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## **PLAYER LIST ANNOUNCED FOR THE DRUMMONDVILLE NATIONAL BANK CHALLENGER**

***List includes four Top 200 players, notably Australia's Jordan Thompson (No. 74) and Canada's Liam Draxl (No. 121)***

**[MONTREAL, QC] October 29, 2025** – On Wednesday, Tennis Canada released the official player list for the Drummondville National Bank Challenger (Category 75), which takes place from November 10 to 16 at Tennis intérieur René-Verrier. The tournament has showcased international-level tennis for the past decade, and this year's edition is no exception. Past champions include former World No. 21 Daniel Evans (Great Britain), the current No. 41 Zizou Bergs (Belgium) and Canadians Denis Shapovalov and Vasek Pospisil.

"We're excited to wrap up the Canadian professional tennis season in Drummondville, a tournament that remains an important stepping stone for Canadian players," said Francis Milloy, Tournament Director of the Drummondville National Bank Challenger. "Year after year, it attracts international players and rising talent, while giving local fans the chance to watch top-level matches in person. This year is no different, and we're looking forward to seeing how the top seeds, including Jordan Thompson and Liam Draxl, make their mark on our courts."

Australia's Jordan Thompson, ranked No. 74 after rising as high as No. 26 in 2024, is the top seed. The 31-year-old will be competing in Canada for the first time this season. He got as far as the round of 16 at Wimbledon last summer and is still chasing his first title of 2025.

Liam Draxl, 23, is seeded second. Currently ranked No. 121, he has climbed from No. 235 at this time last year. The Ontario native has posted strong results in Canada. Last summer, he won the Winnipeg National Bank Challenger and competed in the final of the Granby National Bank Championships. Draxl has appeared in seven finals this season.

Also in the mix are No. 109 Brandon Holt of the United States and No. 198 James Trotter of Japan, who both achieved career-high rankings this year (No. 99 and No. 170, respectively). Two 26-year-old Quebecers, Juan Carlos Aguilar (No. 438) and Dan Martin (No. 460), also join the main draw. Martin was a semi-finalist at an ATP Challenger event this year, while both he and Aguilar each won an ITF M15 title in 2025.

Nicolas Arseneault (Richmond Hill, ON) and Justin Boulais (Oakville, ON) will battle in the qualifying draw, while Benjamin Thomas George (Richmond Hill, ON), Keegan Rice (Regina, SK), Mikael Arseneault (Richmond Hill, ON), Joshua Peck (Vancouver, BC), Nicaise Muamba (Laval, QC) and Duncan Chan (Markham, ON) are listed as alternates, eligible to join the qualifying draw in case of a withdrawal or with a wild-card.



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