

Riverton Flexible Tennis League:

Goal of the League

This league is designed to get you in contact with local tennis players so you can play and have fun doing it. Ideally we will match you up with players of similar skill levels to maximize the enjoyment you get out of the match.

Format

1. All the participants will be divided into separate boxes of 4 or 5 players.
2. The leagues will be mixed and based on ability.
3. You have 1 calendar month to play the required 3-4 games.
4. Top finishers will be promoted 1 box up and the bottom finishers relegated 1 box down, and the 2/3 players who finished in the middle of their box will remain in the same box.
5. Players contact each other and set up the time and place for their match (it can be any day during the week and any place).
6. Matches are played on local, public courts with free access.
7. Each player needs to bring a can of unused balls. A racket spin is done before that match to determine who provides the balls for that match.
8. Any match format is acceptable. It is what the two players agree to, but the most common format is 2 sets to 6 with a tiebreaker if the sets score is tied 1-1.
9. All match results will be sent via e-mail to the league organizer.
10. The league will be updated one month from when the boxes are issued to all players via email. You have 1 calendar month to play the required 3-4 games.
11. As long as you are completing your matches, you will be reenrolled into the next month's league.
12. The league coordinator reserves the right to move a player up or down as many boxes as may be necessary to ensure fair competition. And/or to remove a player that doesn't show enough commitment to the schedule and the league rules.
13. If a player no longer wishes to play in the league all players move up one position for the next round.
14. Any new players wishing to join will start at the appropriate box as per their stated skill level.

For effective communication, texting or using an e-mail address (that you check frequently and that you can check from home) is recommended. This scheduling system works great if there is good and timely communication between players and the league manager.

Running late?

Players should be punctual and show up at the agreed time. If your opponent is more than 20 minutes late and you can't get a hold of them, you can take off and record a forfeit win. No shows are strongly discouraged and multiple instances of not showing up will lead to suspension from the league.

Awards

The focus is on play and we've tried to make the awards reflect that. If you win 2 matches in a row, you can pick up a new can of tennis balls from the league coordinator at Riverton City Hall, 12830 S Redwood Rd. Ultimately, everyone will win the prize of doing what we enjoy with similar minded people. Instead of giving everyone a participation award, your reward *is* your participation in the league ;-)

Get out there and have fun!!