



ADULT TOURNAMENTS

HOW TO QUALIFY FOR THE NTRP NATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

FROM THE MISSOURI VALLEY SECTION

In 2018 NTRP National Tournaments, a new opportunity for tournament players to advance to a national event , will take place. The National NTRP Tournament Divisions are 3.5, 4.0, 4.5 Men & Women Singles & Doubles and 50's 3.5, 4.0, 4.5 Men & Women, Singles and Doubles.

One player in each division, from each section will be invited to attend!!!! This is a tournament, not a league championship.

So how do you qualify, if you are a tournament player in the Missouri Valley Section?

For the 2018 National NTRP Tournaments (Only) Selection Criteria:

- **The player that holds the # 1 position on the 2017 Final Ranking lists for the Missouri Valley Section, for each division will be invited to attend as the Section Representative for the NTRP 3.5, 4.0, 4.5 Men's & Women Singles and Doubles.**
- **If no players are listed on the 2017 Final Ranking Lists for Eligible Players, the # 1 Ranked player on the 2016 Final Ranking List will be invited to attend the NTRP National Tournament.**
- **For the NTRP National 50's 3.5, 4.0, 4.5, we will invite the players who hold the highest ranked position on the 50's 2017 Final Ranking List are NTRP Rated 3.5, 4.0 or 4.5.**
- **If no players on the 50's list for 2017 Final Rankings are NTRP rated in a division in the NTRP National, then the highest ranked players appearing in the NTRP 2017 Final Rankings Lists who meet the age requirements will be invited.**
- **On October 6-8, the USTAMV NTRP Outdoor Championship will be held. TD ID # 400030517, players may compete in this championship for section ranking points. Registration for this event closes on October 3rd, 2017.**
- **Review the requirements for players wishing to be ranked in the Missouri Valley Section on the document "How to be Ranked in Missouri Valley" on usta.com.**
- **Go to tennislink.usta.com/tournaments to check to see if you are currently ranked. Use the Players Ranking Search. If you do not play tournaments, you will not be ranked.**

For the 2019 and Beyond National NTRP Tournaments Selection Criteria:

- **The player that holds the # 1 position on the 2018 Final Ranking lists for the Missouri Valley Section, for each division will be invited to attend as the Section Representative for the NTRP 3.5, 4.0, 4.5 Men's & Women Singles and Doubles.**
- **If no players appear on the Eligible list for any of these NTRP divisions we will invite the # 1 player from the ineligible list for the year prior.**
- **For the NTRP National 50's 3.5, 4.0, 4.5, we will invite the players who hold the highest ranked position on the 50's 2017 Final Ranking List are NTRP Rated 3.5, 4.0 or 4.5.**
- **If no players on the 50's list for 2017 Final Rankings are NTRP rated in a division in the NTRP National, then the highest ranked players appearing in the NTRP 2017 Final Rankings Lists who meet the age requirements will be invited.**
- **All Section Level NTRP Tournaments in 2018 will offer Regular NTRP Divisions (18 & Above) and NTRP 50's Divisions.**