構Ztoryteller 合作,推出結合藝術文化和網球運動的限定紀念品。由兩個 藝術單位親自設計的紀念品,將於賽事期間在「網球同樂區」 公開發售。





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舉辦體育活動有助市民大眾建立積極、健康的生活方式;舉辦這項世界級網球盛事的目的之一,就是為了吸引、啟發和激勵公眾執起球拍、投入網球運動。中國香港網球總會和保誠保險有限公司希望透過網球運動,向各階層人士灌輸更濃厚的體育文化。

Tournament Village「網球同樂區」

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今年賽會以「綻放網球力量」為主題,正與冠名贊助商「保誠保險」175週年誌慶互相輝映。市民可以到「保誠專區」試玩「跳躍抓取」(Jump & Grab)或「投擲得分」(Throw & Score)遊戲,贏取限量版禮品。「網球同樂區」內還有互動遊戲、球類遊戲、迷你網球場,市民亦有機會取得喜愛球手的親筆簽名,期間還可以品嚐各種美食和飲品,以及透過巨型螢幕觀賞現場直播。「網球同樂區」絕對是好去處,歡迎公眾到場支持。

People's Monday「全民參與星期一」

"People's Monday" is the first day when main draw matches start. On this day, admission is free on a first-come, first-served basis to promote tennis at the community level and to give the public a chance to experience and enjoy a truly world-class event.

「全民參與星期一」是正賽開始的第一天;任何人士均可以先到 先得的形式免費入場,進一步將網球運動推廣至社區層面,讓 公眾有機會體驗和享受真正的世界級賽事。



Students' Tuesday「學生星期二」

On this day, admission is free for all registered full-time students in Hong Kong on a first-come, first-serve basis. The tournament wishes to create more opportunities for the younger generation to attend a major sports event and develop aspirations to become an elite athlete or pick up tennis as an enjoyable extra-curricular activity to engage in physical exercise.

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Each year, some hundred schoolchildren get to come meet and interact with some of the best tennis players in the world. They get to take in some basic instructions and try out the sport immediately with visiting WTA stars and top local players right on court with them. The youngsters can also attend the day's matches and enjoy all the activities on offer at the Tournament Village.

每屆賽事都有數百名學童與來自世界各地的頂尖網球運動員 見面交流,除了接受基本指導,更可以與到訪的WTA球星 和本地精英球手在球場上切磋球技,觀賞當天的比賽,及參與 「網球同樂區」各項精彩活動。

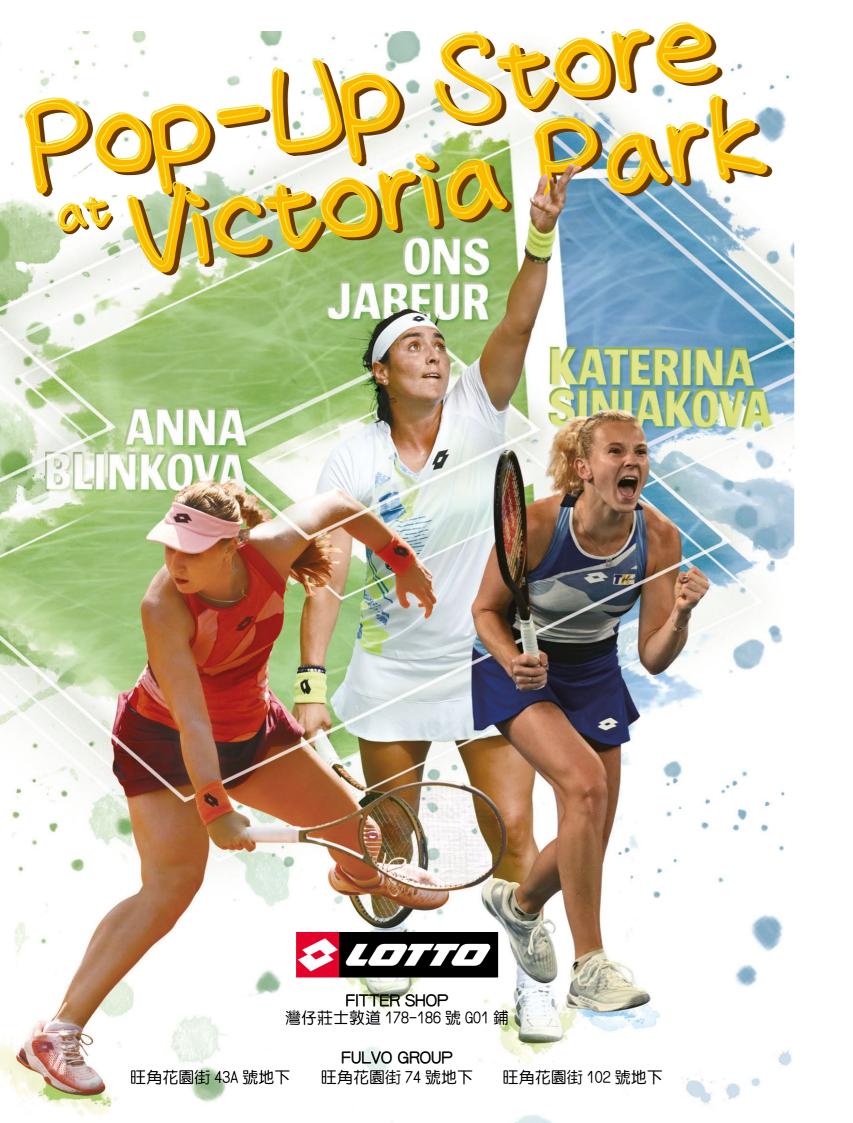


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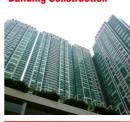


























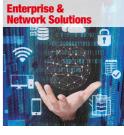








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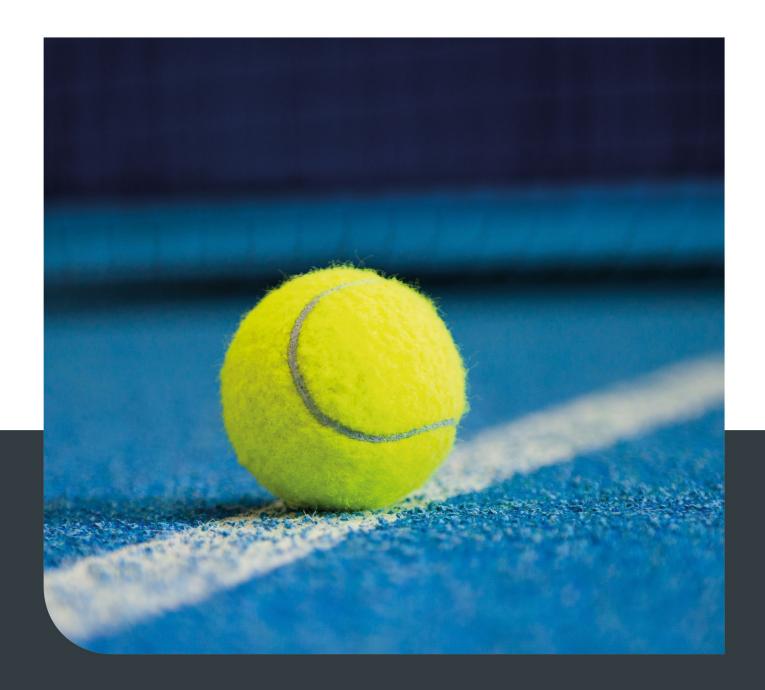
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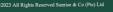












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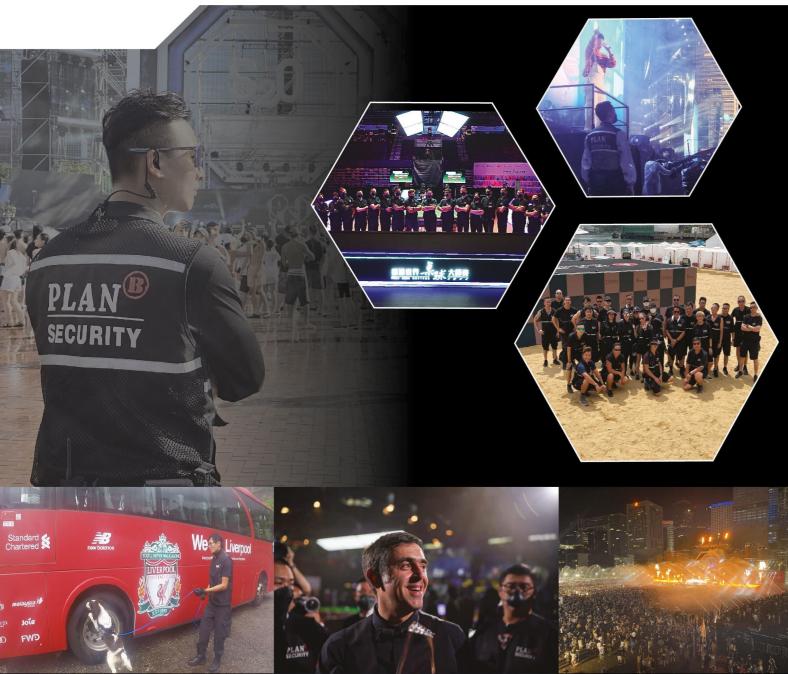
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