



## USTA Atlanta 2021 3-Day State Qualifier

### Captain/Team Information

#### Locations

Roswell Area Park: 10495 Woodstock Rd, Roswell, GA 30075 (770.641.3775)

East Roswell Park: 9000 Fouts Rd, Roswell, GA 30076 (770.594.6134)

All matches will be played on hard courts.

#### Check-In

Teams should check in 15 minutes prior to their scheduled match time. Every player in the lineup for that team match should be present and ready to play. The 15-minute default rule will be in effect for all matches.

#### Coaching

Coaching is allowed at this event. Coaching is allowed ONLY DURING A 90 SECOND CHANGE OVER. Coaches may be on the court during the changeover and must be wearing a COACH'S BADGE. Only one coach per team. Tournament staff reserves the right to take away a coach's badge at any time.

#### Order of Play

Boys Doubles, Girls Doubles, Mixed Doubles 1, Mixed Doubles 2. In the mixed lines, the strongest pairing should play MXD 1. The MXD 1 line should consist of the truly strongest pairing regardless of JNTRP rating. Playing twice will not be allowed.

#### Warm Ups and Breaks

A 10-minute warm up will be given for any team's first round match of the day. A 5-minute warm up will be given for all other rounds. Players with back to back matches can take a 15-minute break between matches if needed.

#### State Eligibility

Players must play at least 2 team matches (defaults do not count as a match played) during this event to be eligible to participate in the state championships.

#### Scoring

No ad scoring. 2 out of 3 sets, 4 game short sets, with a match tiebreak (first to 10, win by 2) in lieu of a third set. Set tiebreakers (first to 7, win by 2) to be played at 3 games all. Scoring formats may be altered at the director discretion.

### **Scores**

Once a team match is completed, captains should check scorecards and sign once both captains are in agreement. Captains should bring completed scorecards to the tournament desk promptly.

### **Officials**

An official will not be on site for this event. It is the captain's responsibility to ensure good sportsmanship by all players, parents, coaches, and team spectators.

Please be sure all players, parents and coaches have a copy of the SPECTATOR RULES and PLAYER CONDUCT AGREEMENT.

### **Division Winners**

First place teams will be determined by total games won. In the event of a tie, the tiebreak order will be:

- Head to head team match win/loss record between the tied teams. A win is determined by most games won.
- The team with the most team matches won.
- The team with the most individual matches won.
- The team with the most sets won.
- In the event none of these steps break the tie, then each team will designate a mixed tiebreak pair (this is any one boy & one girl from the team roster) to play a match tie break (first to 10, win by 2).

As promised all first place teams will be invited to play at the state championships in Macon on July 23-25, 2021.

### **Security Deposits**

Deposit checks will be cashed if a team withdraws from the event, does not complete all scheduled matches, or defaults any of the scheduled matches for any reason. Any cashed deposit checks will be donated to the Atlanta Youth Tennis and Education Foundation.

### **Refreshments**

Please remind your players to come prepared as there will be no food or drinks on site for purchase.

On Saturday, for the players, lunch will be on us!

### **CANCELLATION POLICY**

If this event or part of this event is canceled due to rain or any unforeseen circumstances, the event will not be rescheduled.

All completed games will be included in a suspended match and entered as a timed match. It will then be determined if a team is in contention to win by assuming all future games are won. If a team is mathematically out of contention they will not be included in the determination of winner and finalist. Winners will then be determined by highest percentage of games won over games played of the teams still in contention.