



USTA/Southeast Michigan

Congratulations, your team qualified for the 2021 Southeast Michigan USTA
40 & Over Mixed Doubles Championships!

Please distribute this information to your participating players.

2021 USTA League Tennis Championships

DATES: Saturday & Sunday, July 10-11, 2021
See times on schedule at end of packet

LOCATION: Franklin Athletic Club
29350 Northwestern Highway
Southfield MI 48034

PLEASE ALLOW EXTRA TIME FOR TRAFFIC, WEATHER & CONSTRUCTION!

FORMAT: Matches consist of 3 courts of doubles
Tournament will be a single elimination draw for all levels.

ELIGIBILITY: Only players who have played at least two matches in your Local Flight are eligible to play. One of the two matches can be a received default.

MATCH FEES: Match entry fees are due with your line-up no later than 15-minutes prior to your scheduled match time. Match fees are to be paid for the entire team. Each match is \$108 per team (\$18 per player).

Credit Cards, Cash or Checks may be used to pay your entry fees.
(Bank returned checks incur an additional \$50 fee.)



USTA/Southeast Michigan 2021 USTA League Tennis Championship Rules

1. USTA Rules, USTA League Tennis Regulations and “The Code” will be observed. Roving officials will be present to oversee all aspects of play.
2. Team Captains must report to the Tournament Desk **at least** 15 minutes prior to your scheduled match start time. At this time, you will receive your lineup card and local flight awards (8).
3. Team Line-ups for your match must be submitted to the Tournament Desk 15 minutes prior to the scheduled match time.
4. **All team members on the line-up card must be on site and ready to play when the line-up card is presented to the Tournament Desk.** Matches may be put on early if courts are available.
5. All teams are expected to field all positions for their matches. Should a rare instance occur, and a team is short players, the following will apply:
 - A. Team Captain notifies SEM (in writing) 24 hours before playoffs begin that they will be short
 - Team pays the same entry fee
 - Team must default #3 doubles
 - Opposing teams will be notified of the defaulted position
 - B. Team Captain informs SEM less than 24 hours before playoffs begin (or on site) that they will be short
 - Team pays the same entry fee
 - Team must default #3 doubles
 - Opposing team will be notified of the defaulted position
 - If the opposing team has turned in a line-up, the captain with the completed line-up will be allowed to make adjustments (opposing team will not have access to the defaulting team’s line-up)
 - C. Teams that have a position default (line-up turned in and courts being called to play before default is apparent [i.e. no-show, lateness, etc.])
 - Team pays the same entry fee
 - The position of the “missing” player is the defaulted court
 - After playoffs, the SE Michigan League Committee will review each occurrence to determine any penalties, including suspension of Captain, Player or Team.
6. Any team that defaults an individual court or an entire team match will not be reimbursed any match fees.
7. Any team committing a total team default at the Championships is subject to further sanctions for the 2021 & 2022 seasons. Additionally, all players on the roster who were eligible to participate at the Championships will be subject to sanctions by the Southeast Michigan USTA League Tennis Committee.

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8. If the lineup is not received 15 minutes prior to the scheduled time, a tournament official will be called to determine a team penalty as follows:
 - A. 1 to 5 minutes late – loss of toss and one game for ALL courts
 - B. 6 to 10 minutes late – loss of toss and two games for ALL courts
 - C. 11 to 15 minutes late – loss of toss and three games for ALL courts
 - D. 16 minutes or later – default of entire team match
9. When completing your line-up, order of strength is encouraged, but not required.
10. The use of cell phones and/or electronic devices during matches is strictly prohibited. Players in violation will be subject to penalties and/or disqualification.
11. All players must bring a photo ID; random identification checks may be made.
12. Unfortunately, scheduling accommodations or additional rest periods will not be granted to players who choose to participate on multiple teams at the Championships.
13. All courts must be cleared no later than 30 minutes before the first scheduled matches. Players may not warm up on any open court once tournament matches begin play.
14. When matches are assigned to their court, a warm-up of 10 minutes is permitted. This time includes serves.
15. Matches will be the best of 3 sets, regular scoring, with a match tiebreak played in lieu of a third set. The match tiebreak is first to 10 by 2; the set tiebreak is first to 7 by 2. A two-minute set break is available after both the first and second set but **NO COACHING** is allowed. Coman Tiebreak Procedures will be used for both match and set tiebreakers.
16. After the match, all players must return to the desk to report scores and return the used balls. Captains must sign the completed scorecard within 15 minutes of the completion of the final individual match of the team match. Failure to sign the scorecard within the 15-minute time frame indicates agreement to the scores as reported to the Tournament Desk.
17. The winning team will advance to the Michigan State Championships in September 2021. Western Michigan is the host district for this year's States.

On behalf of our Tournament Staff, have fun and good luck!

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ADJUSTED 6/29/2021

SATURDAY **FRANKLIN**
JULY 10 **ATHLETIC CLUB**

10:00	70 MIX EASTSIDE-ZAMPARDO LIBERTY-KIM	70 MIX FRANKLIN-YU LIBERTY-MARLEY
	MATCH # 2799464	MATCH # 2799465
11:30	80 MIX EASTSIDE-KEAN CHIPPEWA-PALMER	80 MIX WESSEN-TANGUAY BEVERLY HILLS- GESSNER
	MATCH # 2799467	MATCH # 2799468
1:00	60 MIX TROY-LI WESSEN-SAVOI	60 MIX FRANKLIN-CONWAY TROY-HICKS
	MATCH # 2806551	MATCH # 2806552

SUNDAY **FRANKLIN**
JULY 11 **ATHLETIC CLUB**

11:00	60 MIX FINAL	70 MIX FINAL	80 MIX FINAL
	MATCH # 2806553	MATCH # 2799466	MATCH # 2799469