

Evergreen's Doubles Ladder. Managed by Quick-Draws.

All doubles matches with four registered Evergreen members can be recorded on Quick-Draws.

All those playing in Evergreen's In-house Doubles programme are strongly encouraged to enter results.

Evergreen members are also encouraged to have all doubles matches that they play entered. Just a word of caution, be certain match results are not reported by multiple parties.

The Evergreen Doubles Ladder ranks the registered Evergreen members according to an initial ranking and thereafter by the match results submitted. Quick-Draws also manages the VDSL and the provincial doubles ranking. The provincial ladder, the club ladder, and the VSDL are independent yet connected services.

When a VDSL match is entered, that score will be included with the provincial rankings. The only restriction is at least one player from each team is already on the provincial rankings.

Also if it happens that all four players are on the Evergreen Doubles Ladder, a VDSL score will count towards the club ladder as well.

Tournament scores are fed into the provincial rankings and they too will influence the club ladder so long as all four players are registered on the Evergreen Doubles Ladder.

All friendlies and in-house doubles matches can be entered into Quick-Draws through the club doubles ladder system.

Do not expect that your provincial ranking and your Evergreen ranking will be the same. While some data is shared, the data for the two ladders is not identical.

See a separate document regarding how to log in to Quick-Draws and Evergreen's Doubles Ladder. **QD CLUB LADDER LOGIN DIRECTIONS.**

Essentially, Quick-Draws is set up so that if all four players are registered on the Evergreen Doubles Ladder the score will count regardless of the source of the data.

Quick-Draws will also incorporate any match into provincial rankings if there is at least one player from each team who is already on the provincial rankings.

There is no check for the duplication of match results. All tournament results and all VDSL results will be entered by the administrators or captains. Do not enter these separately.

When you enter the results of an Evergreen match, the other participants are sent a confirmation email. After a match it is helpful to decide who is going to enter the results or if there is doubt, check your emails to be certain that someone else in the foursome has not already entered the results.

The ranking system blends the ranking of the two players for a team. The results of matches are characterized as expected or unexpected. If the higher ranked team wins, that is expected. If the lower ranked team wins, that is unexpected. Changes to rankings are small if the differences in pre-match ranking are small. Changes are more dramatic for unexpected results as the differences in ranking are greater. If a much stronger team wins there may be no or little change in ranking.

All wins are not equal. 3-0 is a strong win compared to a 3-2 win. This is reflected in the gains and losses in ranking points.

The changes to the ranking of individual players are shared equally. If one player goes up by 5 ranking points, the partner goes up the same amount. The losing players would lose 5 points each.

And lastly, for those rare occasions of making an error, what to do. Once a match score has been entered and saved it is there forever. Well, not quite. If you happen to submit 3-1 win and your opponents remind you that it was 3-2, you will have to request that a club administrator make an adjustment. TIM MARTIN is the current doubles director and able to delete or edit scores. But alterations must be made promptly.