

WPH R48 SENIORS PRO RANKING METHODOLOGY

The WPH R48 Seniors Pro Tour will award ranking points to the top 8 finishers whenever possible based on the draw size. The ranking points will be as follows:

1st will earn 10 points, 2nd will earn 8 points, 3rd will earn 6 points, 4th will earn 5 points, 5th will earn 4 points, 6th will earn 3 points, 7th will earn 2 points, and 8th will earn 1 point.

Playoffs for 3rd place may not be possible at some events. When playoffs are not held, 3rd/4th will split points and earn 5.5 points each.

Playoffs for 5th place may not be possible at some events. When playoffs are not held, 5th/6th/7th/8th will split points, and earn 2.5 points each.

Playoffs for 7th place may not be possible at some events. When playoffs are not held, 7th/8th will split points and earn 1.5 points each.

Playoffs for 9th place may be held at some events. When playoffs are held for 9th place, the winner will earn the fractional bonus points appropriate for the event number.

Additionally, for the purpose of breaking ties in the rankings, fractional bonus points will be awarded for each event. Each player earning ranking points in the first event will receive an additional 0.1 point, each player earning ranking points in the second event will receive an additional 0.2 points, and so on. These fractional points increase by 0.1 each event in order to break ties in favor of the player who participated in the more recent event.

The WPH Executive Director has the discretion to reduce the ranking points and number of places awarding ranking points, depending on variables such as draw size, type of event, etc.

While rare, ties may still occur with this methodology. In the event ties still occur, methods used to break these ties may include:

- 1) Head-to-head record
- 2) Higher finishes in common events
- 3) Record among common opponents
- 4) Point differential among common opponents

Ranking points rolled over from last season are cut in half, in order to provide a beginning ranking list for the season, while giving more weight to the events from the current season. When ranking points from an event become more than 12 months old, the event is dropped from the ranking calculation. The rankings will count all events for the previous 12 months towards player ranking points totals. Prior to the Player's Championship, only current season points count.

For the purpose of transparency, the WPH R48 Senior's Pro Ranking Methodology will be published on the WPH website. Players may contact WPH Rankings Director Nick Flores at nickflores21@outlook.com with questions and comments about the rankings. The WPH Rankings Director will be accountable to the WPH Executive Director Dave Vincent.