

Rankings 2016-2020 – Women

Rugby Fives Association, 9th March 2020

This second set of individual rankings for Singles and Doubles, prepared for the RFA by Chris Burrows, are based on performances over the past two years in the following ranking events:

The Durham Ladies Singles and Doubles in November; the National Girls' Open Singles and Doubles in December; the National Ladies Singles and Doubles in January; the Ladies Winchester Fives Singles and Doubles in March; the Mixed Rugby Fives Doubles in April; and the Mixed Winchester Doubles in May.

Movement up or down in these rankings reflects performances at the recent Ladies' National Championships held in Manchester in January of this year.

Women's Singles Ranking March 2020

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	L. Mathias	86.690
2	2	K. Briedenhann	80.440
3	3	M. Raynor	78.420
4	4	T. Mills	74.580
5	5	M. Nugent	73.061
6	6	S. Zhang	70.645
7	7	K. Sumner	69.772
8	8	I. Lee	65.458
9	9	A. Steel	60.712
10	11	P. Thornhill	60.328
11	10	D. Redmond	60.063
12	24	S. Lundie	51.955
13	13	C. Beattie	51.634
14	12	M. Kent	50.592
15	16	L. Barton	49.010
16	15	P. Bracken	48.860
17	19	A. Laakkonen	48.167
18	46	L. Ware	48.119
19	18	J. McIntyre	47.330
20	20	B. Crinnion	46.888
21	28	S. Tustin	45.223
22	22	L. Arie	44.745
23	21	H. Nugent	44.734
24	14	A. de Clermont	42.392
25	39	A. Calder	41.349
26	17	Z. Elliot	41.287
27	25	K. Innes	41.214
28	-	C. Henderson	40.901
29	23	F. Hamson	38.996
30	26	K. Bell	36.890
31	41	V. King Forbes	36.202
32	33	L. Hawkins	34.848
33	27	C. Petrie	33.424
34	32	B. Park	32.206
35	30	P. Atkinson	31.893
36	-	R. Tofts	31.124
37	37	L. Thwaites	29.609
38	-	A. Scott	27.936
39	40	A. Dipper	27.771
40	36	M. Molloy	25.726
41	35	E. O'Malley	25.700
42	56	F. Millar	25.551
43	37	A. Day	25.351
44	34	L. Simpson	24.010
45	31	N. Stokes	21.967
46	42	J. Hutchinson	19.226
47	44	C. Stanworth	19.503
48=	48	G. Edwards	18.420
48=	48	C. Elliot	18.420
48=	48	H. Brown	18.420
51	53	C. Millar	17.627
52	45	A. Hussain	17.924
53	54	J. Nyirenda	17.623
54	47	M. Harte	18.014
55	52	K. Hatchley	17.341
56	57	W. Carling	16.260
57	43	R. Elliot	19.849
58	48	D. Stark	18.420
59	55	M. Smith	17.518

Women's Doubles Rankings March 2020

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	L. Mathias	84.399
2	6	S. Zhang	69.978
3	2	T. Mills	67.108
4	3	K. Briedenhann	66.275
5	4	A. Steel	65.923
6	7	M. Nugent	65.580
7	5	M. Raynor	64.981
8	8	M. Kent	53.941
9	10	K. Sumner	52.913
10	9	H. Tunks	51.590
11	12	I. Lee	45.286
12	23	L. Barton	40.979
13	15	P. Thornhill	40.780
14	11	A. Laakkonen	40.058
15	-	S. Tustin	39.593
16	13	L. Simpson	33.902
17	26	K. Bell	33.805
18	16	F. Harrison	33.560
19	-	L. Hawkins	33.226
20	27	S. Lundie	32.578
21	14	D. Redmond	32.460
22	30	C. Beattie	29.949
23	37	F. Millar	28.015
24	21	E. O'Malley	26.890
25=	24	A. Dipper	26.556
25=	24	B. Park	26.556
27	39	A. Calder	25.942
28	20	B. Crinnion	25.465
29	22	E. van Es	24.536
30	17	W. Carling	23.495
31	18	K. Hird	22.438
32	19	A. Lumbard	22.079
33	38	V. King Forbes	22.053
34	29	H. Nugent	21.736
35	34	K. Innes	20.495
36	27	Z. Elliot	18.789
37	31	J. McIntyre	17.351
38	39	A. Hussain	16.259
39	41	K. Hatchley	15.306
40	42	C. Stanworth	14.965
40=	42	L. Thwaites	14.965
42	44	I. Blaksley	12.276
43=	-	W. Nicholls	10.564
43=	-	D. Wilson	10.564

Rugby Fives Association, 24th January 2020

The RFA is pleased to publish, for the first time, separate Women's Rankings for Singles and Doubles. These provisional rankings, which will be revised after the National Ladies Championships in Manchester on the weekend of January 25-26, are prepared by a director of the RFA, Chris Burrows, and are based on performances over the past two years in the following ranking events:

The Durham Ladies Singles and Doubles in November; the National Girls' Open Singles and Doubles in December; the National Ladies Singles and Doubles in January; the Ladies Winchester Fives Singles and Doubles in March; the Mixed Rugby Fives Doubles in April; and the Mixed Winchester Doubles in May.

Women's Singles Rankings January 2020

Current	Name	Points
1	L. Mathias	86.613
2	K. Briedenhann	86.440
3	M. Raynor	83.450
4	T. Mills	80.580
5	M. Nugent	71.247
6	S. Zhang	68.736
7	K. Sumner	68.729
8	I. Lee	66.138
9	A. Steel	65.742
10	D. Redmond	65.113
11	P. Thornhill	59.955
12	M. Kent	51.271
13	C. Beattie	51.037
14	A. de Clermont	50.392
15	P. Bracken	49.863
16	L. Barton	49.519
17	Z. Elliot	49.287
18	J. McIntyre	48.432
19	A. Laakkonen	48.000
20	B. Crinnion	46.879
21	H. Nugent	45.244
22	L. Arle	43.923
23	F. Harrison	43.517
24	S. Lundie	42.298
25	K. Innes	41.723
26	K. Bell	41.411
27	C. Petrie	34.427
28	S. Tustin	34.222
29	L. Tilley	33.991
30	P. Atkinson	32.896
31	N. Stokes	32.487
32	B. Park	32.253
33	L. Hawkins	32.177
34	L. Simpson	31.013
35	E. O'Malley	30.730
36	M. Molloy	30.247
37=	L. Thwaites	29.872
37=	A. Day	29.872
39	A. Calder	29.568
40	A. Dipper	28.264
41	V. King-Forbes	25.062
42	J. Hutchinson	19.961
43	R. Elliot	19.849
44	C. Stanworth	19.503
45	A. Hussain	19.403
46	L. Ware	19.046
47	M. Harte	18.984
48=	G. Edwards	18.420
48=	H. Brown	18.420
48=	D. Stark	18.420
48=	C. Elliot	18.420
52	K. Hatchley	18.310
53	C. Millar	17.627
54	J. Nyirenda	17.623
55	M. Smith	17.518
56	F. Millar	16.509
57	W. Carling	16.260

Women's Doubles Rankings January 2020

Current	Name	Points
1	L. Mathias	83.919
2	T. Mills	73.159
3	K. Briedenhann	72.324
4	A. Steel	70.356
5	M. Raynor	70.043
6	S. Zhang	69.013
7	M. Nugent	61.722
8	M. Kent	52.525
9	H. Tunks	52.107
10	K. Sumner	49.903
11	A. Laakkonen	46.065
12	I. Lee	45.803
13	L. Simpson	38.490
14	D. Redmond	37.506
15	P. Thornhill	36.638
16	F. Harrison	35.540
17	W. Carling	34.016
18	K. Hird	32.473
19	A. Lumbard	32.109
20	B. Crinnion	31.476
21	E. O'Malley	31.419
22	E. van Es	29.072
23	L. Barton	28.231
24=	A. Dipper	26.661
24=	B. Park	26.661
26	K. Bell	25.559
27=	Z. Elliot	24.790
27=	S. Lundie	24.790
29	H. Nugent	22.256
30	C. Beattie	22.148
31	J. McIntyre	21.878
32=	A. de Clermont	20.900
32=	M. Harte	20.900
34	K. Innes	20.644
35	L. Tilley	18.432
36	A. Zia	17.342
37	F. Millar	16.888
38	V. King-Forbes	16.738
39=	A. Hussain	16.264
39=	A. Calder	16.264
41	K. Hatchley	15.305
42=	C. Stanworth	14.477
42=	L. Thwaites	14.477
44	I. Blaksley	12.789

Rugby Fives Association, 29th July 2019

The fourth set of End-of-Season Women's Rankings, compiled by Chris Burrows, show significant gains made principally by younger players whose performances at the recent National Schoolgirls' Championships have elevated them, in the case of champion doubles pairing Lena Barton and Kirsten Bell from Marlborough College, into the top 20. Two schoolgirls occupy top 10 places following successes at school and adult level: National U18 Singles champion Katie Sumner at 9 and National U16 Singles champion Martha Nugent at 7.

National Ladies Singles and Doubles Champion Louise Mathias has consolidated her lead at number 1 over former champion Kathleen Briedenhann. Winchester Fives champion Maddy Raynor has climbed into the top 3, while Dominique Redmond's performances earn her the number 10 spot. Helena Tunks, who won the inaugural Rugby Fives Mixed Doubles, enters at 21, just below Cambridge Ladies Captain Lottie Simpson who introduced Helena to the game. The City of Durham Club now have Camille Beattie and Julie McIntyre at 23 and 25 respectively.

The next ranking tournament is the City of Durham Invitation event on the weekend of 2-3 November. It is Chris Burrows' intention to introduce separate rankings for Singles and Doubles at that point.

Women's End-of-season Rankings 2019

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	L. Mathias	92.996
2	2	K. Briedenhann	88.364
3	4	M. Raynor	86.615
4	3	T. Mills	85.391
5	5	A. Steel	84.443
6	6	S. Zhang	78.948
7	8	M. Nugent	75.663
8	7	I. Lee	73.979
9	9	K. Sumner	69.790
10	14	D. Redmond	65.929
11	10	P. Thornhill	62.163
12	12	A. Laakkonen	56.324
13	13	A. de Clermont	55.866
14	22	M. Kent	50.471
15	16	B. Crinnion	49.671
16	17	Z. Elliot	48.789
17	18	F. Harrison	47.271
18	-	L. Barten	38.358
19	-	K. Bell	38.173
20	24	L. Simpson	37.223
21	-	H. Tunks	34.785
22	25	H. Nugent	32.161
23	26	C. Beattie	28.996
24	27	K. Hird	28.549
25	29	J. McIntyre	27.450
26	46	E. O'Malley	27.424
27	28	M. Harte	26.984
28	30	A. Lombard	24.037
29	32	M. Smith	23.266
30	33	S. Lundie	22.329
31	31	W. Carling	22.140
32	-	A. Day	21.892
33	-	M. Molloy	20.883
34	35	A. Calder	20.374
35	36	N. Stokes	18.982
36	-	E. van Es	15.227
37	37	V. King-Forbes	13.391
38	-	J. Nyirenda	12.440
39	41	F. Millar	7.783
40	42	J. Hutchinson	7.711
41	43	A. Hussain	6.699
42	44	R. Elliot	5.876
43	45	K. Hatchley	5.373
44	48	D. Stark	2.746
45	49	M. Cole	2.064

Rugby Fives Association, 28th February 2019

There are some big changes in the Women's National Rankings, prepared by Chris Burrows after the recent Ladies' National Championships at the Manchester Y Club.

First, we have a new Number 1: Louise Mathias. Louise currently holds 5 National titles in Rugby and Winchester Fives at open and U23 level, to add to a previous clean sweep of all schoolgirl titles.

Secondly, we now have 2 schoolgirls in the top ten: Martha Nugent (8th), who can boast titles at U13, U14 and U23 level plus a victory this season in the President's Cup; and Katie Sumner (9th), the current U16 Singles champion.

Thirdly, we have 6 new entrants into the rankings as a result of their participation in the national championships at Manchester, among them two players from the new City of Durham Club — Camille Beattie at 26 and Julie McIntyre at 29. Five of the new six are schoolgirls, as is Zara Elliot from Edinburgh Academy, who jumps from 35 to 17.

Fourthly, we see a significant rise from 32 to 14 for Dominique Redmond, better known for her prowess in Eton Fives, who made a welcome return to competitive Rugby Fives in Manchester.

The end-of-season rankings will be published in June after the upcoming Ladies' Winchester Fives Singles and Doubles Championships, the Schoolgirls; Championships in April and the Winchester Fives Mixed Doubles in May.

Women's Rankings February 2019

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	5	L. Mathias	91.754
2	1	K. Briedenhann	88.364
3	2	T. Mills	85.391
4	3	M. Reynor	85.073
5	4	A. Steel	84.235
6	6	S. Zhang	77.103
7	7	I. Lee	69.296
8	14	M. Nugent	61.976
9	12	K. Sumner	60.911
10	11	P. Thornhill	57.224
11	8	A. Law	56.924
12	13	A. Laakkonen	56.327
13	10	A. de Clermont	55.864
14	32	D. Redmond	54.543
15	9	L. Harbottle	53.280
16	17	B. Cinnion	49.871
17	35	Z. Elliot	48.789
18	16	F. Harrison	41.922
19	18	I. Boddy	39.179
20	19	C. Henderson	36.514
21	20	G. Shepherd	35.732
22	33	M. Kent	35.881
23	21	P. Bell	35.190
24	22	L. Simpson	31.224
25	23	H. Nugent	29.702
26	-	C. Beattie	28.996
27	25	K. Hird	28.549
28	26	M. Harte	26.984
29	-	J. McIntyre	25.728
30	27	A. Lombard	24.94
31	28	W. Carling	24.87
32	29	M. Smith	23.27
33	46	S. Lundie	22.33
34	30	L. Theaker	21.96
35	-	A. Calder	20.37
36	31	N. Stokes	18.98
37	39	V. King-Forbes	15.82
38	34	C. Bugel	13.87
39	36	L. Oan	9.52
40	37	L. Calman-Grimsdale	8.89
41	-	F. Millar	7.78
42	-	J. Hutchinson	7.71
43	-	A. Hussain	6.70
44	38	R. Elliot	5.88
45	47	K. Hatchley	5.37
46	41	E. O'Malley	3.45
47	40	A. Lewin	3.43
48	42	D. Stark	2.75
49	43	M. Cole	2.06
50	44	S. Smith	1.96
51	45	O. O'Dwyer	1.12
52	48	I. Wood	0.40

Rugby Fives Association, 21st January 2019

Courtesy of Chris Burrows, we announce the latest rankings for Women's Rugby Fives ahead of the Ladies' National Rugby Fives Championships at the Manchester Y Club this coming weekend.

The rankings follow the Ladies' U23 Championships in November, in which Louise Mathias successfully defended her Singles title and won the Doubles with Shinan Zhang.

There are five new entrants after that tournament: coming in at 14 Martha Nugent of Alleyn's School; at 33 Maddie Kent from Bedford Modern School; at 35 Zara Elliot and at 46 Sophie Lundie (both from Edinburgh Academy); and at 47 Kitty Hatchley of Oxford University.

Women's Rankings January 2019

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	K. Briedenhann	88.574
2	2	T. Mills	85.514
3	3	M. Raynor	85.484
4	4	A. Steel	84.790
5	5	L. Mathias	84.521
6	6	S. Zhang	68.379
7	7	I. Lee	62.541
8	8	A. Law	56.924
9	10	L. Harbottle	53.280
10	11	A. de Clermont	52.746
11	9	P. Thornhill	52.283
12	12	K. Sumner	51.526
13	13	A. Laakkonen	45.833
14	-	M. Nugent	45.664
15	14	L. Robinson	43.282
16	15	F. Harrison	41.922
17	16	B. Crinnion	41.689
18	17	I. Boddy	39.179
19	18	C. Henderson	36.514
20	19	G. Shepherd	35.732
21	20	P. Bell	35.190
22	25	L. Simpson	31.224
23	21	H. Nugent	29.702
24	22	D. Skene	29.592
25	23	K. Hird	28.553
26	24	M. Harte	27.517
27	26	A. Lombard	24.937
28	27	W. Carling	24.872
29	28	M. Smith	23.264
30	29	L. Theaker	21.956
31	30	N. Stokes	18.984
32	31	D. Redmond	16.334
33	-	M. Kent	14.370
34	32	C. Bugel	13.866
35	-	Z. Elliot	11.255
36	33	L. Dan	9.524
37	34	L. Calman-Grimsdale	8.692
38	35	R. Elliot	5.876
39	36	V. King-Forbes	5.860
40	37	A. Lewin	3.429
41	38	E. O'Malley	3.142
42	39	D. Stark	2.743
43	40	M. Cole	2.064
44	41	S. Smith	1.960
45	42	O. O'Dwyer	1.117
46	-	S. Lundie	0.658
47	-	K. Hatchley	0.434
48	43	I. Wood	0.404

Rugby Fives Association, 22nd June 2018

The RFA is pleased to publish the end-of-season rankings for Women's Rugby Fives 2018. To be eligible players must have entered at least one of the appropriate tournaments during the past two seasons.

National Singles champion Kathleen Briedenhann tops the list as she did at the end of 2016 when these rankings were introduced. The next four players — Tessa Mills, Maddy Raynor, Alexandra Steel and U23 champion Louise Mathias — have now pulled clear of the rest of the field.

Newcomers are National U16 champion Katie Sumner, now eligible by age, and Dominique Redmond after their performances in the recent Winchester Fives Mixed Doubles at Bradfield College.

The next rankings, kindly compiled by Chris Burrows, will be published before the Ladies' National Championships in January 2019.

Women's End-of-season Rankings 2018

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	K. Briedenhann	88.57
2	2	T. Mills	85.51
3	3	M. Raynor	85.48
4	4	A. Steel	84.79
5	5	L. Mathias	82.75
6	6	S. Zhang	63.47
7	7	I. Lee	62.54
8	8	A. Law	56.92
9	9	P. Thornhill	53.95
10	10	L. Harbottle	53.28
11	11	A. de Clermont	52.75
12	-	K. Sumner	46.93
13	12	A. Laakkonen	45.83
14	13	L. Robinson	43.28
15	15	F. Harrison	41.92
16	16	B. Crinnion	40.66
17	17	I. Boddy	39.18
18	19	C. Henderson	36.51
19	20	G. Shepherd	35.73
20	21	P. Bell	35.19
21	22	H. Nugent	29.70
22	23	D. Skene	29.59
23	25	K. Hird	28.55
24	24	M. Harte	27.52
25	28	L. Simpson	25.08
26	27	A. Lombard	24.94
27	29	W. Carling	24.87
28	30	M. Smith	23.26
29	31	L. Theaker	21.96
30	33	N. Stokes	18.98
31	-	D. Redmond	16.33
32	34	C. Bugel	13.87
33	37	L. Dan	9.52
34	38	L. Calman-Grimsdale	8.69
35	42	R. Elliot	5.88
36	43	V. King-Forbes	5.86
37	47	A. Lewin	3.43
38	48	E. O'Malley	3.14
39	49	D. Stark	2.74
40	50	M. Cole	2.06
41	51	S. Smith	1.96
42	52	O. O'Dwyer	1.12
43	53	I. Wood	0.40

Rugby Fives Association, 4th May 2018

The latest rankings, compiled by Chris Burrows, show a gradual narrowing of the gaps at the top, with Maddy Raynor and Alexandra Steel closing in on the long-standing leaders Kathleen Briedenhann and Tessa Mills as a result of their success in the Ladies National Doubles in January and in the recent Ladies Winchester Fives championships. Schools champion Ibbey Lee gains a place in the top 10 and her partner Anna Laakkonen gains two. The biggest jump is made by Rugby's Anastasia de Clermont, who pushed Ibbey hard in the final of the Schoolgirls' championships last month. There are new entries: Freya Harrison and Arte Denton from Rugby School enter the top 20, while Meryl Smith of Edinburgh Academy makes spot number 30. Three other schoolgirls enter for the first time.

End-of-season rankings will follow the Mixed Winchester Fives championships to be played at Bradfield College on Sunday May 6th.

Women's Rankings May 2018

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	K. Briedenhann	88.57
2	2	T. Mills	85.51
3	3	M. Raynor	84.98
4	4	A. Steel	83.76
5	5	L. Mathias	78.48
6	6	S. Zhang	63.47
7	8	I. Lee	62.54
8	7	A. Law	56.92
9	9	P. Thornhill	53.95
10	10	L. Harbottle	53.28
11	19	A. de Clermont	52.75
12	14	A. Laakkonen	45.83
13	11	L. Robinson	43.28
14	12	M. Wong	42.90
15	-	F. Harrison	41.92
16	13	B. Crinnion	40.66
17	15	I. Boddy	39.18
18	-	A. Denton	37.99
19	16	C. Henderson	36.51
20	17	G. Shepherd	35.73
21	18	P. Bell	35.19
22	20	H. Nugent	29.70
23	21	D. Skene	29.59
24	30	M. Harte	27.52
25	22	K. Hird	26.40
26	23	C. Bedford	26.33
27	24	A. Lombard	25.77
28	26	L. Simpson	25.08
29	53	W. Carling	24.87
30	-	M. Smith	23.26
31	27	L. Theaker	21.96
32	28	K. Martin	21.17
33	-	N. Stokes	18.98
34	33	C. Bugel	13.87
35	34	L. Browne	13.26
36	35	S. Haco	10.41
37	36	L. Dan	9.52
38	37	L. Calman-Grimsdale	8.69
39	39	M. Ivanova	7.32
40	41	T. Gordon	6.90
41	43	F. Porter	6.58
42	-	R. Elliot	5.88
43	44	V. King-Forbes	5.86
44	46	N. Ross	4.36
45	47	R. Patel	3.95
46	49	M. Ward	3.84
47	50	A. Lewin	3.43
48	52	E. O'Malley	3.14
49	-	D. Stark	2.74
50	54	M. Cole	2.06
51	55	S. Smith	1.96
52	56	O. O'Dwyer	1.12
53	57	I. Wood	0.40

Rugby Fives Association, 20th February 2018

The RFA is delighted to publish the latest rankings for Women's Fives following the Ladies National Singles and Doubles championships 2018.

They see Kathleen Briedenhann regain the top spot from Tessa Mills after her victory in the National Ladies' Singles. Similarly Louise Mathias leapfrogs Shinan Zhang after her success in the championships. Following her victory in the Singles Plate competition Cassi Henderson rises from 21st to 16th. Her opponent in that final, Lottie Simpson, also rises by 5 places to 26th. There is just one new entry: Emily O'Malley, who enters at 52nd.

The next rankings will appear after the Ladies Winchester Fives Championships at Bradfield College on March 4th.

Women's Rankings February 2018

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	2	K. Briedenhann	88.57
2	1	T. Mills	85.51
3	3	M. Raynor	82.65
4	4	A. Steel	81.14
5	6	L. Mathias	76.93
6	5	S. Zhang	63.47
7	7	A. Law	56.92
8	8	I. Lee	54.61
9	9	P. Thornhill	53.95
10	10	L. Harbottle	53.28
11	11	L. Robinson	43.28
12	12	M. Wong	42.90
13	13	B. Crinnion	40.66
14	14	A. Laakkonen	40.08
15	15	I. Boddy	39.18
16	21	C. Henderson	36.51
17	16	G. Shepherd	35.73
18	17	P. Bell	35.19
19	18	A. de Clermont	33.85
20	19	H. Nugent	29.70
21	20	D. Skene	29.59
22	22	K. Hird	26.40
23	23	C. Bedford	26.33
24	24	A. Lombard	25.77
25	25	E. Shilina	25.23
26	31	L. Simpson	25.08
27	26	L. Theaker	21.96
28	27	K. Martin	21.17
29	28	M. Richards	19.60
30	29	M. Harte	18.62
31	30	M. Whitehead	16.49
32	32	K. Broad	14.65
33	33	C. Bugel	13.87
34	34	L. Browne	13.26
35	35	S. Haco	10.41
36	36	L. Dan	9.52
37	37	L. Calman-Grimsdale	8.69
38	38	D. Treloar	8.18
39	39	M. Ivanova	7.32
40	40	J. Jones	7.30
41	41	T. Gordon	6.90
42	42	A. Flood	6.71
43	43	F. Porter	6.58
44	44	V. King-Forbes	5.86
45	45	J. Morton	4.56
46	46	N. Ross	4.36
47	47	R. Patel	3.95
48	48	D. Black	3.91
49	49	M. Ward	3.84
50	50	A. Lewin	3.43
51	51	K. Rolls	3.37
52	-	E. O'Malley	3.14
53	52	W. Carling	2.46
54	53	M. Cole	2.06
55	54	S. Smith	1.96
56	55	O. O'Dwyer	1.12
57	56	I. Wood	0.40

Rugby Fives Association, 20th June 2017

The RFA is delighted to publish the end-of-season rankings for Women's Fives.

They show the continued see-sawing at the top between our closely matched champions Tessa Mills and Kathleen Briedenhann, and also the close rivalry between Maddy Raynor and Alexandra Steel just below them.

After Kathleen had garnered critical points with her victory in the Ladies' Winchester Fives Singles, back came Tessa with a points-winning victory in the Winchester Fives Mixed Doubles, while Alexandra's silver-medal performance in that event was just not quite enough to make up ground she had lost to Maddy earlier in the year. Meanwhile, after the National Girls' Championships, the new U18 champion Ibbey Lee from Marlborough College climbs into the top 10 and with her comes Phoebe Thornhill of Christ's Hospital, her opponent in the singles final. Other schoolgirls make steady progress after their performances in their championships: Anna Laakkonen (Marlborough – 14), Anastasia de Clermont (Rugby – 18), Holly Nugent (Alleyn's – 19), and most particularly Maisie Harte (Rugby – up to 29 from 54), while ex-Cambridge Eton Fives player Karen Hird (22) benefits from a strong performance at the Winchester Mixed Doubles.

The next ranking event will be the Ladies' National Singles and Doubles Championships at St. Paul's in January.

Women's End-of-season Rankings 2017

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	2	T. Mills	88.33
2	1	K. Briedenhann	88.20
3	3	M. Raynor	78.20
4	4	A. Steel	77.77
5	5	S. Zhang	63.47
6	6	L. Mathias	59.54
7	7	A. Law	56.92
8	28	I. Lee	54.61
9	11	P. Thornhill	53.95
10	8	L. Harbottle	53.28
11	9	L. Robinson	43.28
12	10	M. Wong	42.90
13	13	B. Cinnamon	40.66
14	16	A. Laakkonen	40.08
15	12	I. Boddy	39.18
16	14	G. Shepherd	35.73
17	15	P. Bell	35.19
18	21	A. de Clermont	33.85
19	27	H. Nugent	29.70
20	17	D. Skene	29.59
21	18	C. Henderson	26.56
22	25	K. Hird	26.40
23	19	C. Bedford	26.33
24	20	A. Lombard	25.77
25	22	E. Shiina	25.23
26	23	L. Theaker	21.96
27	24	K. Martin	21.17
28	25	M. Richards	19.60
29	54	M. Harte	18.62
30	29	M. Whitehead	16.49
31	30	L. Simpson	15.87
32	31	K. Broad	14.65
33	33	C. Bugel	13.87
34	32	L. Browne	13.28
35	34	S. Haco	10.41
36	36	L. Dan	9.52
37	42	L. Calman-Grimsdale	8.69
38	35	D. Treloar	8.18
39	37	M. Ivanova	7.32
40	38	J. Jones	7.30
41	39	T. Gordon	6.90
42	40	A. Flood	6.71
43	41	F. Porter	6.58
44	49	V. King-Forbes	5.86
45	43	J. Morton	4.56
46	44	N. Ross	4.36
47	45	R. Patel	3.95
48	46	D. Black	3.91
49	47	M. Ward	3.84
50	48	A. Lewin	3.43
51	50	K. Rolis	3.37
52	51	W. Carling	2.46
53	52	M. Cole	2.06
54	53	S. Smith	1.96
55	-	O. O'Dwyer	1.12
56	-	I. Wood	0.40

Rugby Fives Association, 21st April 2017

The latest Women's Rankings take into account results in the Ladies Winchester Fives Championship held in March at Malvern College. Kathleen Briedenhann beat Tessa Mills in the final to win the Singles title at that event, a result which enables Kathleen to return to the top of the rankings. Kathleen and Tessa won the Doubles, a success which consolidates their position as the top two players in the women's game.

There are a number of new names in the rankings as a result of their participation in the Malvern competition: Anna Laakkonen, Ibbey Lee, Cosi Bugel, Amy Lewin and Stella Smith, all of them schoolgirls, and one player from Sedbergh School, Imogen Boddy, has moved up three places to number 12.

End-of-season rankings will be published in June after the next two events: the National Schoolgirls' Championships at Marlborough in April and the Mixed Winchester Doubles at Bradfield in May.

Women's Rankings April 2017

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	2	K. Briedenhann	89.22
2	1	T. Mills	85.75
3	3	M. Raynor	77.85
4	4	A. Steel	73.89
5	6	S. Zhang	63.47
6	5	L. Mathias	56.59
7	8	A. Law	54.98
8	7	L. Harbottle	48.61
9	9	L. Robinson	43.28
10	10	M. Wong	42.90
11	11	P. Thornhill	40.64
12	15	I. Boddy	39.18
13	12	B. Cinnion	36.06
14	13	G. Shepherd	35.73
15	16	P. Bell	35.19
16	-	A. Laakkonen	30.73
17	14	D. Skene	29.59
18	17	C. Henderson	26.56
19	18	C. Bedford	26.33
20	19	A. Lombard	25.77
21	20	A. de Clermont	25.66
22	21	E. Shilina	25.23
23	22	L. Theaker	21.88
24	23	K. Martin	21.17
25=	24	M. Richards	19.60
25=	24	K. Hird	19.60
27	26	H. Nugent	17.26
28	-	I. Lee	17.23
29	27	M. Whitehead	16.49
30	28	L. Simpson	15.87
31	29	K. Broad	14.65
32	30	L. Browne	13.26
33	-	C. Bugel	13.09
34	31	S. Haco	10.41
35	32	D. Treloar	8.18
36	33	L. Dan	7.42
37	34	M. Ivanova	7.32
38	35	J. Jones	7.30
39	36	T. Gordon	6.90
40	37	A. Flood	6.71
41	38	F. Porter	6.58
42	39	L. Calman-Grimsdale	6.25
43	40	J. Morton	4.56
44	41	N. Ross	4.36
45	42	R. Patel	3.95
46	43	D. Black	3.91
47	44	M. Ward	3.84
48	-	A. Lewin	3.43
49	45	V. King-Forbes	3.42
50	46	K. Rolls	3.37
51	47	W. Carling	2.46
52	48	M. Cole	2.06
53	-	S. Smith	1.96
54	49	M. Harte	1.91

Rugby Fives Association, 17th February 2017

The RFA is delighted to publish the fourth set of rankings since the inception of Women's Rankings in March 2016.

They show new Ladies National Singles Champion Tessa Mills having overtaken her regular Doubles partner Kathleen Briedenhann at the top after her success at St. Paul's in January. Maddy Raynor moves up to third after her silver medal in Singles and Doubles at the Ladies National Championships. Cassi Henderson's rise from 26th to 17th reflects the growing strength of Rugby Fives at Cambridge University. Four new players from Rugby School and Staff enter the rankings for the first time.

The next set of Women's Rankings will be published in April 2017 after the Ladies National Winchester Fives Championships in Singles and Doubles which will be played at Malvern College.

Women's Rankings February 2017

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	2	T. Mills	84.61
2	1	K. Briedenhann	84.51
3	4	M. Raynor	75.11
4	3	A. Steel	73.89
5	6	L. Mathias	56.59
6	5	S. Zhang	54.25
7	9	L. Harbottle	48.61
8	7	A. Law	43.98
9	12	L. Robinson	43.28
10	8	M. Wong	42.90
11	10	P. Thornhill	40.64
12	11	B. Crinnion	36.06
13	13	G. Shepherd	35.73
14	-	D. Skene	29.59
15	14	I. Boddy	29.14
16	15	P. Bell	28.11
17	26	C. Henderson	26.56
18	16	C. Bedford	26.33
19	17	A. Lombard	25.77
20	-	A. de Clermont	25.66
21	18	E. Shilina	25.23
22	-	L. Theaker	21.88
23	19	K. Martin	21.17
24=	20	M. Richards	19.60
24=	20	K. Hird	19.60
26	22	H. Nugent	17.26
27	23	M. Whitehead	16.49
28	27	L. Simpson	15.87
29	24	K. Broad	14.65
30	25	L. Browne	13.26
31	28	S. Haco	10.41
32	29	D. Treloar	8.18
33	30	L. Dan	7.42
34	31	M. Ivanova	7.32
35	32	J. Jones	7.30
36	33	T. Gordon	6.90
37	34	A. Flood	6.71
38	35	F. Porter	6.58
39	36	L. Calman-Grimsdale	6.25
40	37	J. Morton	4.56
41	38	N. Ross	4.36
42	39	R. Patel	3.95
43	40	D. Black	3.91
44	41	M. Ward	3.84
45	42	V. King-Forbes	3.42
46	43	K. Rolls	3.37
47	44	W. Carling	2.46
48	45	M. Cole	2.06
49	-	M. Harte	1.91

Rugby Fives Association, 17th May 2016

The RFA is delighted to publish end-of-season rankings for Women's Fives for the first time. These are the third set of rankings to be published since the inception of Women's Rankings in March of this year.

They show Ladies National Champion Kathleen Briedenhann, who recently won the Winchester Fives Mixed Doubles with Ben Beltrami, having consolidated her lead over second-placed Tessa Mills, who did not enter. Alexandra Steel moves up to third after her silver medal in the Mixed event. Georgina Shepherd, Ashley Lumbard and Lottie Simpson enter the rankings at 13, 17 and 27 respectively, while Karen Hird rises 21 places, all four of them after playing in the Mixed Doubles.

Two of the top ten, Alexandra Steel and Louise Mathias, also figure in the National end-of-season doubles rankings.

The next set of Women's Rankings will be published in February 2017 after the Ladies National Championships in Singles and Doubles.

Women's End-of-season Rankings 2016

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	K. Briedenhann	84.59
2	2	T. Mills	77.15
3	4	A. Steel	68.16
4	3	M. Raynor	63.18
5	6	S. Zhang	54.25
6	5	L. Mathias	53.78
7	7	A. Law	43.98
8	8	M. Wong	42.90
9	9	L. Harbottle	41.37
10	10	P. Thornhill	40.64
11	11	B. Crinnion	36.06
12	12	L. Tilley	33.97
13	-	G. Shepherd	31.83
14	13	I. Boddy	29.14
15	14	P. Bell	28.11
16	15	C. Bedford	26.33
17	-	A. Lumbard	25.77
18	16	E. Shilina	25.23
19	17	K. Martin	21.17
20=	18	M. Richards	19.60
20=	41	K. Hird	19.60
22	19	H. Nugent	17.26
23	20	M. Whitehead	16.49
24	21	K. Broad	14.65
25	22	L. Browne	13.26
26	23	C. Henderson	13.15
27	-	L. Simpson	11.35
28	23	S. Haco	10.41
29	25	D. Treloar	8.18
30	26	I. Dan	7.42
31	27	M. Ivanova	7.32
32	28	J. Jones	7.30
33	29	T. Gordon	6.90
34	30	A. Flood	6.71
35	31	F. Porter	6.58
36	32	L. Calman-Grimsdale	6.25
37	33	J. Morton	4.56
38	34	N. Ross	4.36
39	35	R. Patel	3.95
40	36	D. Black	3.91
41	37	M. Ward	3.84
42	38	V. King-Forbes	3.42
43	39	K. Rolls	3.37
44	40	W. Carling	2.46
45	41	M. Cole	2.06

Rugby Fives Association, 4th May 2016

The RFA is delighted to publish the second set of Women's rankings below.

The rankings have been prepared by a director of the RFA, Chris Burrows, using a specially designed programme. They are up-dated after each of the 7 ranking events which we have identified:

The Ladies National Singles and Doubles in January; the Ladies Winchester Fives Singles and Doubles in March; the National Girls' U18 Singles and Doubles in April; and the Mixed Winchester Doubles in May.

These rankings follow the National Girls' U18 Singles and Doubles 2016. A total of 14 new players have entered the list. The next rankings will be published after the Mixed Winchester Fives Doubles championships at Bradfield on May 8th.

Women's Rankings May 2016

Current	Previous	Name	Points
1	1	K. Briedenhann	79.85
2	2	T. Mills	77.15
3	3	M. Raynor	59.83
4	4	A. Steel	56.11
5	5	L. Mathias	46.51
6	6	S. Zhang	46.44
7	-	A. Law	43.98
8	-	M. Wong	42.90
9	9	L. Harbottle	41.37
10	7	P. Thornhill	40.64
11	8	B. Crinnion	36.06
12	10	L. Tilley	33.97
13	14	I. Boddy	29.14
14	11	P. Bell	28.11
15	-	C. Bedford	26.33
16	12	E. Shilina	25.23
17	20	K. Martin	21.17
18	13	M. Richards	19.60
19	-	H. Nugent	17.26
20	15	M. Whitehead	16.49
21	16	K. Broad	14.65
22	-	L. Browne	13.26
23=	17	S. Hajnal-Corob	13.15
23=	17	C. Henderson	13.15
25	19	D. Treloar	8.18
26	-	I. Dan	7.42
27	-	M. Ivanova	7.32
28	20	J. Jones	7.30
29	-	T. Gordon	6.90
30	22	A. Flood	6.71
31	-	F. Porter	6.58
32	-	L. Calman-Grimsdale	6.25
33	23	J. Morton	4.56
34	-	N. Ross	4.36
35	-	R. Patel	3.95
36	24	D. Black	3.91
37	-	M. Ward	3.84
38	-	V. King-Forbes	3.42
39	25	K. Rolls	3.37
40	26	W. Carling	2.46
41=	27	M. Cole	2.06
41=	27	K. Hird	2.06

Rugby Fives Association, 27th March 2016

The RFA is delighted to launch Women's Rankings for Rugby Fives.

The rankings have been prepared by a director of the RFA, Chris Burrows, using a specially designed programme, and will be up-dated after each of the 7 ranking events which we have identified:

The Ladies National Singles and Doubles in January; the Ladies Winchester Fives Singles and Doubles in March; the National Girls' U18 Singles and Doubles in April; and the Mixed Winchester Doubles in May.

The initial set of rankings published here reflects participation and performance in the above events since January 1st 2015. We expect the number of players listed to increase over the next years as female players enter more tournaments.

This season has been a record-breaking one for Women's Fives, with larger-than-hitherto numbers playing in the above events and in the Lady's Cup in October. We have seen female players taking part in the South West Open at Blundell's and in the National Winchester Fives Doubles championships at Malvern. We have also seen the first IV-a-side Ladies Varsity Match between Oxford and Cambridge Universities.

Women's Rankings March 2016

Position	Name	Points
1	K. Briedenhann	79.85
2	T. Mills	77.15
3	M. Raynor	59.83
4	A. Steel	56.11
5	L. Mathias	46.51
6	S. Zhang	46.44
7	P. Thornhill	45.91
8	B. Crinnion	44.10
9	L. Harbottle	37.68
10	L. Tilley	34.82
11	P. Bell	31.56
12	E. Shilina	25.23
13	M. Richards	19.60
14	I. Boddy	18.66
15	M. Whitehead	16.49
16	K. Broad	14.65
17=	S. Hajnal-Corob	13.15
17=	C. Henderson	13.15
19	D. Treloar	8.18
20=	K. Martin	7.30
20=	J. Jones	7.30
22	A. Flood	6.71
23	J. Morton	4.56
24	D. Black	3.91
25	K. Rolls	3.37
26	W. Carling	2.46
27=	M. Cole	2.06
27=	K. Hird	2.06