



# MATCH NOTES

ADELAIDE INTERNATIONAL 2  
ADELAIDE, AUSTRALIA

JANUARY 10-15, 2022 | WTA 250 | \$239,477



WTA Website: [www.wtatennis.com](http://www.wtatennis.com) | @WTA | facebook.com/wta

Tournament Website: [www.adelaideinternational.com.au](http://www.adelaideinternational.com.au)

WTA Communications: Teyva Sammet ([tsammet@wtatennis.com](mailto:tsammet@wtatennis.com))

## ADELAIDE INTERNATIONAL 2 – QUICK FACTS

<b>Main draw dates:</b>	Monday, January 10 - Saturday, January 15, 2022
<b>Singles Final:</b>	Saturday, January 15, 2022 NB 4pm
<b>Doubles Final:</b>	Saturday, January 15, 2022 NB 3:00pm
<b>Venue:</b>	Memorial Drive
<b>Status:</b>	WTA 250
<b>Draw sizes:</b>	32 singles / 16 doubles teams / 24 singles qualifying
<b>Surface:</b>	Greenset Cushon / Outdoor
<b>Tennis Ball:</b>	Dunlop Australian Open

SINGLES	\$	RANK POINTS
Winner	31,000	280
Runner-Up	18,037	180
Semifinalist	10,100	110
Quarterfinalist	5,800	60
Round of 16	3,675	30
Round of 32	2,675	1

## MAIN DRAW QUICK-HITS

**Wildcards:** Aryna Sabalenka (BLR); Daria Saville (AUS); Madison Inglis (AUS)

**Youngest singles player:** Coco Gauff (17)

**Oldest singles player:** Alizé Cornet (31)

- One of the five pre-Australian Open tournaments and the second to be staged in Adelaide, following the WTA 500 event won by Ashleigh Barty on Sunday
- Barty also lifted the doubles title last week, alongside compatriot Storm Sanders
- The No.1 seed this week is a Wild Card recipient, **Aryna Sabalenka**, who joins the tournament following a second-round loss to Kaja Juvan at the Adelaide International. She will face a qualifier in her opening match
- Another player to fall at the first hurdle at Memorial Drive last week was **Elina Svitolina**, she also returns for the WTA 250 as the No.2 seed and faces **Madison Keys** first up
- **Coco Gauff** is the No.3 seed and looks to build on her second round showing here last week, when she led by a set and a break before eventually being edged out by Barty
- *One to Watch* – **Jasmine Paolini** ended last year just outside of the Top 50, at No.53, thanks to a WTA125 Series win and the Portoroz title. She upset four seeds at the latter, including Alison Riske, who she could possibly face in the semifinals this week. The Italian also finished 2021 strongly on hard courts, reaching the last four at Courmayeur, quarterfinals at Linz and coming through qualifying to make the third round at Indian Wells



# MATCH NOTES

## ADELAIDE INTERNATIONAL 2 ADELAIDE, AUSTRALIA

JANUARY 10-15, 2022 | WTA 250 | \$239,477



## COUNTRY & REGION BREAKDOWN

Not including qualifiers, a total of 14 countries and regions are represented in the draw, led by America with a six:

<b>Australia (2)</b>	Maddison Inglis, Daria Saville
<b>Belarus (1)</b>	Aryna Sabalenka
<b>Czech Republic (3)</b>	Tereza Martincova, Katerina Siniakova, Marketa Vondrousova
<b>Egypt (1)</b>	Mayar Sherif
<b>France (1)</b>	Alizé Cornet
<b>Italy (1)</b>	Jasmine Paolini
<b>Poland (1)</b>	Magda Linette
<b>Romania (1)</b>	Sorana Cirstea
<b>Russia (2)</b>	Veronika Kudermetova, Liudmila Samsonova
<b>Spain (1)</b>	Nuria Parrizas Diaz
<b>Slovenia (1)</b>	Tamara Zidansek
<b>Switzerland (2)</b>	Viktorija Golubic, Jil Teichmann
<b>Ukraine (3)</b>	Anhelina Kalinina, Marta Kostyuk, Elina Svitolina
<b>USA (6)</b>	Madison Brengle, Coco Gauff, Madison Keys, Ann Li, Alison Riske, Shelby Rogers

## A SNAPSHOT OF LAST SEASON

- **Match wins leaders (48):** Ons Jabeur, Anett Kontaveit
- **Longest unbeaten streak (15):** Barbora Krejčíková
- **Most Top 10 wins (9):** Maria Sakkari
- **Most three-set wins (17):** Daria Kasatkina
- **Aces leader (387):** Karolina Pliskova
- **Most aces in a match (24):** Karolina Pliskova (d. Anisimova 7-5 6-7(5) 7-6(7) – US Open, 2r)
- **Most singles titles (5):** Ashleigh Barty (Yarra Valley Classic, Miami, Stuttgart, Wimbledon, Cincinnati)
- **Fewest games dropped en route to a title (20):** Paula Badosa (Belgrade)
- **Lowest-ranked title winner (No.198):** Elena-Gabriela Ruse (Hamburg)
- **Qualifiers to win titles (4):** Clara Tauson (Lyon), Liudmila Samsonova (Berlin), Elena-Gabriela Ruse (Hamburg), Emma Raducanu (US Open)
- **Youngest title winner:** Coco Gauff, Parma (17)
- **Oldest title winner:** Andrea Petkovic, Cluj-Napoca (33)
- **Most doubles titles (6):** Katerina Siniakova (Gippsland Trophy, Madrid, Roland Garros, Moscow, WTA Finals)
- **Singles-doubles title sweeps (3):** Ashleigh Barty (Stuttgart w/Brady), Coco Gauff (Parma w/McNally), Barbora Krejčíková (Roland-Garros w/Siniakova)
- **Top 10 debuts (6):** Iga Świątek, Barbora Krejčíková, Maria Sakkari, Ons Jabeur, Anett Kontaveit, Paula Badosa
- **Longest Match (3h 55m):** Kristina Kučová d. Ekaterine Gorgodze 6-7(4) 7-6(7) 7-6(3) at Gdynia



# MATCH NOTES

## ADELAIDE INTERNATIONAL 2

### ADELAIDE, AUSTRALIA

JANUARY 10-15, 2022 | WTA 250 | \$239,477



## THIS SEASON'S WTA TOUR FINALS

Week of	Level	Tournament	Singles Final	Doubles Final
<b>January 3</b>	WTA 500	Adelaide	[1] A. Barty vs [7] E. Rybakina 63 62	[3] Jurak Schreiber/Klepac vs Barty/Sanders 61 64
	WTA 250	Melbourne Set 1	[2] S. Halep vs [3] V. Kudermetova 62 63	[2] Muhammad/Pegula vs Errani/Paoletti 63 61
	WTA 250	Melbourne Set 2	A. Anisimova vs A. Sasnovich 75 16 64	[2] Pera/Siniakova vs Martincova/Sherif 62 67 (7) 10-5