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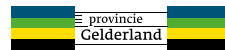
Wheelchair
SINGLES MASTERS



Wheelchair
DOUBLES MASTERS

SPORTPARK MOLENBEKE - ARNHEM

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DE BESTE SPELERS TER WERELD

De beste rolstoeltennissers bij zowel heren, vrouwen als quads strijken van 11 t/m 17 november neer in Sportpark Molenbeke in Arnhem voor de Wheelchair Tennis Masters. Tijdens dit prestigieuze eindejaarstoernooi strijden zij om de officiële wereldtitels, in zowel het enkel- als dubbelspel.

PARALYMPISCHE WINNAARS

De Wheelchair Tennis Masters zijn het eerste moment om de onlangs gekroonde Paralympische winnaars te zien spelen. Denk aan Yui Kamiji en Tokito Oda, beiden gouden medaillewinnaars in het enkelspel.

NEDERLANDSE TOPPERS

Uiteraard verwelkomen we ook een flink aantal Nederlandse deelnemers bij dit topsortevenement. Zo zullen Paralympisch kampioenen Niels Vink en Sam Schröder aanwezig zijn en kunnen we Gelders trots Aniek van Koot in actie zien.

BAANBREKENDE WEDSTRIJDEN

Gedurende 7 dagen zullen de 40 topatleten de drie courts betreden in de hoop uiteindelijk de Master titel te bemachtigen. Er wordt gestreden binnen 2 disciplines: enkelspel en dubbelspel. Binnen deze categorieën zijn er 3 disciplines: mannen, vrouwen & quads. Atleten in de discipline quad hebben een beperking aan zowel het boven- als het onderlichaam. Vanaf pagina 7 zie je welke atleten er deelnemen en met wie zij (indien van toepassing) uitkomen in het dubbelspel.



Niels Vink



Tokito Oda



Gustavo Fernandez



Yui Kamiji

VOORLOPIG PROGRAMMA VAN DE 2024 NEC SINGLES & UNIQLO DOUBLES WHEELCHAIR TENNIS MASTERS

DATUM	TIJD	ACTIVITEIT
Vrijdag 8 november	14.00 uur	Officiële loting
Maandag 11 november	10.30 - 18.00 uur	Poulewedstrijden enkelspel/dubbelspel
Dinsdag 12 november	10.30 - 18.00 uur	Poulewedstrijden enkelspel/dubbelspel
Woensdag 13 november	10.30 - 18.00 uur	Poulewedstrijden enkelspel/dubbelspel
Donderdag 14 november	10.30 - 18.00 uur	Poulewedstrijden enkelspel/dubbelspel
Vrijdag 15 november	13.00 - 18.00 uur	Poulewedstrijden enkelspel, halve finales dubbelspel
	10.30 - 12.00 uur	Kinderpersconferentie
Zaterdag 16 november	10.30 - 18.00 uur	Finales dubbelspel
Zondag 17 november	12.00 - 18.00 uur	Finales enkelspel

Het exacte wedstrijd- en tijdschema wordt vlak voor het evenement gepubliceerd. Alle tijden zijn onder voorbehoud.

Message from David Haggerty, President, International Tennis Federation

On behalf of the ITF it is my great pleasure to welcome you to the 2024 NEC Wheelchair Singles Masters and UNIQLO Wheelchair Doubles Masters at the Sportpark Molenbeke in Arnhem.

The world's eight highest-ranked men's, women's and quad singles players have the opportunity to compete for the coveted NEC Wheelchair Singles Masters titles.

Meanwhile, with the top eight men's, top six women's and top four quad doubles pairings competing for the prestigious UNIQLO Wheelchair Doubles Masters titles, 40 of the world's leading wheelchair players across singles and doubles disciplines are set to showcase their exceptional skills at the year-end championships.

I would like to thank NEC for their unwavering support as we mark the

30th anniversary of the NEC Wheelchair Singles Masters, as well as UNIQLO for their continued dedication, since 2014, as this year we also mark the 10th anniversary of the ITF's partnership with UNIQLO.

This year's championships would not be possible without the dedication of the many people behind the scenes, including those at the KNLTB, Team TOC, local sponsors, and all the staff and volunteers at Sportpark Molenbeke. I am sure that their hard work will ensure the continued success of both events.

All that remains for me is to wish everyone an enjoyable and memorable week.

David Haggerty
President
ITF



Welcome to the 2024 NEC Wheelchair Singles Masters

This year marks the 30th anniversary of the tournament, which NEC has supported since the very first time it was held.

Over the past three decades, wheelchair tennis has evolved and grown so much in popularity that I take great pride in the fact that the NEC Group has been involved in the development of the sport since its inception.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the athletes competing in this tournament and express my deepest respect for the tireless efforts that brought you here. I look forward to seeing everyone demonstrate their full potential and outstanding athletic abilities through matches that will bring excitement and inspiration to us all.

The NEC Group's Purpose is to "create the social values of safety, security, fairness and efficiency to promote a

more sustainable world where everyone has the chance to reach their full potential."

By continuing to support wheelchair tennis, NEC will contribute to the creation of a society where everyone can embrace their dreams and take on new challenges.

In closing, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the International Tennis Federation and all the organizations and individuals who helped bring this tournament to fruition.

I wish all of the athletes the best of luck and hope your time in the Netherlands will be a very exciting one.

Yours sincerely,

Takayuki Morita
President & CEO
NEC Corporation



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Welcome to the 2024 UNIQLO Wheelchair Doubles Masters

This year marks the 10th anniversary of UNIQLO's partnership with the International Tennis Federation. As title sponsor of the UNIQLO Wheelchair Tennis Tour again in 2024, we are honoured to continue showcasing the sport across 170 tournaments in over 40 countries and regions.

UNIQLO partners with world-leading athletes as Global Brand Ambassadors to promote the UNIQLO brand and LifeWear concept. This includes Roger Federer, Kei Nishikori, and two of the brightest figures in wheelchair tennis history - 2016 Paralympic gold medallist, Gordon Reid, and wheelchair tennis legend, Shingo Kunieda.

In 2023, Shingo officially announced his retirement. As our first Global Brand Ambassador, we take great pride congratulating Shingo on an immense career yielding four Paralympic gold medals, 50 Grand Slam titles, and 10 ITF World Champion crowns. Meanwhile, Gordon had another outstanding year, winning doubles titles at three Grand Slams - the Australian Open, the French Open and Wimbledon. He capped an extraordinary year by reaching the final US Open.

All UNIQLO Global Brand Ambassadors participate in our Next Generation Development Program. This gives young people around the world a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to interact with champions, receiving direct insight on what it takes to succeed in sport and in life. We thank Shingo, Gordon, and all our ambassadors, for their work to develop the next generation of leaders.

UNIQLO LifeWear is clothing that enriches the lives of people everywhere. Simple, high quality, and ingenious in detail, LifeWear is always evolving and is thought through with all life's needs in mind. Through LifeWear, we aim to engage with communities everywhere, working together toward a better world. Our enduring partnership with the ITF enables us to contribute to a more inclusive society, as together we bring the very best of parasports to the world.

On behalf of everyone at UNIQLO, I wish to thank the ITF, all players and organizers, for their tireless effort to bring us the UNIQLO Wheelchair Tennis Tour. We wish you the very best for the 2024 tour.

Tadashi Yanai
Chairman, President & CEO
Fast Retailing, Co., Ltd.



Welkom in Gelderland

Welkom in dé sportprovincie van Nederland! Ik ben er trots op dat we dit jaar de beste rolstoeltennissers van de wereld welkom kunnen heten bij de Wheelchair Tennis Masters 2024 in Arnhem.

Iedereen die dat wil, moet in Gelderland kunnen sporten. Met of zonder beperking. Want sport zorgt voor plezier, brengt mensen samen en is goed voor je gezondheid. Zo ondersteunen we onder andere al het Multi Talent Centrum in Apeldoorn en werken we samen met het landelijke programma Uniek Sporten. Met de Wheelchair Tennis Masters geven we een extra impuls aan de ontwikkeling van de

gehandicaptensport, met al die wereldtoppers op de baan als inspiratiebron. Zij laten de nieuwe generatie zien dat niets onmogelijk is.

Veel plezier op de Wheelchair Tennis Masters!

Helga Witjes
Gedeputeerde Sport
Provincie Gelderland



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NEC WHEELCHAIR SINGLES MASTERS AND
UNIQLO WHEELCHAIR DOUBLES MASTERS
DEELNEMERS HEREN ENKEL & DUBBEL



Tokito Oda (JPN)
Singles Ranking: 1
Doubles Ranking: 3
Event: Men's singles



Alfie Hewett (GBR)
Singles Ranking: 2
Doubles Ranking: 1
Event: Men's singles and doubles (with Reid)



Martin de la Puente (ESP)
Singles Ranking: 3
Doubles Ranking: 7
Event: Men's singles and doubles (with Gerard)



Gustavo Fernandez (ARG)
Singles Ranking: 4
Event: Men's singles



Gordon Reid (GBR)
Singles Ranking: 5
Doubles Ranking: 2
Event: Men's singles and doubles (with Hewett)



Tom Egberink (NED)
Singles Ranking: 6
Doubles Ranking: 9
Event: Men's singles and doubles (with Scheffers)





NEC WHEELCHAIR SINGLES MASTERS AND UNI QLO WHEELCHAIR DOUBLES MASTERS DEELNEMERS HEREN ENKEL & DUBBEL



Joachim Gerard (BEL)

Singles Ranking: 7

Doubles Ranking: 8

Event: Men's singles and doubles (with De la Puente)



Stephane Houdet (FRA)

Singles Ranking: 8

Doubles Ranking: 5

Event: Men's singles and doubles (with Caverzaschi)



Robin Groenewoud (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 27

Event: Men's doubles (with Penney)



Maikel Scheffers (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 6

Event: Men's doubles (with Egberink)



Daniel Caverzaschi (ESP)

Doubles Ranking: 11

Event: Men's doubles (with Houdet)



Ruben Spaargaren (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 14

Event: Men's doubles (with Ter Hofte)



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Maarten ter Hofte (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 16

Event: Men's doubles (with Spaargaren)



Anthony Dittmar (GER)

Doubles Ranking: 47

Event: Men's doubles (with Wilke)



Christoph Wilke (GER)

Doubles Ranking: 46

Event: Men's doubles (with Dittmar)



Luca Arca (ITA)

Doubles Ranking: 97

Event: Men's doubles (with Culea)



Silviu Culea (ITA)

Doubles Ranking: 147

Event: Men's doubles (with Arca)



Andrew Penney (GBR)

Doubles Ranking: 43

Event: Men's doubles (with Groenewoud)





NEC WHEELCHAIR SINGLES MASTERS AND UNI QLO WHEELCHAIR DOUBLES MASTERS DEELNEMERS DAMES ENKEL & DUBBEL



Yui Kamiji (JPN)

Singles Ranking: 2

Doubles Ranking: 1

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Montjane)



Aniek van Koot (NED)

Singles Ranking: 3

Doubles Ranking: 4

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Griffioen)



Ziying Wang (CHN)

Singles Ranking: 4

Doubles Ranking: 11

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Zhu)



Jiske Griffioen (NED)

Singles Ranking: 5

Doubles Ranking: 7

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Van Koot)



Zhenzhen Zhu (CHN)

Singles Ranking: 6

Doubles Ranking: 6

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Wang)



Angelica Bernal (COL)

Singles Ranking: 7

Event: Women's singles



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Dana Mathewson (USA)

Singles Ranking: 8

Doubles Ranking: 10

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Tanaka)



Kgothatso Montjane (RSA)

Singles Ranking: 9

Doubles Ranking: 3

Event: Women's singles and doubles (with Kamiji)



Manami Tanaka (JPN)

Doubles Ranking: 5

Event: Women's doubles (with Mathewson)



Jinte Bos (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 23

Event: Women's doubles (with De Greef)



Lizzy de Greef (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 15

Event: Women's doubles (with Bos)



Wendi Schutte (NED)

Doubles Ranking: 32

Event: Women's doubles (with Wend)





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Britta Wend (GER)

Doubles Ranking: 34

Event: Women's doubles (with Schutte)

***Rankings at the entry cut-off date.**



NEC WHEELCHAIR SINGLES MASTERS AND UNI QLO WHEELCHAIR DOUBLES MASTERS DEELNEMERS QUADS



Sam Schroder (NED)

Singles Ranking: 1

Doubles Ranking: 2

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Vink)



Niels Vink (NED)

Singles Ranking: 2

Doubles Ranking: 1

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Schroder)

NEC WHEELCHAIR SINGLES MASTERS AND UNIQLO WHEELCHAIR DOUBLES MASTERS DEELNEMERS QUADS



Guy Sasson (ISR)

Singles Ranking: 3

Doubles Ranking: 4

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Wagner)



Ahmet Kaplan (TUR)

Singles Ranking: 4

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Slade)



Andy Laphorne (GBR)

Singles Ranking: 5

Doubles Ranking: 3

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Ramphadi)



Donald Ramphadi (RSA)

Singles Ranking: 6

Doubles Ranking: 8

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Laphorne)



Robert Shaw (CAN)

Singles Ranking: 7

Event: Quad singles



David Wagner (USA)

Singles Ranking: 10

Doubles Ranking: 8

Event: Quad singles and doubles (with Sasson)





NEC WHEELCHAIR SINGLES MASTERS AND UNI QLO WHEELCHAIR DOUBLES MASTERS DEELNEMERS QUADS



Greg Slade (GBR)

Doubles Ranking: 11

Event: Quad doubles (with Kaplan)

***Rankings at the entry cut-off date.**



UNIQLO GLOBAL BRAND AMBASSADORS

Our Global Brand Ambassadors embody UNIQLO's LifeWear philosophy—a belief in excellence, a passion for constant improvement and a dedication to our shared values and social commitments. They inspire us every day, collaborating with us to innovate clothing that makes everyone's life better. We are proud to partner with these exceptional individuals, and support their efforts to foster the next generation of leaders.



ADAM SCOTT

The first Australian to win the Masters, a former world #1, winner of 31 professional tournaments, Adam Scott is known for the most beautiful swing in golf, his winning personality, and sophisticated style.

GORDON REID

Paralympic gold medalist, winner of the inaugural wheelchair singles at Wimbledon and the doubles calendar Grand Slam, Gordon was appointed Order of the British Empire for his contributions to wheelchair tennis.

KEI NISHIKORI

The first Japanese men's player to make the finals at the US Open and enter the top 4 in world rankings, Kei ignited a love for tennis in Japanese youth, through a creative style of play that is uniquely his own.

ROGER FEDERER

Tennis legend, 20 time Grand Slam winner with 8 Wimbledon titles. Ranked No.1 in the world for the longest streak ever. One of the most beloved and influential players of all time. A true legend of sport.

SHINGO KUNIEDA

With his 4 Paralympic golds, a record fifty major titles and an astonishing Career Golden Slam, Shingo is a player of undeniably historic impact who forever changed the way the world sees para-sports.

AYUMU HIRANO

The youngest Japanese medalist ever at the Winter Olympics, Gold Medalist at Beijing '22 and first ever to compete in both snowboarding and skateboarding, Ayumu's influence within youth culture is powerfully authentic.



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Going beyond imagination.

NEC has been supporting wheelchair tennis for over 30 years. Watching these athletes from the sidelines, we've seen them rise to new challenges. Taking great pride in this history and the bonds we have developed, we remain deeply committed to moving forward together.

NEC is an international partner of the International Tennis Federation.