

Belfast and District Lawn Tennis League

Men's Premier League 2025 (trial)

League Format and Scoring

Team format

- Each team consists of four players

Timing

- Premier league will run September & October
- Matches will be played on Sunday morning – 10am start time

Matches

- Each tie will consist of two singles matches and one doubles match
- Before the tie begins, team must nominate their singles players and doubles pair
- A player cannot play singles and doubles in the same tie
- Singles players must play in order of merit

Scoring

- Each match is best of 3 tiebreak sets
- One point is awarded per match- all matches must be played

Playoff

- At the end of the league, the top two teams will play in the premier league final
- The playoff final will take place in the reverse venue of the league fixture
- To take part in the playoff, a player must have played at least one league tie
- If there is a two way tie- head to head will be used to decide

Eligibility

- Premier League is aimed at competition for performance players
- Any club may nominate a team, and the executive will accept teams based on their level
- Premier league year 1 will consist of 6-8 teams