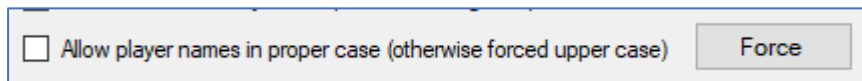


Proper Case Player Names

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You are able to set your preference for names to be in all upper case or proper case. This means that names can appear as Peter Busch or PETER BUSCH.

The new option is under Setup | General Options.

A screenshot of a user interface element. It consists of a rectangular box with a thin blue border. Inside the box, on the left, is an unchecked checkbox followed by the text "Allow player names in proper case (otherwise forced upper case)". To the right of this text is a button with the word "Force" written on it.

To activate this option, tick the box and press Apply. Pressing the Force button will then (after confirmation) update all player names to proper case, and update names in sessions within the last 90 days.

All players names imported into a new session, reports, results, web exports and functions such as Live Results Display will display the names as they appear in the player list.

Names entered for unknown players using the Add new player name function will also be formatted in the same fashion.

Notes:

This change can be reversed by un-ticking the option, pressing Apply, and then pressing the Force button.

In this update, this change only applies to Sessions. It does not apply to Events which will still show upper case names.

Names which have capitals within them (eg. McLean) will need to be manually changed as the proper case function only capitalises the first letter. This is primarily because there are personal preferences for names such as Maclachlan and MacMorran as to whether there is a capital letter in the surname.

Hyphenated surnames (Banks-Smith) and two word surnames (Van Voren) should be correctly formatted. Personal preferences may need to be applied to three word surnames (Van den Byllardt) as these will all be capitalised.