Entry & Selection Process USTA National Junior Level 3 Open

Entry Procedures

When registering for a National Junior Level 3, players may choose ONE of the following options, but NOT both:

- <u>OPTION 1</u>: Enter any ONE (1) division of TWO (2) concurrent USTA National Level 3 Tournaments (this may be a different division in each tournament); OR
- OPTION 2: Enter TWO (2) divisions of ONE (1) USTA National Level 3 Tournament

If you register for 2 locations (option 1), do not forget to prioritize your locations. You can do so during the registration process or you can manage your registration in your USTA Profile. For players who register for 2 locations but do not prioritize, the system will auto-prioritize as follows: When the player registers for their first tournament it will be set as priority #1. When the player registers for their second tournament by default it will be priority #2 unless they change the order.

When selection is done, players are considered for the oldest age division first, based on the most recently published National Standing List of the division of the tournament. If you are selected into the older age division entered, you will not be selected into the younger age division. If you are not selected into the older age division, you will only be considered for selection into the younger division, and you will only be eligible to be an alternate in the younger division.

Additionally, the computerized selection system attempts to fill the draws based on the first choice of sites of all players. It is VERY IMPORTANT to only prioritize sites you are willing to play. If a player is selected into their #1 priority, they will NOT be considered for the #2 priority. **Players will not be selected into two locations.**

Those players who have not been selected after all USTA National Level 3 Tournament draws have been filled shall be placed on the alternate lists at all tournaments for which the players have indicated a preference. The players are ordered on the alternate lists based on the player's standing on the National Selection List used to select players.

Special Considerations for Dominant Duo Team Events

Due to the team nature of Dominant Duo events, players who register for a Dominant Duo with a Level 3 tournament segment will have this tournament defaulted to their first preference. The system will not ask you to order this event. You may do one of the following as it relates to Dominant Duo L3s:

- Apply for two (2) Dominant Duo L3s
- Apply for one (1) Dominant Duo L3 and one (1) other L3
- Apply for one (1) Dominant Duo L3

