



PREVIEW NOTES

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI

ZHUHAI, CHINA

OCTOBER 24- 29, 2023 | \$2,409,000



WTA Website: www.wtatennis.com | @WTA | facebook.com/wta
Communications: Teyva Sammet (TSammet@wtatennis.com)

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI – QUICK FACTS

Draw Dates: Tuesday, October 24 – Sunday, October 29
Singles Final: Sunday, October 29 NB 3:30pm
Doubles Final: Sunday, October 29, 1pm
Venue : Zhuhai Hengqin International Tennis Centre
Total Prize Money: USD \$2,409,000
Surface: Hard/Outdoor (Greenset/Covered court)
Tennis Ball: Yonex Tour Platinum 6th Edition

The singles competition is a 12-player draw with 11 direct entries and 1 wild card competing in a round-robin format. Players will be divided into four groups of three players. The winner of each group advances to a single elimination format semifinals and final.

The doubles competition is a six-team draw with four direct entries and two wild cards competing in a round-robin format with two groups of teams. The winner of each group advances to the final.

2023 WTA ELITE TROPHY SINGLES PARTICIPANTS

PLAYER	RANK	AGE	WTA ELITE TROPHY W/L	YTD PRIZE \$^	YTD MD W/L*	YTD TITLES	CAREER PRIZE MONEY	CAREER MD W/L*	CAREER TITLES
Barbora Krejčíková	10	27	Debut	2,097,829	32-18	2	10,851,903	369-206	7
Madison Keys	11	28	3-3	2,356,458	33-13	1	17,316,870	360-205	7
Jelena Ostapenko	13	26	Debut	2,020,860	36-21	1	13,796,178	341-208	6
Liudmila Samsonova	15	24	Debut	2,120,536	33-23	0	4,248,296	278-171	4
Veronika Kudermetova	16	26	Debut	1,486,341	33-21	1	6,404,427	343-225	2
Daria Kasatkina	17	26	1-1	1,461,790	37-24	0	10,536,074	342-193	6
Zheng Qinwen	18	21	Debut	1,303,512	34-18	2	2,361,918	172-75	2
Beatriz Haddad Maia	19	27	Debut	2,058,517	30-22	0	4,542,773	423-216	2
Caroline Garcia	20	30	2-2	1,729,345	39-25	0	16,793,486	450-338	11
Magda Linette	23	31	Debut	1,793,313	27-24	0	5,945,296	451-344	2
Donna Vekic	24	27	0-2	1,282,726	29-18	1	6,819,716	342-256	4
Zhu Lin	37	29	Debut	885,297	27-21	1	2,752,862	393-266	1

*Includes Billie Jean King Cup matches



PREVIEW NOTES

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI

ZHUHAI, CHINA

OCTOBER 24- 29, 2023 | \$2,409,000



PREVIOUS FINALS

YEAR	CHAMPION	RUNNER-UP	SCORE
2015	Venus Williams	Karolina Pliskova	7-5 7-6(6)
2016	Petra Kvitova	Elina Svitolina	6-4 6-2
2017	Julia Goerges	CoCo Vandeweghe	7-5 6-1
2018	Ashleigh Barty	Wang Qiang	6-6-4
2019	Aryna Sabalenka	Kiki Bertens	6-4 6-2

RANKING POINTS & PRIZE MONEY BREAKDOWN

PRIZE MONEY SINGLES			PRIZE MONEY DOUBLES	
<u>FINALS WIN</u>	\$385,000		<u>FINALS WIN</u>	\$23,000
<u>SF WIN</u>	\$165,000		<u>FINALS LOSS</u>	\$12,000
<u>SF</u>	\$17,000			
<u>RR FINISH #1</u>			<u>RR WIN</u>	\$6,000
1ST PLACE (2W)	\$220,000		<u>PARTICIPATION FEE</u>	\$20,000
2ND PLACE (1W)	\$137,750			
3RD PLACE (0W)	\$50,000			
<u>RR FINISH #2</u>				
1ST PLACE (1W)	\$177,000			
2ND PLACE (1W)	\$127,750			
3RD PLACE (0W)	\$103,000			
ALTERNATES	\$14,500			

RANKING POINTS – SINGLES ONLY

FINALS WIN	460 + RR PTS
FINALISTS	200 + RR PTS
RR WIN	80 PTS EACH WIN
RR EACH MATCH	40 PTS WEACH WIN



PREVIEW NOTES

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI

ZHUHAI, CHINA

OCTOBER 24- 29, 2023 | \$2,409,000



RESULTS ON THE BIGGEST STAGES IN 2023

	GRAND SLAMS						WTA 1000							
	AO	RG	WIM	USO	Dubai	Indian Wells	Miami	Madrid	Rome	Montreal	Cinci	Guad	Beijing	
Barbora Krejckikova	R16	1r	2r	1r	WON	R16	R16	R16	3r	-	1r	-	1r	
Madison Keys	3r	2r	QF	SF	QF	2r	3r	-	R16	2r	1r	2r	-	
Jelena Ostapenko	QF	2r	2r	QF	R16	3r	R16	3r	SF	1r	2r	R16	QF	
Liudmila Samsonova	2r	2r	1r	3r	R16	2r	3r	R16	2r	R-Up	1r	-	R-Up	
Veronika Kudermetova	2r	1r	2r	1r	1r	3r	2r	SF	SF	-	2r	R16	R16	
Daria Kasatkina	1r	R16	3r	R16	2r	3r	2r	R16	R16	QF	R16	-	2r	
Zheng Qinwen	2r	2r	1r	QF	2r	R16	-	3r	QF	2r	R16	-	1r	
Beatriz Haddad Maia	1r	SF	R16	2r	1r	3r	3r	2r	QF	2r	1r	-	1r	
Caroline Garcia	R16	2r	3r		2r	R16	2r	3r	3r	2r	2r	SF	QF	
Donna Vekic	QF	2r	3r	1r	-	2r	3r	2r	R16	1r	R16	-	1r	
Magda Linette	SF	1r	2r	2r	-	2r	R16	3r	3r	1r	1r	-	R16	
Zhu Lin	R16	1r	1r	3r	-	1r	2r	1r	-	1r	1r	-	1r	

2023 – A SNAPSHOT OF THE WTA YEAR

- Top-10 debuts (4): Elena Rybakina (January 30); Beatriz Haddad Maia (June 12); Marketa Vondrousova (July 17); Karolina Muchova (Aug 21)
- Match wins leaders: Iga Swiatek (63-11), Aryna Sabalenka (53-12), Jesscia Pegula (53-17)
- Most aces in a match (21): Rebecca Marino (d. Emina Betkas at Birmingham)
- Most singles titles (5): Swiatek (Doha, Stuttgart, Roland Garros, Warsaw, Beijing)
- Lowest-ranked title winner (No.508): Elina Svitolina (Strasbourg)
- Youngest title winner (18): Coco Gauff (Auckland)
- Oldest title winner (35): Tatjana Maria (Bogotá)
- Most doubles titles (4): Barbora Krejckova (Australian Open, Indian Wells, Birmingham, San Diego)
- Longest Match (3h 51m): Beatriz Haddad Maia d. Sara Sorribes Tormo 6-7(3) 6-3 7-5 (Roland Garros)
- Singles & Doubles Titles – Same Event: Nao Hibino (Prague), Barbora Krejckova (San Diego)



PREVIEW NOTES

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI

ZHUHAI, CHINA

OCTOBER 24- 29, 2023 | \$2,409,000



ROUND-BY-ROUND RESULTS

ZHUHAI QUALIFIERS	R128	R64	R32	R16	QF	SF	R-UP	W	TOTAL
GARCIA, CAROLINE	1	2	6	4	9	1	2	-	26*
HADDAD MAIA, BEATRIZ	1	5	4	3	5	2	-	-	21*
KASATKINA, DARIA	1	1	7	7	4	2	2	-	24
KEYS, MADISON	-	3	5	1	4	1	-	1	16*
KREJCIKOVA, BARBORA	2	3	3	7	-	-	2	2	19
KUDERMETOVA, VERONIKA	2	5	5	3	3	4	1	1	24
LINETTE, MAGDA	1	4	7	6	1	1	1	-	22*
OSTAPENKO, JELENA	-	3	5	8	4	1	-	1	22
SAMSONOVA, LIUDMILA	1	4	7	5	2	1	3	-	23
VEKIC, DONNA	1	5	4	5	2	-	1	1	20*
ZHENG, QINWEN	1	3	7	5	2	1	-	2	21
ZHU, LIN	4	4	5	3	1	3	1	1	22
<i>*includes United Cup participation</i>	15	42	65	57	37	17	13	9	260

QUICK HITS

Three Chinese women have won a combined four singles titles this year on Tour – **Zhu Lin** (Hua Hin), **Zheng Qinwen** (Zhengzhou, Palermo) and **Xiyu Wang** (Guangzhou). The four titles is the most in a season by players representing China.

Entering Zhuhai, **Caroline Garcia** leads the Tour with 449 aces served this year. She enters the tournament with slight advantage over **Elena Rybakina** (439).

Eleven of the 12 participants in Zhuhai have reached at least one singles final this year; the only exception being **Beatriz Haddad Maia**, who was a 2-time semifinalist this year.

In 2023, there have been 10 players win multiple titles including **Barbora Krejcikova** and **Zheng Qinwen**.

MULTIPLE TITLES WON IN 2023	TITLES
SWIATEK, IGA	5
GAUFF, COCO	4
SABALENKA, ARYNA	3
PEGULA, JESSICA	2
KVITOVA, PETRA	2
RYBAKINA, ELENA	2
BENCIC, BELINDA	2
JABEUR, ONS	2
KREJCIKOVA, BARBORA	2
ZHENG, QINWEN	2



PREVIEW NOTES

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI

ZHUHAI, CHINA

OCTOBER 24- 29, 2023 | \$2,409,000



2023 WTA TOUR FINALS

WEEK OF	LEVEL	TOURNAMENT	SINGLES FINAL	DOUBLES FINAL
Jan 2	WTA 500	Adelaide 1	[2] A. Sabalenka d [Q] L. Noskova 63 76(4)	[6] A. Muhammad/T. Townsend d [1] S. Hunter/K. Siniakova 62 76(2)
	WTA 250	Auckland Open	[1] C. Gauff d [Q] R. Masarova 61 61	[2] M. Kato/A. Sutjiadi d L. Fernandez/B. Mattek-Sands 16 75 10-4
Jan 9	WTA 500	Adelaide 2	[8] B. Bencic d [5] D. Kasatkina 60 62	L. Stefani/T. Townsend d A. Pavlyuchenkova/E. Rybakina 75 76(3)
	WTA 250	Hobart	[Q] L. Davis d E. Cocciaretto 76(0) 62	[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	L. Zhu d L. Tsurenko 64 64	H. Chan/F. Wu d X. Wang/L. Zhu 61 76(6)
	WTA 250	Lyon	A. Parks d [1] C. Garcia 76(7) 75	C. Bucsa/B. Schoofs d O. Danilovic/A. Panova 76(5) 63
Feb 6	WTA 500	Abu Dhabi	[2] B. Bencic d [8] L. Samsonova 16 76(8) 64	L. Stefani/S. Zhang d S. Aoyama/H. Chan 36 62 10-8
	WTA 250	Linz	[8] A. Potapova d [6] P. Martić 63 61	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	B. Krejčíková d [1] I. Świątek 6-4 6-2	V. Kudermetova/L. Samsonova d H. Chan/L. Chan 6-4 6-7(4) 10-1
	WTA 250	Merida	C. Giorgi d [Q] R. Peterson 7-6(3) 1-6 6-2	C. McNally/D. Parry d X. Wang/F. Wu 6-0 7-5
Feb 27	WTA 250	Austin	[8] M. Kostyuk d V. Gracheva 6-3 7-5	[2] E. Routliffe/A. Sutjiadi d [1] N. Melichar-Martinez/E. Perez 6-4 3-6 10-8
	WTA 250	Monterrey	[3] D. Vekić d [1] C. Garcia 6-4 3-6 7-5	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	[2] O. Jabeur d. [4] B. Bencic 7-6(6) 6-4	D. Collins/D. Krawczyk d. [1] G. Olmos/E. Shibahara 0-6 6-4 14-12
	WTA 500	Bogotá	[2] T. Maria d. P. Stearns 6-3 2-6 6-4	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	E. Svitolina d. B. Blinkova 6-2 6-3	[4] Y. Xu / Z. Yang d. [2] D. Krawczyk / G. Olmos 6-3 6-2
	WTA 250	Rabat	L. Bronzetti d. J. Grabher 6-4 5-7 7-5	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
June 12	WTA 250	Nottingham	[WC] K. Boulter d. J. Burrage 6-3 6-3	U. Eikeri/I. Neel d. [WC] H. Dart/H. Watson 7-6(6) 5-7 10-8
	WTA 250	's-Hertogenbosch	[4] E. Alexandrova d. [1] V. Kudermetova 4-6 6-4 7-6(3)	S. Aoyama/E. Shibahara d. V. Hrunčáková/T. Mihalikova 6-3 6-3
June 19	WTA 500	Berlin	[7] P. Kvitová d. D. Vekić 6-2 7-6(6)	C. Garcia / L. Stefani d. K. Siniakova / M. Vondroušová 4-6 7-6(8) 10-4
	WTA 250	Birmingham	[2] J. Ostapenko d. [1] B. Krejčíková 7-6(8) 6-4	[2] M. Kostyuk / B. Krejčíková d. [3] S. Hunter / A. Parks 6-2 7-6(7)
June 26	WTA 500	Eastbourne	M. Keys d. [9] D. Kasatkina 6-2 7-6(13)	[3] D. Krawczyk / D. Schuurs d. [2] N. Melichar-Martinez 6-2 6-4
	WTA 250	Bad Homburg	K. Siniakova d. L. Bronzetti 6-2 7-6(5)	L. Marozava / I. Gamarra Martins d.E. Hozumi / M. Nivulescu 6-0 7-6(3)
July 3	GS	Wimbledon	M. Vondroušová d. O. Jabeur 6-4 6-4	B. Stycová/S. Hsieh d. [3] S. Hunter/E. Mertens 7-5 6-4
July 17	WTA 250	Budapest	[LL] M. Timofeeva d. K. Baždarić 6-3 3-6 6-0	K. Piter/F. Stollar d. J. Aney/A. Siskova 6-2 4-6 10-6
	WTA 250	Palermo	[2/WC] Q. Zheng d. [5] J. Paolini 4-6 6-1 1-6	[1] Y. Sizikova/K. Zimmermann/ A. Moratelli/C. Rosatello 6-2 6-4
July 24	WTA 250	Hamburg	[7] A. Rus d. [WC] N. Noha Akugue 6-0 7-6(3)	[1] A. Danilina/A. Panova d. [2] M. Kolodziejová/A. Kulikov 6-4 6-2
	WTA 250	Warsaw	[1] I. Świątek d. L. Siegemund 6-0 6-1	H. Waston/Y. Wickmayer d. W. Falkowska/K. Piter 6-4 6-4
	WTA 250	Lausanne	[2] E. Cocciaretto d. C. Burel 7-5 4-6 6-4	[3] A. Bondar/D. Parry d. A. Anshba/A. Detiuc 6-2 6-1
July 31	WTA 500	Washington DC	[3] C. Gauff d. [4] M. Sakkari 6-2 6-3	L. Siegemund/V. Zvonareva d. A. Guarachi/M. Niculescu 6-4 6-4
	WTA 250	Prague	[LL] N. Hibino d. [4] L. Noskova 6-4 6-1	N. Hibino/ O. Kalashnikova d. Q. Gleason/ E. Lechemia 6-7(7) 7-5 10-3
Aug 7	WTA 1000	Montreal	[4] J. Pegula d. [15] L. Samsonova 6-1 6-0	[7] S. Aoyama/E. Shibahara d. [5] D. Krawczyk/D. Schuurs 6-4 4-6 13-11
Aug 14	WTA 1000	Cincinnati	[7] C. Gauff d. K. Muchova 6-3 6-4	A. Parks/T. Townsend d. [3] N. Melichar-Martinez/E. Perez 6-7(1) 6-4 10-6
Aug 21	WTA 250	Cleveland	[LL] S. Sorribes Tormo d. [4] E. Alexandrova 3-6 6-4 6-4	M. Kato/A. Sutjiadi d. [2] N. Melichar-Martinez/E. Perez 6-4 6-7(4) 10-8
Aug 28	GS	US Open	[6] C. Gauff d. [2] A. Sabalenka 26 63 62	[16] G. Dabrowski/E. Routliffe V [12] V. Zvonareva/ L. Siegemund



PREVIEW NOTES

WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI

ZHUHAI, CHINA

OCTOBER 24- 29, 2023 | \$2,409,000



WEEK OF	LEVEL	TOURNAMENT	SINGLES FINAL	DOUBLES FINAL
Sep 11	WTA 500 WTA 250	San Diego Osaka	[WC] B.Krejčíková d. [WC] S. Kenin 6-2 2-6 6-4 A.Krueger d. [1] L. Zhu 6-3 7-6 (6)	[1] B.Krejčíková/K.Siniakova d. [WC] D.Collins/C.Vandeweghe 6-1 6-4 A.Friedsam/N.Kichenok d. K.Kalinskaya/Y.Putintseva 7-6(3) 6-3
Sep 18	WTA 250 WTA 1000	Guangzhou Guadalajara	Xiy. Wang d. [1] M. Linette 6-0 6-2 [2] M. Sakkari d. C. Dolehide 7-5 6-3	H. Guo/X. Jiang d. [2] d. [2] E. Hozumi / M. Ninomiya 6-3 7-6(4) [1] E. Mertens/S. Hunter d. [3] G. Dabrowski/E. Routliffe 3-6 6-2 10-4
Sep 25	WTA 500 WTA 250	Tokyo Ningbo	[8] V.Kudermetova d. [2] J.Pegula 7-5 6-1 [1] O.Jabeur d. D.Shnaider 6-2 6-1	U.Eikeri/I.Neel d. E.Hozumi/M.Ninomiya 3-6 7-5 10-5 [1] L.Siegemund/V.Zvonareva d. H.Guo/X.Jiang 4-6 6-3 10-5
Oct 2	WTA 1000	Beijing	[2] I.Swiątek d. L.Samsonova 6-2 6-2	M.Bouzkova/S.Sorribes Tormo d. H.Chan/G.Olmos 3-6 6-0 10-4
Oct 9	WTA 500 WTA 250 WTA 250	Zhengzhou Hong Kong Seoul	Q.Zheng d. [7] B.Krejčíková 2-6 6-2 6-4 L.Fernandez d. K.Siniakova -3-6 6-4 6-4 [1] J.Pegula d. Y.Yuan 6-2 6-3	[1] G.Dabrowski/E.Routliffe d. [3] S.Aoyama d. E.Shibahara 6-2 6-4 Q.Tang/C.Tsao d. [3] O.Kalashnikova/A.Sasnovich 7-5 1-6 11-9 [2] B.Mattek-Sands/M.Bouzkova d. L.Kumkhum/P.Plipuech 6-2 6-1
Oct 16	WTA 250 WTA 250 WTA 250	Monastir Nanchang Cluj-Napoca	[2] E.Mertens d. [1] J.Paolini 6-3 6-0 K.Siniakova d. [3] M.Bouzkova 1-6 7-6(5) 7-6(4) T.Korpatsch d. E.Ruse 6-3 6-4	S.Errani/J.Paolini d. M.Hontama/N.Stevanovic 2-6 7-6(4) 10-6 [2] L.Siegemund/V.Zvonareva d. [4] E.Hozumi/M.Ninomiya 6-4 6-2 J.Burrage/J.Teichmann d. L.Jeanjean/V.Strakhova 6-1 6-4