



# 2023 18 & over ADULT M. Spring/Summer (S/S) League

## Request a Team Number

Monday, 2/6/2023 - Player Registration Opens

### GENERAL LEAGUE INFORMATION

**Men's Saturday League (NTRP 3.0, 4.0 and 5.0)** will begin play Saturday, April 15, 2023

**Men's Sunday League (NTRP 3.5, 4.5 and OPEN)** will begin play Sunday, April 16, 2023

Schedules will publish on TENNIS LINK on Thursday, March 30, 2023

### Format:

2 – Singles; 3 – Doubles (NTRP 3.0, 3.5, 4.0 and 4.5)

1 – Singles; 2 – Doubles (NTRP 5.0 and OPEN \*\*)

(\*\*) The OPEN Division (5.0 & up) can go directly to Sectionals if local league (2 teams) does not make.

Weeks of play will be determined after the roster deadline noted above and number of teams by NTRP level set. The DTA's goal is to schedule 6-10 weeks of play during the regular season.

### Scoring:

#### 2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA Rules and Regulations:

**7A.** All local league matches, and local league championship matches will be played using the best of two sets criteria, conventional scoring, with a Coman set tiebreak (the first to 7 by 2) at 6 games all and a Coman match tiebreak (the first to 10 by 2) in the event of split sets. In the Coman tiebreak players change ends of the court after the 1st point, the 5th point, the 9th point, the 13th point, etc...

### Match Times:

#### 2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA Dallas Captains Responsibilities:

**Saturday ADULT League only:** Any time between 9:00am and 4:00pm is an acceptable start time for the Saturday League.

**Sunday ADULT Men's League only:** Matches should not be scheduled before 11:00am unless both captains agree to an alternate time.

### Team Numbers:

To request a Team Numbers, please email [leagues@dta.org](mailto:leagues@dta.org) with the following information:

Facility Name:

League Day:

Level:

Captain's Name and USTA #

**2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA 18 & over ADULT S/S League fee: \$38.00** (includes a non-refundable Active.com processing fee of \$3.00)

**The DTA does not refund player league fees unless the level entered does not make.**

#### 2023 USTA DALLAS TENNIS Rules and Regulations:

**3D.** Leagues fees are Non-Refundable/Transferrable unless the level entered does not make.

### Player Registration:

Player registration is online at the TENNIS LINK website at <http://tennislink.usta.com/leagues>. Once on the TENNIS LINK Leagues website, click on "Register for a team" and enter your USTA number and the team number. Follow the prompts through the credit card portion. Once you have successfully completed registration you will receive a screen notification and an e-mail confirmation.

TEAMS MAY ADD PLAYERS UP UNTIL TWO (2) WEEKS PRIOR TO FINAL REGULAR SEASON MATCH. **Self-rated (S) and computer rated appealed (A) players have until three (3) weeks prior to final regular season match to register.**

**2023 USTA TEXAS Rules and Regulations:**

A team may have only one (1) player from outside the 50-mile radius of the center of a large city, Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio, Austin and Houston... If a player does not have the specific league in one of our designated areas (i.e. Abilene, Amarillo, Austin), he/she can play in another city without it counting as part of the out of city maximum.

**Skeletal rosters minimum of 8 players (5 players NTRP 5.0 and OPEN) are due on TENNIS LINK no later than Thursday, 2/23/2023 to be included on schedule.**

**Player Eligibility:**

**2023 USTA DALLAS TENNIS Rules and Regulations:**

**2C(1).** All players with a valid computer rating must play two (2) matches during the local league season (one (1) of which may be a default) in all leagues other than 55 & Over MIXED, Combo Doubles and Tri Level which require only one (1) match (zero defaults) to be eligible to participate in championship competition (Local League Championship, Sectionals, etc...).

**2C(2).** All Self-Rated and Valid Computer Rated Appealed players must play three (3) matches during the local league season (zero defaults) in all leagues other than 55 & Over MIXED, Combo Doubles and Tri Level which require only one (1) match (zero defaults) to be eligible to participate in championship competition (Local League Championship, Sectionals, etc...).

**2D.** In the Adult and Mixed Divisions, all players other than Self-Rated and Valid Computer Rated Appealed Players are eligible to advance to National Championship competition if that player has played on the same team in at least three (3) matches at the same NTRP level in the same Age Group through Sectional Championships and is otherwise eligible. A maximum of one (1) default received by the player during local league or championship competition shall count for advancing.

All Self-Rated and Valid Computer Rated Appealed players are eligible to progress to National Championship competition if that player has played on the same team in at least four (4) matches at the same NTRP level in the same AGE Group during its local league season and is otherwise eligible. No defaults received by the player during local league or championship competition shall count for advancing. Retired matches shall count toward advancing for all players involved in both USTA League Divisions.

**2023 USTA Nationals Rules and Regulations:**

**2.06 MOVE-UP/SPLIT-UP.**

2.06A National Championship Teams. 2.06A(1): Move-Up - Teams and team members that advanced to, or qualified for, any National Championship may play together as a team, in whole or in part, if they move up one NTRP team level. 2.06A(2): Split-Up - No more than three (3) players who were on the roster of any team that advanced to, or qualified for, any National Championship team the previous year may play together in the same Division, same Age Group and at the same NTRP team level as the National Championship team(s), if their NTRP rating allows. Split-Up requirements only apply to players who participated in two (2) or more matches (no default received shall count) for that team during the championship year

**2022 USTA Dallas 18 and over ADULT League Teams Impacted by MOVE-UP/SPLIT-UP:**

M3.0 – Dallas Athletic Club/Remy Fellman (8096708967)

M4.0 – McKinney TC/Dong Le "Blue" (8096705704)

M5.0 – Greenhill Tennis Center/Jeff Ewing (8096702584)

**PLEASE NOTE:** To help maintain the integrity of the league please make every effort to have at least 50% of your roster at the NTRP level of play at the roster deadline. This is a GUIDELINE ONLY.

**Schedules:**

Schedules will publish on TENNIS LINK on Thursday, 3/30/2023.

**2023 USTA DALLAS TENNIS Rules and Regulations:**

**3C.** Once league flights or schedules are published on USTA TENNIS LINK, team rosters are considered set and only new players may be added. No player movement between teams/levels/flights will be allowed.

## For roster planning:

May 14, 2023	Holiday, Mother's Day (NOTE: If needed, M. Sunday League will play on 5/14/2023 if needed)
May 27-29, 2023	Holiday, Memorial Day Weekend – No Matches Scheduled
June 18, 2023	Holiday, Father's Day (NOTE: If needed, M. Sunday League will play on 6/18/2023 if needed)
July 14-16, 2023	2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA 18 and over ADULT <u>Qualifying Tournament (QT)</u>
July 21-23, 2023	2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA 18 and over ADULT <u>CITY CHAMPIONSHIP</u>
August 4-6, 2023	2023 USTA Texas 18 and over ADULT <u>Sectionals</u> (NTRP .5's) in Dallas, Texas
August 11-13, 2023	2023 USTA Texas 18 and over ADULT <u>Sectionals</u> (NTRP .0's) in Richardson, Texas
Sept. 29-Oct. 1, 2023	2023 USTA 18 and over ADULT <u>Nationals</u> in Tucson, AZ (NTRP W2.5 and 5.0); 2023 USTA 18 & over ADULT <u>Nationals</u> in Surprise, AZ (NTRP 3.5)
October 6-8, 2023	2023 USTA 18 and over ADULT <u>Nationals</u> in Surprise, AZ (NTRP 4.5)
October 13-15, 2023	2023 USTA 18 and over ADULT <u>Nationals</u> in Surprise, AZ (NTRP 3.0)
October 20-22, 2023	2023 USTA 18 and over ADULT <u>Nationals</u> in Surprise, AZ (NTRP 4.0)

2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA 18 and over ADULT Fall League CHAMPIONS receive a **Wild Card** to the 2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA 18 and over ADULT M. Qualifying Tournament (QT) in July 2023. 2023 DALLAS TENNIS USTA 18 and over ADULT S/S League roster must have 50% of the winning Fall roster or at least 8 players (5 players for M5.0) from the Fall roster registered on TENNIS LINK by registration deadline to qualify for Wild Card.

2023 Fall Wild Card Winners must compile with the 2023 USTA DALLAS TENNIS Rules and Regulations Player Eligibility requirements noted above.

Any Questions? Please contact Sherri Rejebian@ [leagues@dta.org](mailto:leagues@dta.org).