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# USTA Junior Team Tennis League – Summer 2022 South Bay/Peninsula Area

## 2022 Summer League Information

**2022 Summer Season Dates:** June 19<sup>th</sup> - August 7<sup>th</sup>

- 7 week season (no matches on July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend)
- No playoffs or Section Championships – local league play only

### **Registration Deadlines:**

- **Team Captain/Team Registration Deadline:** June 1st
- **Player Registration Deadline:** June 8th
  - Player registration fee is \$29 per player
  - Teams must have the minimum number of players required for that age division/level rostered in Tennislink by June 8th
  - Additional players can sign up anytime during the season prior to their first match

### **Player Eligibility:**

- Must be a current USTA member through the end of the season (free for all 18 and under juniors)
- Must be age eligible through the end of the season (8/7/22)
- 10 and under players are required to play at their USTA profile level (Orange, Green, or Yellow ball)

## **Age Divisions and Level**

### **Orange and Green Ball Divisions**

- (10U) Orange Ball Division (4 players minimum of any gender)
- (12U) Green Ball Division (4 players minimum of any gender)

### **Yellow Ball Divisions (Gender Neutral)**

- (12U) Yellow Ball (4 players minimum of any gender)
- (14U) Yellow Ball (4 players minimum of any gender)

## **Match Days and Start Times**

### **Orange and Green Division**

- 10 and Under Orange Ball – Sunday (12:00pm)
- 12 and Under Green Ball - Sunday (12:00pm or 2:00pm)
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### **Yellow Ball Divisions (Gender Neutral)**

- 12 and Under Yellow Ball – Sunday (2:00pm)
- 14 and Under - Sunday (2:00pm or 4:00pm)



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### Formats of Play – Orange and Green Ball Divisions

#### (10U) Orange Ball (Gender Neutral)

- 2 courts required per match
- 4 Players minimum required per team/match
  - Any combination of boys and girls can make up a roster
    - If a team has 3 players, the #4 singles and #4 doubles match are defaulted
    - If a team has 2 players, it is an entire team default
- 4 total singles and 4 total doubles matches per team match (Four - 20 minute timed rounds)
  - 1 singles match and 1 doubles match per round
- 4 game sets, no ad scoring
  - Play to completion of the set or until 20 minutes is called, whichever comes first
  - No tiebreak played at 3-3, play one more full game
- Players should play singles matches (1-4) according to strength determined by coach
  - Players cannot play singles more than once
- Total **games** won determines the overall team match score for head to head matches
- Best win/loss record at the end of the season determines division standings

#### (12U) Green Ball (Gender Neutral)

- 2 courts required per match
- 4 Players minimum required per team/match
  - Any combination of boys and girls, goal is to have at least 1 boy or 1 girl at every match
    - If a team has 3 players, the #4 singles and #4 doubles match are defaulted
    - If a team has 2 players, it is an entire team default
- 4 total singles and 4 total doubles matches per team match (Four - 30 minute timed rounds)
  - 1 singles match and 1 doubles match per round
- 6 game short set, no ad scoring. Tiebreak played at 5-5
  - Play to completion of the set or until 30 minutes is called, whichever comes first
- Players should play singles matches (1-4) according to strength determined by coach
  - Players cannot play singles more than once
- Total **games** won determines the overall team match score
- Best win/loss record at the end of the season determines division standings



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### Formats of Play – Yellow Ball Divisions (Gender Neutral)

#### (12U) Yellow Ball

- 2 courts required per match
- 4 Players minimum required per team/match
  - Any combination of boys and girls on a roster or at a match
    - If a team has 3 players, the #4 singles and #4 doubles match are defaulted
    - If a team has 2 players, it is an entire team default
- 4 total singles and 4 total doubles matches per team match (Four - 30 minute timed rounds)
  - 1 singles match and 1 doubles match per round
- 6 game short set, no ad scoring. Tiebreak played at 5-5
  - Play to completion of the set or until 30 minutes is called, whichever comes first
- Players should play singles matches (1-4) according to strength determined by coach
  - Players cannot play singles more than once
- Total **games** won determines the overall team match score
- Best win/loss record at the end of the season determines division standings

#### (14U) Yellow Ball- Advanced and Intermediate

- 3 courts required per match
- 4 Players minimum required per team/match
  - Any combination of boys and girls on a roster or at a match
    - If a team has 3 players, the #4 singles and #4 doubles match are defaulted
    - If a team has 2 players, it is an entire team default
- 4 total singles and 4 total doubles matches per team match (Three rounds)
  - **Round 1:** 2 singles matches and 1 doubles match
  - **Round 2:** 2 singles matches and 1 doubles match
  - **Round 3:** 2 doubles matches
- 6 game set, no ad scoring. Tiebreak played at 6-6
- Players should play singles matches (1-4) according to strength determined by coach. Round 1 is considered #1 and #2 singles. Round 2 is considered #3 and #4 singles.
  - Players cannot play singles more than once
- Total **games** won determines the overall team match score
- Best win/loss record at the end of the season determines division standings