

2017 Southern Combo Doubles Tennis League
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To: Team Captains and Tennis Facilities
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Team Registration:

- **Opens Sunday, May 1st on TennisLink (TL) at <http://national.usta.com>**
- **Team registration closes on Friday, June 9th. (TL will close on this day as well and reopen for add-on players by June 25th!)**
- **Players may be added to roster until August 10th.**
- **Fee - \$17 per player – 18+, 40+ (includes \$3 TL Fee)**
- **\$15 per player – 55+, 65+ (includes \$3 TL fee)**
- **Matches will begin July 5th.**
- **THE TEAM COURT FEE IS \$120 for 18+ & 40+ TEAMS AND \$100 FOR 55+, 65+ TEAMS. Fee is paid directly to facility.**

NTRP cap for Combined Levels: (Men & Women)

- 2.5 – Max NTRP rating = 2.5**
- 5.5 – Max NTRP rating = 3.0**
- 6.5 – Max NTRP rating = 3.5**
- 7.5 – Max NTRP rating = 4.0**
- 8.5 – Max NTRP rating = 5.0**
- 9.5 – Max NTRP rating = 5.5**
- 10.5 – Max NTRP rating = 6.0**

18+ Combo Doubles will have day & night league!!! See play days below!

4 STEPS CAPTAIN MUST COMPLETE BY JUNE 9, 2017 MIDNIGHT TO REGISTER TEAM:

- 1. Captain must first obtain home court approval directly from your facility PRIOR to registering a team on TennisLink. The league will verify which teams are on the facility approval list. Teams without approval will be re-assigned or deleted. NO REFUNDS.**

2. Captain must submit the team captain contact form to CTL league to provide email and phone contact numbers for captain's directory via CTL website www.columbiatennisleague.org.

3. **Team codes – see instructions below.**

Captain must register the team on TennisLink and type your team code and home court code as part of your team name. TennisLink does not prompt you to enter these codes – you must type codes into your team name!

REGISTERING TEAM NAME ON TENNISLINK

You must name your team as follows when registering on TennisLink:

Team Code for all Combo league teams in all age divisions 18 & Over, 40 & Over, 55 & Over, 65 & Over:

“C” followed by 18, 40, 55, or 65, followed by Captain's first and last name initials. For example Captain Nan Smith of the “Rackets” playing in the 18 & Over age division with Parklane home courts would enter: C18NS – Rackets - PK.

DEADLINE FOR REGISTERING A LEGAL TEAM ROSTER WITH A MINIMUM OF 6 PLAYERS IS June 9, 2017. It is the responsibility of the team captain to insure a legal roster of 6 players is registered on TennisLink by Friday, June 9, 2017! Team rosters that are not complete with 6 players cannot be placed on a schedule, and **WILL BE DELETED with no refund. NO EXTENSIONS! NO EXCEPTIONS!** Once a player pays registration fees on TennisLink, there are **NO REFUNDS.** USTA memberships should be current through October 2017. Once the schedules are posted for the current season, additional players may register to join a team roster on TennisLink until August 10, 2017.

PLEASE NOTE:

- You **CAN** play at the same level in two different **local** leagues. (CTL & LATA)
- All rain make-ups and rescheduled matches **MUST** be played within **2 weeks** of scheduled date. (No regular scheduled matches on Sunday, so courts should be available on that day!)
- Some matches may be scheduled on Friday evening or Sunday afternoon if necessary!
- Some teams may have more than one match per week, if necessary.
 1. Minimum of 6 players (3 legal doubles partnerships) on TL roster by June 9th, or the team will **NOT** be placed on a schedule. **No Refunds for teams that do not make up.**
 2. TennisLink will not accept a player without a USTA membership current through the state championship (October 2017). Membership can be paid on TL.
 3. Schedules will **NOT** be mailed, but will be published on TL no later than Tuesday, June 25th.

4. Scorecards may be printed from TL for matches or picked up from Nan Smith.
- If you have questions about how to obtain courts, please check the web site under Combo Doubles tab!

The league offers team competition in the following:

- 18 + men and women at the 2.5 level and combined levels of 5.5, 6.5, 7.5, 8.5, 9.5 and 10.5
- 40 + men and women with combined levels of 5.5, 6.5, 7.5 and 8.5.
- 55 & Over for Adult men and women with combined levels of 6.5, 7.5 and 8.5.
- 65 & Over for Adult men and women with combined levels of 6.5, 7.5 and 8.5.
(65+ is a state league ONLY. No sectional championships.)

PLAY DAYS: Day League for 18+ ONLY – matches begin at 9:30 AM.

Night matches begin at 6:30 PM.

18+

Monday: 8.5 Women

Night: 6.5 Men, 10.5 Men & Women

Tuesday: Day: 6.5 Women

Night: 6.5 Women, 8.5 Men, 8.5 Women

Wednesday: Day: 5.5 Women

Night: 5.5 Men & Women, 7.5 Men, 9.5 Women

Thursday: Day: 7.5 Women

Night: 2.5 Men & Women, 7.5 Women, 9.5 Men

Friday: Day: 2.5 Women

40+

Monday: 7.5 Men, 7.5 Women, 5.5 Women

Tuesday: 5.5 Men, 6.5 Men

Wednesday: 8.5 Women

Thursday: 6.5 Women, 8.5 Men

55+

Wednesday: 6:30 PM – 6.5 Men & Women

Saturday: 9:00 AM - 7.5 Men & Women, 8.5 Men & Women

65+

Tuesday 9:30 AM: 6.5 Men & Women

Wednesday 9:30 AM: 7.5 Men & Women

Thursday 9:30 AM: 8.5 Men & Women