LTA County Cup Events 2019 - Key Changes & Information

Feedback from team captains, players, parents, counties and referees has been reviewed and the Competition Team are pleased to confirm the following 'key changes' to the 2019 series of LTA County Cup Events.

To continue to improve the format and experience of each Event we encourage Team Captains to complete the online survey or contact Julie Piper at <u>countycup@lta.org.uk</u> following each Event.

LTA County Cup Event	Change	Reason for Change(s)
14U County Cup Event	All rubbers (singles & doubles) to be the best of 2 tie-break sets and a MTB. This applies to both the Qualifying Event and Finals	Following feedback from officials, Team Captains and parents over concerns relating to length of day
Winter County Cup Event	Final Nominations Order of Merit to include ITF World Tennis Ranking of 1500 or better	To ensure consistency with Open Team Tennis and British Tour events following changes to the ITF professional game
Summer County Cup 18U County Cup Event 12U County Cup Event 10U County Cup Event 9U County Cup Event 15 – 15 Club County Cup Race	No changes to the organisation of these Events	N / A
Over 35s – Men's & Ladies Events	Introduction of these 2 Events to the schedule of County Cup Events administered by The LTA	One of the measures the LTA is undertaking to provide greater support to seniors' tennis