

# SINGLE GENDER JUNIOR TEAM TENNIS FORMATS

To help make starting a team even easier, we're offering two single gender Junior Team Tennis formats. Matches are shorter and there are more ways for kids to play! If you start a program, you can receive the following: marketing resources, signage for your courts, tees for the kids and help along the way! Play must begin by October 1, 2014. Don't miss out – take advantage of this new team format and start a program today!

	Option 1	Option 2
Age Division	12U / 14U / 18U	
Match Time	Approximately 2 hours	1 hour 30 minutes to 1 hour 45 minutes
Team Composition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum of 4 players</li> <li>• Recommended maximum of 6 players</li> <li>• Forfeits occur if a team has less than 3 players for a match</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum of 4 players</li> <li>• Recommended maximum of 6 players</li> <li>• Forfeits occur if a team has less than 4 players for a match</li> </ul>
Match Format	4 rounds total; 1 doubles and 1 singles	3 rounds total, 1-2 are 1 doubles and 2 singles, 3 is 2 doubles
Scoring Format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30 minute timed match with game format <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 set to 6 with no-ad, regular game played at 5-5</li> <li>• Team match determined by total number of games won</li> </ul>	
Number of Courts	2 courts	3 courts
Ball Type	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recommended use of green or yellow ball for 12U</li> <li>• Yellow ball for 14U and 18U</li> </ul>	
Play Opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For teams of 6 or less, each player will play a minimum of twice per team match</li> <li>• No players should play singles more than once during a team match unless less than 4 players are present on their team</li> <li>• Any players who did not play singles during that team match must be first priority for the next match they play</li> </ul> <p><i>*For teams of above 6 players, additional courts are recommended to create "practice" matches to guarantee every child plays twice per team match</i></p>	
Defaults	<p>If only 2 players are present from one team, there will be a total of 2 defaults per team match (both are doubles)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Match format will switch to 1 doubles, 2 singles, 1 doubles and 2 singles</li> </ul> <p>When only 2 players are present from a team, a "practice" match should be played with players from the opposing team during the 1 doubles match</p>	<p>If only 3 players are present from one team, there will be a total of 2 defaults per team match (1 doubles and 1 singles)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Match format will switch to 1 doubles and 1 singles each round</li> </ul> <p>When only 3 players are present from a team, a "practice" match should be played with players from the opposing team each round</p>
Length of Season	4-8 Weeks	

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