

2022 Charity - Championship Tournament Rules

1. Must be a tennis club member in good standing to be eligible to play in the tournament. You must reside in Timber Pines.
2. Any team that wins the AB, B or C division that wishes to play together again must move up one level of play the following tournament.
3. Any player in the AB, B or C division that wins in the same category for two consecutive tournaments must move up one level for the following tournament.
4. Winner of singles play in the AB, B or C division must move up one level the next tournament.
5. Any player combination that wins a doubles championship in the A category may not play together the following tournament.
6. The Tournament Directors reserve the right to determine a player's (teams') level of play.
7. All matches shall be the best of three sets. If a set is tied at 6-6, a seven point tie break will be used. In the event a third set is required a 10 point tie break will be used. (First to 10 points and a 2 point lead, e.g..10-8).
8. All matches will be Ad scoring (games are fully played out)
9. All official match times and dates shall be posted on the bulletin board.
10. If any player is 15 minutes late for a match, the player/team shall forfeit the match. Players that are 10 minutes late for a match will not be granted a warm up.
11. No substitutions will be allowed once the tournament has started for that team.
12. An injured player will be allowed a one-time, 10 minute injury time out per match. If the injured player cannot continue after the time out, they must default the match.
13. If you enter the tournament, you are expected to be available to play at the scheduled times for the duration of the tournament.
14. Player level categories for the tournament will be A, AB, B, ^{AND Super Seniors} and C_x for all events.
15. Poor sportsmanship will not be tolerated. Unacceptable behavior will result in discipline ranging from point penalties up to disqualification for the tournament. This is based on USTA rules.
16. Warm-ups shall be 10 minutes including practice serves. (No first ball in). Doubles partners must warm up on the same side of the net versus opponents on the opposite side of the net.