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ROTHESAY CLASSIC – QUICK FACTS

Main draw dates: Monday, June 19 – Sunday, June 25, 2023
Singles Final: Sunday, June 25, 1:30pm
Doubles Final: Sunday, June 25, Following Singles Final
Venue: Edgbaston Priory Club
Status: WTA 250
Staging: 41st Edition
Draw sizes: 32 singles / 16 doubles teams / 24 singles qualifying
Surface: Grass / Outdoors
Tennis Ball: Slazenger Wimbledon

SINGLES	\$	RANK POINTS
Winner	34,228	280
Runner-Up	20,226	180
Semifinalist	11,275	110
Quarterfinalist	6,418	60
Round of 16	3,922	30
Round of 32	2,804	1
Qualified	-	18

DOUBLES	\$	RANK POINTS
Winner	12,447	280
Runner-Up	7,000	180
Semifinalist	4,020	110
Quarterfinalist	2,400	60
Round of 16	1,848	1

TOURNAMENT TALKING POINTS

Wildcards: Harriet Dart, Jodie Burrage, Venus Williams, Elina Svitolina

Youngest singles player: Linda Fruhvirtova (18)

Oldest singles player: Venus Williams (43)

- 41st Edition of the tournament.
- **Beatriz Haddad Maia** returns to Birmingham as the defending champion; won her second career title at 2022 Birmingham.
- **Haddad Maia** is the player with the most points to defend on grass (745 points).
- **Barbora Krejčíková** is the top seed in the draw. This is the third time in her career she has earned the No.1 seed at a tournament (also 2022 Cleveland and 2022 Budapest). Two players have won the title at an event this year as the No.1 seed – Coco Gauff (Auckland) and Iga Swiatek (Doha, Stuttgart, Roland Garros).
- Fresh off winning her first career singles title in Nottingham, **Katie Boulter** will face Zhu Lin in the opening round.
- Boulter defeated **Jodie Burrage** in the all-British final in Nottingham, the first time two Brits faced off in a Tour-level singles final since 1977 San Francisco. Burrage faces **Harriet Dart** in the opening round
- Other standout names in the main draw includes **Elina Svitolina, Jelena Ostapenko, and Venus Williams.**
- *One to watch* – **Elina Svitolina**. Svitolina recently won her 17th career title at Strasbourg after returning from maternity leave this past April. She also advanced to the quarterfinals at Roland Garros bringing her ranking from No. 508 to No. 73 within two tournaments.

COUNTRY & REGION BREAKDOWN

A total of 10 countries and regions are represented in the main draw, led by the Czech Republic and the USA with five players each:

Brazil (1)	Beatriz Haddad Maia
China (2)	Shuai Zhang, Lin Zhu
Czech Republic (5)	Marie Bouzkova, Linda Fruhvirtova, Barbora Krejckikova, Linda Noskova, Barbora Strycova
Great Britain (2)	Jodie Burrage, Harriet Dart
Italy (3)	Elisabetta Cocciaretto, Camila Giorgi, Jasmine Paolini
Latvia (1)	Jelena Ostapenko
Poland (1)	Magda Linette
Romania (1)	Sorana Cirstea
Ukraine (3)	Anhelina Kalinina, Marta Kostyuk, Elina Svitolina
USA (5)	Lauren Davis, Alycia Parks, Bernarda Pera, Caty McNally, Venus Williams
	Anastasia Potapova

A SNAPSHOT OF 2023 SO FAR

- **Top-10 debuts (2):** Elena Rybakina (January 30), Beatriz Haddad Maia (June 12)
- **Match wins leaders:** Iga Swiatek (35-6), Aryna Sabalenka (34-6), Elena Rybakina (30-7)
- **Aces leaders:** Elena Rybakina (292), Caroline Garcia (236), Aryna Sabalenka (221)
- **Most aces in a match (20):** Veronika Kudermetova (d. Victoria Azarenka at Adelaide 2)
- **Most singles titles (3):** Aryna Sabalenka (Adelaide 1, Australian Open, Madrid), Iga Swiatek (Doha, Stuttgart, Roland Garros)
- **Fewest games dropped en route to a title (5):** Iga Swiatek (Doha)
- **Lowest-ranked title winner (No.126):** Katie Boulter (Nottingham)
- **Youngest title winner (18):** Coco Gauff (Auckland)
- **Oldest title winner (35):** Tatjana Maria (Bogota)
- **Most doubles titles (2):** Coco Gauff (Doha, Miami), Desirae Krawczyk (Charleston, Stuttgart), Barbora Krejckikova (Australian Open, Indian Wells), Jessica Pegula (Doha, Miami) Luisa Stefani (Adelaide 2, Abu Dhabi), Katerina Siniakova (Australian Open, Indian Wells), Taylor Townsend (Adelaide 1, Adelaide 2)
- **Longest Match (3h 51m):** Beatriz Haddad Maia d. Sara Sorribes Tormo 6-7(3) 6-3 7-5 (Roland Garros)

2023 WTA TOUR FINALS

Week of

Week of		Singles Final	Doubles Final
JAN 2	WTA 500 Adelaide 1 WTA 250 Auckland Open	[2] A. Sabalenka d [Q] L. Noskova 63 76(4) [1] C. Gauff d [Q] R. Masarova 61 61	[6] A. Muhammad/T. Townsend d [1] S. Hunter/K. Siniakova 62 76(2) [2] M. Kato/A. Sutjiadi d L. Fernandez/B. Mattek-Sands 16 75 10-4
JAN 9	WTA 500 Adelaide 2 WTA 250 Hobart	[8] B. Bencic d [5] D. Kasatkina 60 62 [Q] L. Davis d E. Cocciaretto 76(0) 62	L. Stefani/T. Townsend d A. Pavlyuchenkova/E. Rybakina 75 76(3) [1] K. Flipkens/L. Siegemund d V. Golubic/P. Udvardy 64 75
JAN 16	GS Australian Open	[5] A. Sabalenka d [22] E. Rybakina 46 63 64	[1] B. Krejčíková/K. Siniakova d [10] S. Aoyama/E. Shibahara 64 63
JAN 30	WTA 250 Hua Hin WTA 250 Lyon	L. Zhu d L. Tsurenko 64 64 A. Parks d [1] C. Garcia 76(7) 75	H. Chan/F. Wu d X. Wang/L. Zhu 61 76(6) C. Bucsa/B. Schoofs d O. Danilovic/A. Panova 76(5) 63
FEB 6	WTA 500 Abu Dhabi WTA 250 Linz	[2] B. Bencic d [8] L. Samsonova 16 76(8) 64 [8] A. Potapova d [6] P. Martić 63 61	L. Stefani/S. Zhang d S. Aoyama/H. Chan 36 62 10-8 N. Dzalamidze/V. Kuzmova d A. Friedsam/N. Kichenok 46 75 12-10
FEB 13	WTA 500 Doha	[1] I. Świątek d [2] J. Pegula 6-3 6-0	[1] C. Gauff/J. Pegula d L. Kichenok/J. Ostapenko 6-4 2-6 10-7
FEB 20	WTA 1000 Dubai WTA 250 Merida	B. Krejčíková d [1] I. Świątek 6-4 6-2 C. Giorgi d [Q] R. Peterson 7-6(3) 1-6 6-2	V. Kudermetova/L. Samsonova d H. Chan/L. Chan 6-4 6-7(4) 10-1 C. McNally/D. Parry d X. Wang/F. Wu 6-0 7-5
FEB 27	WTA 250 Austin WTA 250 Monterrey	[8] M. Kostyuk d V. Gracheva 6-3 7-5 [3] D. Vekić d [1] C. Garcia 6-4 3-6 7-5	[2] E. Routliffe/A. Sutjiadi d [1] N. Melichar-Martinez/E. Perez 6-4 3-6 10-8 Y. Lizarazo/M. García d [WC] K. Birrell/F. Contreras Gómez 6-3 5-7 10-5
MAR 6	WTA 1000 Indian Wells	[10] E. Rybakina d [2] A. Sabalenka 7-6(11) 6-4	[1] B. Krejčíková/K. Siniakova d B. Haddad Maia/L. Siegemund 6-1 6-7(3) 10-7
MAR 20	WTA 1000 Miami	[15] P. Kvitová d [10] E. Rybakina 7-6(14) 6-2	[2] C. Gauff/J. Pegula d L. Fernandez/T. Townsend 7-6(6) 6-2
APR 3	WTA 500 Charleston WTA 250 Bogotá	[2] O. Jabeur d [4] B. Bencic 7-6(6) 6-4 [2] T. Maria d P. Stearns 6-3 2-6 6-4	D. Collins/D. Krawczyk d [1] G. Olmos/E. Shibahara 0-6 6-4 14-12 I. Khromacheva/I. Shymanovich d O. Kalshnikova/K. Piter 6-1 3-6 10-6
APR 17	WTA 500 Stuttgart	[1] I. Świątek d [2] A. Sabalenka 6-3 6-4	[2] D. Krawczyk/D. Schuurs d [3] N. Melichar-Martinez/G. Olmos 6-4 6-1
APR 24	WTA 1000 Madrid	[2] A. Sabalenka d. [1] I. Świątek 6-3 3-6 6-3	V. Azarenka/B. Haddad Maia d. [1] C. Gauff/J. Pegula 6-1 6-4
MAY 8	WTA 1000 Rome	[7] E. Rybakina d. [30] A. Kalinina 6-4 1-0 ret.	[4] S. Hunter/E. Mertens d. [1] C. Gauff/J. Pegula 6-4 6-4
MAY 21	WTA 250 Strasbourg WTA 250 Rabat	E. Svitolina d. B. Blinkova 6-2 6-3 L. Bronzetti d. J. Grabher 6-4 5-7 7-5	[4] Y. Xu / Z. Yang d. [2] D. Krawczyk / G. Olmos 6-3 6-2 S. Santamaria / Y. Sizikova d. L. Marozava / I. Gamarra Martins 3-6 6-1 10-8
MAY 29	GS Roland Garros	[1] I. Świątek d. K. Muchova 6-2 5-7 6-4	X. Wang / S. Hsieh d. [10] L. Fernandez / T. Townsend 1-6 7-6(5) 6-1
JUN 13	WTA 250 Nottingham WTA 250 S'Hertogenbosch	[WC] K. Boulter d. J. Burrage 6-3 6-3 [4] E. Alexandrova d. [1] V. Kudermetova 4-6 6-4 7 6(3)	U. Eikeri/I. Neel d. [WC] H. Dart/H. Watson 7-6(6) 5-7 10-8 S. Aoyama/E. Shibahara d. V. Hrunčáková/T. Mihalikova 6-3 6-3