

June 5, 2020

Dear Mixed and Tri-Level Captains,

Hope this finds you and yours well! This has certainly been a challenging time, and am looking forward to seeing you back on the courts. Registration for 2020 Mixed Doubles and Tri-Level is open on Tennis Link, so you may go ahead and begin forming your teams (*see note below re: credits prior to creating your team if you are planning to use a spring credit for Mixed or Tri-Level*). Please read all of this information below, as most of it is new. Please also forward this email to your teammates.

MIXED DOUBLES:

1. If you have a credit from spring you'd like to use and are the team captain, I'll need to create the Mixed and/or Tri-Level team for you and send you your team number. Please email me with your request to be moved from the "credit team" along with ALL of the following necessary information 1) team name 2) home facility name 3) age bracket 4) team NTRP level 5) weekday or weekend. Note: I can do this if you did not play a match for that spring team (if you played one match, credit is pending at state level and will need to be applied to Combo or another future league).
2. If you have teammates who have a credit from spring and wish to apply it to their Mixed or Tri-Level registration, please have them email me with their request to be moved from the "credit team" along with ALL of the following necessary information 1) player name as listed in Tennis Link 2) age bracket 3) team NTRP level 4) team captain 5) weekday or weekend. Again to note, I can do this if player did not play a match for that spring team (if they played one match, credit is pending at state level and will need to be applied to Combo or another future league).
3. Please check with your home facility to confirm your team can host home matches there **prior to registering your team**. I'll be in contact with all of the directors regarding blackout dates. All captains must declare a home facility when registering their team.
4. **Deadline for a legal roster is June 21st** (I will let you know *ASAP* if that date gets extended). Last day to add a player to your legal roster is July 27th.
5. Season slated to begin mid to late July (avoiding conflicts for spring leagues still in play at that time) and run through August 16th. (I will let you know *ASAP* if the season end date gets extended). It will be a shorter season, so likely to have more than one match per week.
6. **New for 2020** - Unlimited roster size and only one match required to qualify for state (default doesn't count towards requirement).
7. Updated rules & regulations will be coming to you soon!

TRI-LEVEL:

1. Please refer to bullet points 1, 2 and 3 above, as they also apply to Tri-Level.
2. Deadline for a legal roster is July 6th, 2020 (I will let you know ASAP if that date gets extended). Last day to add a player is August 16th.
3. Season slated to begin last week of July and run through August 24th, with playoffs evenings of August 25th-28th. Again, will let you know *ASAP* if league dates get extended.
4. **New for 2020** - Maximum roster for Tri-Level is 18 players.
5. Updated rules & regulations will be coming to you soon!

COMBO & ESL

Combo will follow Tri-Level & Mixed, with ESL following Combo. Tentatively, Combo will begin early September and go through mid to late October, with ESL immediately following. Jackie Mills and I will be updating you with any new information just as soon as we have it!

Thanks for all you do, and please let me know how I may help you. Thanks in advance for your patience, as we navigate through some uncharted waters together. I've included several links below that should be helpful to you.

- [USTA TN COVID Updates](#)
- [USTA Captains Corner](#)
- [2020 Friend at Court, including *The Code*](#)

Thanks again, and see everyone soon!

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