



## **WA SQUASH JUNIOR RANKING POLICY 2019**

### **1. QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A STATE JUNIOR RANKING IN WA**

1.1 For a junior to receive a Western Australian Junior ranking they must meet the following criteria:

- Have resided in Western Australia for at least 3 months. Excluding temporary absences.
- Be a current registered junior with a WA Squash affiliated club.

1.2 Rankings shall be issued for boys and girls in the following Age groups:

U11 Years age group

U13 Years age group

U15 Years age group

U17 Years age group

U19 Years age group

1.3 The age eligibility shall be determined by the age as at the date the rankings are issued.

1.4 In order to receive a junior ranking, WA Squash must have information regarding the junior's date of birth and which club they are playing for.

### **2. PROCEDURE FOR ESTABLISHING STATE JUNIOR RANKINGS**

2.1 Rankings will be based on Sporty HQ. However, performances/results in junior tournaments, (where junior versus junior) may be considered and allowances made for long term injury / illness situations.

### **3. DATES FOR STATE RANKINGS TO BE ISSUED**

3.1 State Rankings (maximum of top eight) will be posted on the WA Squash website as early as possible at the start of each month using the Sporty HQ rankings. The SWAN will publish the latest National Ranking lists

#### **4. RANKING OF PLAYERS IN AGE GROUPS**

4.1 A player shall only be ranked in their relevant age group. A top 20 list of all junior boys and girls under 19 years of age will be published at the same time based on Sporty HQ rankings.

#### **5. TOURNAMENT SEEDINGS**

5.1 When allocating seedings for tournaments the Tournament Director shall use the State Junior Rankings as a guide.

#### **6. APPEALS**

6.1 Any appeal against a ranking must be submitted in writing to the Junior Committee within 7 calendar days of the rankings being published.