

SATURDAY, JULY 27
MORNING EDITION

PARIS 2024 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

JULY 25
SOC France vs. **Colombia** Pool Izquierdo, Perez FRA, 3-2

JULY 26
ALL Opening Ceremony Ceremonies All

JULY 27
MT Singles vs. Navone (ARG) First Rd. Borges 2nd on Court 10

JULY 28
SOC New Zealand vs. **Colombia** Pool Izquierdo, Perez 10 a.m.

JULY 29
MT Singles vs. Musetti/Monfils Second Rd. Borges TBD
MT Doubles vs. Germany/Croatia Second Rd. Borges TBD

JULY 30
MT Doubles vs. TBD Quarterfinals Borges TBD

JULY 31
MT Doubles vs. TBD Semifinals Borges TBD
MT Singles vs. TBD Third Rd. Borges TBD
SOC **Colombia** vs. Canada Pool Izquierdo, Perez 2 p.m.

AUGUST 1
MT Singles vs. TBD Quarterfinals Borges TBD

AUGUST 2
MT Singles vs. TBD Semifinals Borges TBD
MT Doubles vs. TBD Bronze Medal Borges 5 a.m.

AUGUST 3
MT Singles vs. TBD Bronze Medal Borges TBD
SOC **Colombia** vs. TBD Quarterfinals Izquierdo, Perez TBD
MT Doubles vs. TBD Gold Medal Borges 10 a.m.

AUGUST 4
MT Singles vs. TBD Gold Medal Borges 7:30 a.m.

AUGUST 6
SOC **Colombia** vs. TBD Semifinals Izquierdo, Perez TBD
TF Men's Javelin Qualifying Group A Peters 3:20 a.m.
TF Men's Javelin Qualifying Group B Thompson 4:50 a.m.

AUGUST 7
TF Men's 800m First Round Anderson, Arop 4:55 a.m.

AUGUST 8
TF Men's 800m (if nec.) Repechage Anderson, Arop 5 a.m.
TF Men's Javelin Final Peters, Thompson 1:25 p.m.

AUGUST 9
TF Men's 4x400m Relay First Round Eppie 4:05 a.m.
TF Men's 800m Semifinal Anderson, Arop 4:30 a.m.
SOC **Colombia** vs. TBD Bronze Medal Izquierdo, Perez 8 a.m.

AUGUST 10
SOC **Colombia** vs. TBD Gold Medal Izquierdo, Perez 10 a.m.
TF Men's 800m Final Anderson, Arop 12:25 p.m.
TF Men's 4x400m Relay Final Eppie 2:12 p.m.

TODAY'S EVENTS



Nuno Borges (POR) vs. Mariano Navone (ARG)



2nd on Court 10
Roland-Garros (Paris, France)

NOTEWORTHY

TENNIS TIMETABLES

- Each day's order of play will be released the evening before. Schedules are determined by court with the first day's match on each court starting at 5 a.m. CT/12 p.m. local time.
- Rain has delayed the first day's action on most courts. Nuno Borges (POR) will play second on Court 10 following the conclusion of a women's singles match that will now begin at 7:30 a.m. CT.
- Borges' first round doubles match will be played on Sunday, July 28, but the day's order of play has not been released.

SEC TENNIS STARS

- Nuno Borges (POR) is one of 13 NCAA men's tennis players and five from the SEC to reach the 2024 Paris Games.
- The other four SEC players are Texas A&M's Austin Krajicek (USA), South Carolina's Francisco Cerundolo (ARG), Auburn's Tim Puetz (GER) and LSU's Nea Skupski (GBR). Borges did not face them collegiately.
- Borges and Krajicek both played for national championships while in college. Borges reached the singles national championship in 2019, and Krajicek won the doubles title in 2011.
- Borges has met Krajicek as a pro in doubles and Cerundolo in singles.
- Borges and his Olympic partner Francisco Cabral (POR) defeated Krajicek and Ivan Dodig (SRB) in the opening round of the 2022 Estoril Open 6-4, 3-6, 10-5 on their way to the doubles championship that year.
- Cerundolo won their singles meeting, 5-7, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4 at Wimbledon in 2023.
- Cerundolo met Borges' partner in doubles, Cabral, at the 2022 Watergen Gijon Open. Cabral and Jamie Murray (GBR) defeated Cerundolo and Pedro Cachin (ARG), 6-1, 6-2.

COMFORTABLE ON CLAY

- Nuno Borges (POR) and his Olympic doubles partner Francisco Cabral (POR) together boast a 94-35 record in doubles since Borges graduated in May 2019, including a 61-16 (.792) mark together on clay courts.
- The Olympic tournaments will be played on Roland-Garros' clay courts that host the French Open.
- The pair posted a 25-match winning streak on clay courts together from December 2021 to April 2022, claiming four Challenger Tour championships along the way including two in Borges' hometown of Maia, Porto.
- Borges has played singles at the French Open three times, posting a 4-3 record.
- Since turning pro, Borges' singles record on clay courts is 95-46 (.674).

NEXT UP...



MEN'S TENNIS SINGLES

USURPING THE CLAY KING

- Nuno Borges (POR) won his first ATP 250 Tour Championship in his final event before the Paris Olympic Games, winning the Nordea Open.
- Borges faced the "King of Clay" Rafael Nadal in the final and became just the fourth man to defeat Nadal in an ATP clay court final, joining Olympic medalists Roger Federer (SUI), Novak Djokovic (SRB) and Andy Murray (GBR).
- With the win, Borges climbed to his highest career ATP ranking, sitting at No. 42 entering the Olympic Games.
- He is the second Portuguese man to win an ATP title along with Olympian João Sousa (POR) and one of just four to reach an ATP final.
- Borges has now won 17 professional tournaments, including two in 2024. He defended his Arizona Tennis Classic title in Phoenix in March.

MONUMENTAL MEDALS - TENNIS

- No Portuguese athlete, man or woman, has ever won an Olympic medal in tennis. In fact, the country has never had an athlete advance past the second round.
- Gastão Elias and João Sousa hold the national record for matches won at a single Games. In Rio in 2016, they both won a singles match and they won their first doubles match together against Slovakia. Those stand as the only matches Portuguese athletes have ever won.
- Nuno Borges (POR) and his partner Francisco Cabral (POR) will be the seventh men's doubles team that Portugal has sent to the Olympics.
- In men's doubles, Portugal has faced Slovakia (1-0), The Bahamas (0-2), Canada (0-1), France (0-1), Japan (0-1) and Spain (0-1).
- Borges will be the sixth Portuguese man have competed in Olympic singles. Pedro Sousa, (2021), António Casanovas (1924) and Rodrigo de Castro Pereira (1924) were all eliminated in their first match. Elias and Sousa both won one match in 2016.

OLYMPIC TEAM TIDBITS

- Nuno Borges' (POR) mother, Paolo, was a Portuguese national champion in volleyball.
- Nuno Borges (POR) was diagnosed as partially deaf in his left ear.
- Mississippi State is the only school in the nation to send an Olympian to Paris from Portugal.

TENNIS - MEN'S DOUBLES FIRST ROUND

MATCHUP: Borges/Cabral (POR) vs. Tsitsipas/Tsitsipas (GRE) | Order of play announced Sat.

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