

Rothsay Classic Birmingham - Friday

HARRIET DART (GBR) v ANASTASIA POTAPOVA (UKR)
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Head-to-head: Potapov leads 1-0

Previous meeting: 2022 Cincinnati. Q1 (Hard) - Potapova won 62 64

Harriet Dart biography [HERE](#)

Career highlights:

- Dart's biggest rankings win of 2023 came against today's opponent Anhelina Kalinina in last week's Rothsay Open Nottingham. She backed up by that win by beating Kalinina again in Birmingham on Wednesday.
- This is her seventh appearance at the Rothsay Classic Birmingham and her first appearance in the quarter-finals.
- Her best run on the grass courts at Wimbledon came in 2019, when she reached the third round.
- Dart won the ITF World Tennis Tour W25 Nottingham event last month, claiming her first ITF-level title since 2018.
- She was selected to represent Great Britain in their Billie Jean King Cup qualifying tie against France at the Coventry Building Society Arena, as Britain's highest ranked player.
- Dart made her main draw debut at the Australian Open, where she suffered a first round defeat against world No.34 Jil Teichmann.
- She represented Great Britain at the inaugural United Cup in January - helping Great Britain to finish top of Group D with wins against Australia and Spain, before losing out to a dominant United States team in the Sydney City Final.

Anastasia Potapova biography [HERE](#)

Career highlights:

- Reached the third round at 2023 Roland Garros, equalling her best run at a Grand Slam at the 2021 Australian Open.
- She has won two WTA Tour titles, the first coming in Istanbul, Turkey in April 2022 and the second in Linz, Austria in February of this year.
- Potapova won her only singles title on the ITF World Tennis Tour in a W60 event in Rome in June 2018.
- This is her second appearance in the main draw at Birmingham and her first quarter-final in this event.
- She achieved a career high WTA ranking of No.21 earlier this month.
- Her best rankings win of 2023 came against world No.5 Caroline Garcia on clay in Stuttgart in April.