

# 2024 North Dakota Tennis Hall of Fame

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The North Dakota Tennis Association is seeking nominees from all tennis backgrounds for induction into the North Dakota Tennis Hall of Fame. Nominees may be either a North Dakota resident or someone who has participated extensively in tennis activities within North Dakota. Candidates may be players, administrators, teachers, coaches, member of the media, volunteers, supporters, contributors, professional players, umpires, active members of USTA or CTA's, wheelchair or disabled athletes, USTA employees, club owners, park & recreation employees, among others. Candidates are not required to be living or be past or present members of any tennis organization.

Choice Health and Fitness, Grand Forks, ND, is the permanent physical home of the Hall of Fame. The North Dakota Tennis Hall of Fame serves as a tribute to those who have made a lasting impact on tennis in North Dakota. Annual induction ceremonies will be held at a North Dakota tournament site that is convenient for the inductees.

#### Hall of Fame Induction Timeline

February 15:	NDTA makes available Hall of Fame nomination form
May 1:	Deadline for nominations to be submitted
May 15:	Hall of Fame Committee meets to discuss and
	select inductees
Summer or Fall:	Induction Ceremony—Site and date to be determined—

#### **Frequently Asked Questions:**

How do I nominate someone for the Hall of Fame? Any current ND Tennis Association individual or member organization is invited to submit nominations for the ND Tennis Hall of Fame. Multiple applications are encouraged from each NDTA member. To do so, fill out the attached nomination form and submit it to **Bob** Cordova at the address listed at the bottom of the form no later than May 1, 2024.

What qualifies someone to receive consideration for the Hall of Fame? These qualifications are only guidelines used by the committee.

- 1. Nominees may be male or female, living or deceased. Their achievements shall have brought lasting fame and honor to North Dakota.
- 2. Nominees may be natives of North Dakota or have participated extensively in tennis activities within ND.
- 3. Nominees may be individuals, couples, or entire families.
- 4. Nominees may be considered for their athletic accomplishments in tennis or for other non-competitive contributions to ND tennis either professional or amateur. They may include athletes, coaches, administrators, organizers, and contributors to tennis.
- 5. There is no limit to the number of nominations submitted.

**Who may nominate?** Nominees **must** be nominated by a North Dakota Tennis Association member organization or by an individual member of the NDTA. (To become a member go to <a href="https://playtennis.usta.com/northdakota/Membership/Join">https://playtennis.usta.com/northdakota/Membership/Join</a>).

Who chooses the Hall of Fame inductees? Inductees are selected by the NDTA Hall of Fame Committee. The committee is comprised of NDTA members who are selected by the NDTA Board of Directors. Please **do not** contact individual members of the committee to discuss potential inductees.

How many inductees are selected each year? A maximum of two individuals will be inducted. There is no minimum.

How will I know if my nominee is named to the Hall of Fame? The 2024 Hall of Fame induction class will be announced in late May or early June.

Where/when is the Hall of Fame ceremony? The ceremony will be held in 2024 at a time and a site that are intended to be convenient for inductees.

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## **ND** Tennis Hall of Fame Nomination Form

(Please print legibly—Attach other sheets if necessary)

Nominee	
Your name:	
Name of Your Organization (if applicable)	
Mailing address:	
Email:	
Relationship to nominee:	

### **Biographical Information of Nominee:**

How does the nominee meet the specific criteria listed for the Hall of Fame?

List the nominee's playing accomplishments. You may attach any supporting materials.

Describe the nominee's involvement in North Dakota tennis.

List nominee's achievements and accomplishments other than playing. List dates if possible.

List previous awards that the nominee may have received.

List additional comments that you feel may be pertinent. (Additional information may be attached to this form.)

### Please mail or email your nomination to:

North Dakota Tennis Hall of Fame Committee c/o Bob Cordova 1300 West Coulee Rd. Bismarck, North Dakota 58501 EMAIL: bobcordova@bis.midco.net