

Appendix to 2008 MCTA Unified League Rules Policies and Conditions Applicable to Different League Division Programs ¹

	Season Dates (Approximate)	Affects NTRP Rating?	Match Format ²	Roster Size (min/max) ³	NTRP Rating	Initial Team Deposit ⁴	Per Player Fees ⁵
Championship Advancement League programs	Spring Adult Leagues (gender based)	Registration: begins March Play: April – July <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2 singles 3 doubles	5/14 8/20	Straight levels 2.5–5.5	\$224	\$35.00
	Summer Senior Leagues (gender based)	Registration: begins June Play: July – August <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/16	Straight levels 3.0–4.5	\$168	\$29.00
	Summer Super Senior Leagues (gender-based)	Registration: begins April Play: May – June <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/16	Straight levels 3.0–4.0	\$168	\$29.00
	Summer Super Duper Senior Leagues (gender-based)	Registration: begins April Play: May – June <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/16	Straight levels 3.0–4.0	\$168	\$21.00
	Summer Senior Mixed Doubles Leagues	Registration: begins June Play: July – August <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/16	Combined Ratings 6.0–9.0	\$168	\$29.00
	Winter Mixed Doubles	Registration: begins December Play: January – April <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/20	Combined Ratings 6.0–9.0	\$156	\$35.00
	Winter Combo Leagues (gender based)	Registration: begins December Play: January – April <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/20	Combined Ratings 5.5–9.5	\$156	\$31.00
	Fall Mixed Doubles	Registration: begins August Play: September – December <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/20	Combined Ratings 6.0–8.0	\$	\$23.00
	Fall Combo Leagues (gender based)	Registration: begins August Play: September – December <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/20	Combined Ratings 5.5–9.5	\$	\$31.00
	Fall Ladies Tri-Level League	Registration: begins September Play: November – December <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1-3.0 doubles 1-3.5 doubles 1-4.0 doubles	6/20	3.0, 3.5, and 4.0	\$	\$23.00
Winter Ladies Day League (women only)	Registration: begins December Play: January – March <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 doubles	6/20	Straight levels 2.5–4.5	\$204	\$23.00	

- Always consult your level coordinator for definitive advice regarding applicable policies and conditions.
- Most League programs use a 3 doubles courts format. By national regulation, Adult League 2.5 and 5.0 level leagues play a format of 1 singles + 2 doubles, while all other Adult Division levels play 2 singles + 3 doubles. A level league may, by affirmative vote of 70% of the affected captains, vote to play the “small” format if it wishes. A level league that exercises this right recognizes that when they advance to championship play they will be required to follow the national format for that level.
- National rules set minimum requirements for the number of players on a roster. MCTA elects to set specified maximum roster sizes. In the Spring Adult Leagues, roster min/max numbers are a function of the specific match format applicable to the playing level. The “small format” leagues are bound by the smaller roster size limits, while the “regular format” leagues are bound by the larger roster size limits.
- The Initial Team Registration Deposit is required for a Captain to receive a Team Code, which is a necessary prerequisite to player registration. The deposit is equal to the cost of two team matches and is refundable at the end of the local league season after adjusting for any defaults, which may increase or decrease the amount refunded.
- Per Player Fees are collected at the time of on-line registration via Tennislink and are subject to change without notice. Per Player Fees consist of a Maryland District fee (\$18.00 for Adult, Senior, Super Senior, and Winter Mixed leagues; \$14.00 for Winter Combo; \$10 for Super Duper Senior leagues; \$7.00 for Fall Combo/Mixed, LDL, and Tri-level leagues), a Mid-Atlantic Section fee of \$1.50, an MCTA administrative fee of \$12.50 (\$6.50 for Senior leagues), and a non-refundable “user fee” (currently \$3.00) that supports Tennislink maintenance and enhancement. **Note:** Per Player Fees do not include court fees for league match play, or any other team fees that a Captain may assess.