

TEAM TENNIS - MIXED DOUBLES (Fall 2025)

Rules, Scoring & Sub Players

MIXED DOUBLES	Weeks 1 - 3	Green Squad	
	September 29	Blue Squad	
	October 6 October 13		
TEAM 1	CONDORS	TEAM 3	TEAM 4
Roberto Fernandez	Bob Lynne	Tim Sherman	Lou Greco
Kristina Traylor	Erin Dunn	Lois Newman (TC*)	Bonnie Greco (TC*)
Trace Gentry (TC*)	Rick Kenny (TC*)	Dean Sinerius	Mark Heth
Celeste Gentry	Carol Mellinger	Maryann Sinerius	Rose Bowers

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	October 20	Green Squad	
	October 27 November 3		
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Rules

Every team has 4 players comprised of 2 mixed doubles pairings: green and blue squads.
 Every team will play every other team twice during the six-week session, i.e. two rounds of competition.
 Team players remain fixed, but mixed double partners will swap/rotate their players in round #2.
 Team captains (TCs) will manage the team players and verify ability to play each week.
 Team captains will submit a team name chosen by team members (see below).
 Pre-match warm-up is 5:45 - 6:15 pm. Match play will begin no later than 6:15 pm.
 New tennis balls will be provided by the club for each tennis match.
 A play schedule and court assignment for each team is posted to the club website.
The Team Tennis Director (TTD) will clarify, modify and change rules as needed.

Scoring

Match play is one regular scoring 8-game pro-set.
 First to win 8 games, wins the match.
 If score is tied at 7-7, a 7-point **regular** tie break is played to determine the game 8 winner.
 Regular tie-breaks must be won by a two point margin; sides changed after every 6 points.
 Each team wins a point for every game won by their squads. Points are tallied and accumulated after each match.
 If any squad or team defaults due to a no-show or a late player, the default match score is 0-8.
After each match is completed, one player from each squad should initial the score results on the TTD's clipboard.
 Teams and individual players accumulate one point for each game won, which are tallied weekly.
 When sub players are utilized, absent team players do not win any individual points.
 Match scores for all matches played, including cumulative team points won, is posted to the website.
Note : Winning games, not matches, are more important to winning the overall competition. It is possible for a team to lose every single match and win the overall competition, because every game won, counts!

Subs

If a regular team member cannot play, they will obtain a player from the "sub pool".
 If a lady sub player is required for any team, they must first contact Tanya Mueller for availability.
 When utilizing a sub, a player must choose a sub of their same gender.
 If a player is injured during play, an appropriate sub can be drawn in from the drop-in court if available.
 New players may have their names added to the sub list with the TTD's approval.
 Once a sub player has been chosen, please notify the TTD so play schedules can be quickly updated.

For this first session, we are requesting team names that denote a specific **BIRD** species.
 Examples: "Bluejays, Falcons, Sparrows, Hawks, Orioles, Cardinals, Eagles, Condors, Roadrunners", etc.
 Captains should submit two different name preferences to the TTD in case of duplicate requests.

Questions? Email or text the TTD, Bob Lynne: bobblynnecpa@gmail.com (480) 250-9300.