



2021 USTA Dallas 18 & over ADULT Fall W. League Play Off Advancement

As of 9/4/2020

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP 11/19-22, 2020

NOTES:

- The 2021 USTA Dallas 18 & over ADULT Fall League CITY CHAMPIONSHIP play will begin on Thursday, 11/19, 2020 evening for select NTRP Levels. PLEASE NOTIFY PLAYERS SO THAT EVERYONE IS PREPARED.
- 2. DTA and your fellow captains are expecting to play all 5 lines (3 lines for NTRP W2.5 and 5.0+) throughout the entire City Championship. Should your team accept their playoff spot and then default 2 lines in one (1) match or more than 2 lines over the entire City Championship, your team may be subject to potential disciplinary actions to be determined by the Post Season Grievance Committee. For W2.5 and 5.0+, if team defaults more than 2 lines over the entire City Championship, your team may be subject to potential disciplinary actions to be determined by the Post Season Grievance Committee. DTA's goal is to host Post Season Play. However, if faced with inclement weather, as the tournament organizer the DTA maintains the right to alter post season play (i.e. number of advancing teams, format, etc...) or possibly even cancellation.

2020 USTA Dallas Rules and Regulations:

- **2C.** <u>All players with a valid computer rating</u> must play two (2) matches during the local league season in all leagues other than 55 & Over MIXED, Combo Doubles and Tri Level which require only one (1) match to be eligible to participate in championship competition (Local League Championship, Sectionals, etc...).
- **2D.** In the Adult and Mixed Divisions, <u>all players other than Self-Rated and Valid Computer Rated Appealed Players</u> are eligible to advance to National Championship competition if that player has played on the same team in at least three (3) matches at the same NTRP level in the same Age Group through Sectional Championships and is otherwise eligible. A maximum of one (1) default received by the player during local league or championship competition shall count for advancing.

NEW 2020 Nationals League Rule Revision!

Eligibility to advance to National Championships for <u>self-rated and computer-rated appealed players</u> requires playing at least four (4) matches on the same team at the same level in the same Age Group. No defaults received count.

NEW 2020 Sectional Rule! Local League to follow.

Self-rate and computer rated appealed players will need two (2) matches, zero (0) defaults to advance to championship play.

NTRP Level: W3.0

Friday League: 21 TTL Teams; 1 flight of 11 teams and 1 flight of 10 teams; Round Robin (RR)

Sunday League: 7 TTL Teams; Single Flight RR plus 2 Random Matches

PLAY OFFS:

Advancement: $3 - 1^{st}$ Place Teams and $3 - 2^{nd}$ Place Teams

Format: 6 Team Round Robin (RR)

NTRP Level: W3.5

Friday League: 28 TTL Teams; 1 flight of 10 teams and 2 flights of 9 teams; Round Robin (RR)

Sunday League: 18 TTL Teams; Single Flight Random Match (RM-10)

PLAY OFFS:

Advancement: $4 - 1^{st}$ Place Teams, $4 - 2^{nd}$ Place Teams, $1 - 3^{rd}$ Place Team Sunday League (*) and $1 - 4^{th}$ Place

Team Sunday League (*)

Format: 2 flights of 5 Teams, Round Robin, Winners Advance to FINAL

NTRP Level: W4.0

Friday League: 23 TTL Teams; 1 flight of 12 teams and 1 flight of 11 teams; Round Robin (RR)

Sunday League: 15 TTL Teams; Single Flight RM-10

PLAY OFFS:

Advancement: $3 - 1^{st}$ Place Teams, $3 - 2^{nd}$ Place Teams, $2 - 3^{rd}$ Place Teams (1-3rd Place Team from Friday League

with Best Overall Record and 1-3rd Place Team Sunday League (*)

Format: 2 flights of 4 Teams, Round Robin, Flight Winners Advances to FINAL

NTRP Level: W4.5

Friday League: 5 TTL Teams; Single Flight Double Round Robin (DRR)

Sunday League: 6 TTL Teams; Single Flight DRR

PLAY OFFS:

Advancement: 2 – 1st Place Teams

Format: Single Elimination

(*) NOTE:

As a non-advancing league, DTA took the opportunity to test USTA Nationals Random Match Format for the 2021 USTA Dallas 18 & over ADULT Fall W. Sunday League. Teams were scheduled and played a Random Draw local league. Playing random opponents should offer the opportunity of more advancement which is the reason behind W3.5S and W4.0S advancing 3rd and 4th Place Teams to Post Season Place.