# 2025 Captain's Meeting



Central Carolina



# WWTA Mission & Bylaws

Western Wake Tennis Association is a 501(c)3 non profit organization whose mission is to promote the game and spirit of tennis in Western Wake County.

Our Bylaws and other board information can be found on our website: <a href="https://westernwaketennis.com/organization-information/">https://westernwaketennis.com/organization-information/</a>

Tennis doesn't "just happen". It is the people who deliver tennis who make it happen and we have the best people in our WWTA community - starting with our board and staff and including our players!

## WWTA Executive Board and Staff

Sherene Halko – President

Debbie Combos - VP Finance

Jena Hill – VP Records

Targol Mirmirani - VP at Large

Paul Narula – VP at Large

*Amit Sachan* – VP at Large

*Kris Merck* – VP at Large

Staff – Carol Cooke, Michelle Yates, Kari Moncrief

Junior Team Tennis LLCs - Bill Reynolds, Kirstie Marx

Accounting - Claire Cesta

Executive Director – *Laura Weygandt* 

# Court Advocacy Update

#### **Apex**

• Two facility locations for leagues - Nature Park (5cts) & Community Park (6cts). Pleasant Park has 4 courts. One walk up court has to always be available. ACP will be resurfaced in May. Apex will receive just over \$50K from USTA, Southern, USTA-NC and WWTA for this project.

#### **Fuquay-Varina**

• Action Park 4 courts - No league play opportunities due to the Town's registration policies (have to register with them not on TennisLink)

#### Morrisville

• Community Park and Church Street Park - 3 courts at each park. MCP has become extremely important with since they have to close CSP for use May - Oct.

#### **Holly Springs**

- Ting Park 8 courts
- Holly Springs High School courts are available for league play overflow on weekends.

# WWTA Programs/Events

- USTA Leagues
- USTA Tournaments
- WWTA Leagues
- Junior Team Tennis
- Triples
- Beginner Programs
- Community Spotlight

- Charity Classic
- Tennis for Life
- Abilities Clinics
- Charitable Support
- Youth Scholarships
- Wheelchair Clinics

## Newsletters



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WWTA Newsletter goes out monthly.

USTA Eblasts go out before the start of each league registration and periodically throughout the year.

There are two distribution groups to sign up for both with important area tennis information. You can do this on the homepage of our website.

USTA and WWTA

# **USTA & WWTA Important Info**

Visit our website: www.westernwaketennis.com

USTA league information can all be found by clicking on USTA Leagues under the Adult Tennis tab.

Lots of great information also posted on:









# Questions?

Please put your questions in the chat box.

We will answer some as we go and others at the end or email you directly.

We are recording this meeting and it will be on our website for your future viewing.

# Quick Links - <u>USTA Landing Page</u>

Pre-Season	Mid-Season	More Handy Links	Court Assignments & Make Up Info
How to Start a Team (Team #)	Rules, Regulations & The Code	Email the USTA LLC	Cary Court Assignments
Find A Team/Player	How to do a 5-minute warm up	Weather.com	Cary Make-Ups
NTRP Rating Information	Lineup Exchange Form	Central League Winners	Apex Court Assignments
Captain's Checklist	Score Correction Form	State Championships	Apex Make-Ups
Captain's Agreement	Court Locations	TOC Adult League Email	Ting Park Court Assignments
TennisLink Access	Remove Player From Roster	Cary Tennis Park Live Cam	Ting Park Make- ups
TennisLink Guide	Sliding Scale for "raining out" matches for State Tournaments	FAQ	Morrisville Court Assignments
TennisLink Guide (NEW CAPTAINS)	Grievance Info & Form	Central League Hub	Morrisville Make- Ups

# Captain's Duties

- Fill out <u>Captain's Agreement</u> before your first match. (It is found on the Quick Links page and <u>the Hub</u>.)
- Pay online court fees, if applicable, per facility instructions.
- Communicate with opposing captains at least 2 days before every match.
- Enter scores within 48 hrs. Either captain can enter scores.
- Know your <u>Rules and Regulations</u>. Bookmark this link in your phone!
- If you reschedule a match, let your facility know. **Matches should be**played on the scheduled date. Exceptions can be found in Section 4 of the Rules.
- Arrange for make-up matches and be sure to get them scheduled as soon as possible. The four weeks includes any scheduled make up rainouts.

# Captain's Duties

- Make sure you have enough players to field all lines for every match. Our goal is *NO DEFAULTS!* Ask for player availability early in the season and request availability updates throughout the season!
- Exchange lineups on time! Start your matches on time (and that includes a 5 minute warm up to be started at the designated match time). See the Quick Links page or the Hub for how to do a 5 Minute Warm Up.
- Players must be aware of staggered starts/times. The second stagger should arrive no later than 1 hour. If they are not there, and a court is open, it is a default.
- Score Corrections- pay attention when entering. <u>Score Correction Form</u> for scores entered incorrectly.
- You cannot take your assigned court until match time (unless it's open).

## General Information

- Our local rule for number of players "on level" on a team is at least 4 (3 for 4.5 and 5.0 and 3 for 55+ teams).
- Leagues that count towards ratings for USTA
  - Spring, TriLevel and Mixed if player did not participate in enough Spring and TriLevel Matches
- Captains should let their opponents know at line up exchange the court surface for each match before the line up is exchanged.

# Payment of Court Fees & Facility Contracts

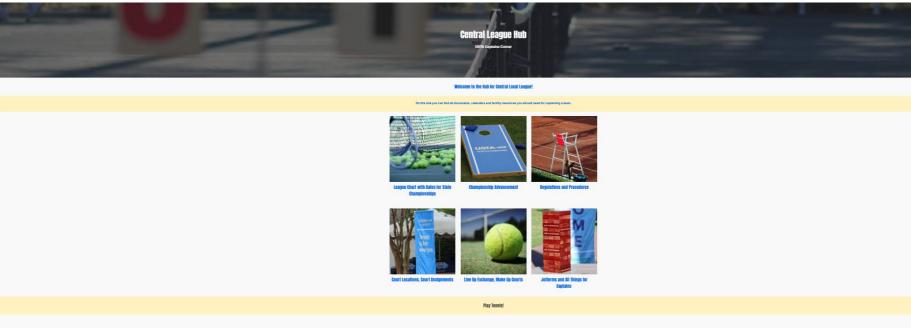
Players should be in good standing with the facility their team is playing out of. This includes paying any fees associated with using the facility for USTA match play. Court fees need to be paid for Apex and Morrisville by the date given them by the Local League Coordinator and by the date listed on their contract for Holly Springs. All Town of Cary (TOC) court fees need to be paid by the league start date.

Players not in good standing with the facility may not be allowed to play in future USTA matches at the request of the facility, and any matches played by that player will be defaulted if not paid within 24 hours of notification of past due fees. If team court fees are not paid by contract date to facility or due date to WWTA, captain/team will be given 24 hours notice and if unpaid,the team schedule will be cancelled, no player refunds and a grievance will be filed for two team defaults since no home courts will be reserved for matches.

There will be no exceptions to these rules regarding facility payments.

# New <u>Hub for Captains</u>

Central League Hub





League Chart with Dates for State Championships



**Championship Advancement** 



**Regulations and Procedures** 



**Court Locations, Court Assignments** 



Line Up Exchange, Make Up Courts



Jotforms and All Things for Captains

#### 2025 Central League Chart

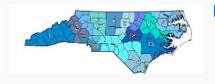


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#### **Championship Advancement**

#### **USTA North Carolina**



2025 NC Championships

2025 States Wildcards

USTA NC States Website

#### **USTA Southern**



USTA Southern Championships Website

2024 Southern Championships Calendar

2024 Southern Championships and Invitationals

#### **USTA National**



USTA League National Championship Website

2025 League National Championship Schedule

2024 League National Invitational Schedule

#### **Regulations and Procedures**

North Carolina, Southern, and National

2025 NC Championship Procedures

2025 Non-National Regulations

2025 Southern Combo Regulations

2025 National, Southern, NC Regulations

2025 National Regulations

2025 Southern Tri Level Regulations

2024 Friend at Court

2026 Regulation Change Proposal Form

Local



# Changes to 40+ for Spring

- The new format for 40+ will be 1 singles and 4 doubles.
- Roster sizes for this league have increased to a maximum of 17 players for 3.0, 3.5, 4.0 and 4.5.
- For staggered starts, #1 Singles, #1 Doubles and #2 Doubles will be first to play followed by #3 Doubles and #4 Doubles as courts finish. The players for the staggered courts should be available to play 1 hour after match time. Captains, please communicate about the stagger.

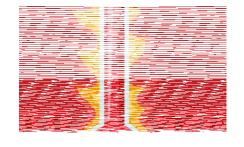
## USTA is offering 40+ Trilevel!

### And so is Central!

Men 40 +	3.0 - 3.5 -4.0	Sunday 4:30/overflow 2:00
	3.5 - 4.0 - 4.5	Saturday 11:30/overflow 2:00
	4.0 - 4.5 - 5.0	Sunday 2:00
	4.5 - 5.0 - 5.5	TBD
Female 40+	2.5 - 3.0 - 3.5	Tues 9:30 OR W/E - Saturday 11:30/overflow 2:00
	3.0 - 3.5 -4.0	Thurs 9:30 OR W/E - Sunday 4:30/overflow 2:00
	3.5 - 4.0 - 4.5	Fri 9:30 OR W/E - Saturday 4:30/overflow 2:00
	4.0 - 4.5 - 5.0	TBD

# Etiquette

- Read "The Code" from USTA.
- Display good sportsmanship on and off the court.
- Captains should be communicating with each other before matches and after for score entry within 48 hours.
- Spectators should NOT speak to players while they are on court! This could be perceived as coaching. Coaching is not allowed.
- Make sure you are watching outside of the court fencing.



# HOT/COLD Rule



- Teams have the option to reschedule if the "feels like" temperature (which includes wind chill or heat index) is forecasted to be **35 degrees or less or 100 degrees or more**, at match start time or two hours past match time.
- Both captains should check the hourly forecast, using the location of your match, on <u>weather.com</u>, or you may use The Weather Channel app on your phone.
- This decision should not be made until 2 hours before the match.
- If captains agree, you can still play any or all of the courts in the cold/heat.
- Follow normal make up rules.

# Scheduling



- **Spring break** (WCPSS) is April 1st April 7th. Limited matches will try to be scheduled for this week, but be prepared to play. Easter is April 20th. We will tried not schedule matches on that day but for some flights there are matches.
- If you don't have enough players for the scheduled time, you may reschedule 2 courts for 5 court matches (One court for a 3 court match). Must give ONE WEEK notice to opposing captain. You can also play early, facility permitting.
- Sunday morning matches will be used as overflow for weekend teams.
- There are a few matches that may not be at your scheduled time but is on your scheduled day.
- Be sure to look over your schedules Check dates, times and locations

# Flights

Some leagues have been flighted. This means that one league has been broken into two or more groups in order to play out a round robin format.

Flights with 7 teams will play 8 matches but will not have a top two team playoff.

Flighting is random.

# Matches Affected by State/Sectional/National Championships



We have a <u>sliding scale</u> to be used for teams in state, sectional or national championships. This can be found on the Quick Links page.

Please try to play as many lines as possible before or on the day/time of your scheduled match.

Town of Cary will now allow teams to reschedule their matches early due to state championships. **Must have LLC approval prior to making the request.** LLC will confirm with TOC staff.

You must have the match made up within two weeks of the original match date!

## Sliding Scale for Rescheduling Matches Due to Championships

League	Maximum Roster Size	neduling League Matches Due to Championships  Number of courts that can be rescheduled based on how many people registered (or worked) for states				
		1 ct	2 cts	3 cts	5 cts	
Spring 5 cts 8 players needed	15	4 ppl	5 ppl	6 ppl	7 ppl	
Spring 40+ 9 players needed	17	4 ppl	5 ppl	6 ppl	7 ppl	
Spring 3 cts 6 players needed	15	4 ppl	5 ppl	6 ppl		
Mixed 3 men needed 3 women needed	15	3 ppl one gender OR 4 ppl of either gender	4 ppl one gender OR 5 ppl either gender	5 ppl one gender OR 6 ppl either gender		
Tri-Level 2 each level	15	2 ppl from same level	2 ppl per level at 2 different levels	6 ppl any level		
Singles 3 players needed	9	2 ppl	3 ppl	4 ppl		
Combo 6 players needed – variety of levels	15	3 ppl same level OR 4 ppl any level	4 ppl same level OR 5 ppl any level	5 ppl same level OR 6 ppl any level		

# Makeup Matches

The time frame for make-up matches is **4 weeks** from the date/time of the originally scheduled match. (Make-up matches due to championships have 2 weeks per USTA-NC rule.)

Contact should be made within **2 days** of original match date. Contact me if no plan has been reached after **4 days**.

Lineups can be changed for a makeup match that hasn't already started. You may substitute a player not in the original line up to get the match played. A player from a different line that has already been exchanged, cannot be moved. Once you set a date and time for a makeup match, it cannot be changed except for weather. You will be defaulted if you cannot play the match at the scheduled date and time set. You may use the <u>Lineup exchange form</u> to have line ups exchanged simultaneously. This form can be found on the Quick Links Page or Hub.

Make up matches are to be played at the designated home facility.

## Line Up Exchange, Make Up Court Requests

Line Up Exchange Form

**Apex Make Up Court Request** 

**Cary Make Up Court Request** 

Morrisville Make Up Court Request

**Holly Springs Make Up Court Request** 

# Recording Match Scores



- Either captain can record scores. **Confirm which captain is entering match scores.**
- USTA app makes score recording on your phone easy.
- All make up match scores should be recorded within 48 hours of the completion of the match.
- Not recording scores creates a lot of unnecessary work for WWTA staff please get your scores entered within 48 hours. Matches not recorded in
  time may become a double default.

## Team Defaults

**Team Default:** At the end of the season, standings are evaluated, and if the team default had any affect then the affected matches will be removed (from affected round robin, not second if played). The final standings will be recalculated.

**Two Team Defaults:** If a team defaults two full matches, all of their matches played, or to be played, will be null and void. Matches played will count for NTRP ratings and advancement, but not to determine the final standings. **A grievance may be filed.** Teams with 2 defaults will not be eligible for advancement.

# Staggered Matches (Spring Only)

#### Rule:

- For 18+ leagues: #1 Singles and #1 and #2 Doubles start at match time. #2 Singles and #3 Doubles will follow as soon as a court opens up. Both captains agree to start #1 & #2 Singles first with #1 Doubles, followed by #2 and #3 Doubles as courts are available
- For 40+: #1 Singles and #1 and #2 Doubles start at match time., followed by #3 and #4 Doubles as courts are available.

All players for the second stagger need to arrive one hour after the original match start time. A player will be defaulted if they are not there one hour after the match start time AND there is an open court.

Matches should start at match time with a **FIVE MINUTE** warm up. There are courts or other teams that will be following your match. Staggered courts should also adhere to the 5 minute warm up.

## To Stagger or Not To Stagger

Always Staggered:

Cary

Apex

Morrisville

Club At Sunset

Bentwinds

**Not Staggered:** 

Ting Park/Holly Springs High School

Kildaire Farm Swim and Racquet Club Sometimes Staggered - Check with the facility and communicate to opposing Captain:

MacGregor Downs

Lochmere

Prestonwood

Vinson Ridge Racquet & Swim Club

## **Court Locations, Court Assignments**

**Court Locations** 

**Apex Court Assignments** 

**Morrisville Court Assignments** 

**Town of Cary Court Assignments** 

**Ting Park Court Assignments** 

## Captain's - Check this out on the new HUB!



## **Jotforms and All Things For Captains**

Captain's Agreement

Sliding Scale for Raining Out Due to State...

Captain's Checklist

Western Wake Quicklinks

All Things Apex

All Things Cary

**Score Corrections** 

Check the Weather

5 Minute Warm Up

FAQ

All Things Holly Springs

All Things Morrisville

#### Town of Cary

All 5 court Town of Cary locations will have a staggered start except Sunday at 7pm.

The order the players take the court for a <u>staggered</u> match of 2 Singles and 3 Doubles: 1st time slot (match start time listed on TennisLink) - #1 singles, #1 doubles and #2 doubles. 2nd time slot - #2 singles and #3 doubles. Exception: Both captains agree to the following order: 1st time slot - #1 singles, #2 singles, #1 doubles. 2nd time slot - #2 doubles and #3 doubles. The order the players take the court for a <u>staggered</u> match of 1 Singles and 4 Doubles: 1st time slot (match start time listed on TennisLink) - #1 singles, #1 doubles and #2 doubles. 2nd time slot - #3 doubles followed by #4 doubles

Name/Link	Address	
Annie L. Jones Park	1414 Tarbert Dr	
Cary Tennis Park	2727 Louis Stephens Dr	
McCrimmon Park	3870 Cary Glen Blvd	
Middle Creek Park/School	151 Middle Creek Park Ave	
R.S. Dunham Park	519 Walnut St	
Robert V. Godbold Park	2050 N.W. Maynard Rd	

All court assignments: <u>Program Status Page</u> for the Town of Cary Courts can be found here. To find court numbers, click on the location in blue on the TOC web page.

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Make Up match court request form is here

DO NOT try to play make up matches at CTP when the original match was not scheduled out of Town of Cary.

Contact for TOC: ctpadultleaguesupport@townofcary.org

#### Town of Apex

All 5 court Apex locations will have a staggered start

The order the players take the court for a <u>staggered</u> match of 2 Singles and 3 Doubles: 1st time slot (match start time listed on TennisLink) - #1 singles, #1 doubles and #2 doubles. 2nd time slot - #2 singles and #3 doubles. Exception: Both captains agree to the following order: 1st time slot - #1 singles, #2 singles, #1 doubles. 2nd time slot - #2 doubles and #3 doubles. The order the players take the court for a <u>staggered</u> match of 1 Singles and 4 Doubles: 1st time slot (match start time listed on TennisLink) - #1 singles, #1 doubles and #2 doubles. 2nd time slot - #3 doubles followed by #4 doubles

Apex Nature Parks will play on Courts 3, 4 and 5.

Apex Community Park will play on Courts 4, 5 and 6.

Name/Link	Address
Apex Community Park	2200 Laura Duncan Rd
Apex Nature Park/Seymour Athletic Fields	2500 Evans Rd
Kelly Road	1609 Kelly Rd
Pleasant Park	3400 Pleasant Plains Rd

Apex Community Park and Apex Nature Park are the only parks currently hosting USTA Matches.

#### Town of Apex

#### **Court Assignments**

- Court Assignments can be found on the Apex Tennis page and on the Quick Links page on our website https://www.apexnc.org/417/Tennis
- At the bottom is the info on the parks including a google calendar for each park- click on Apex Nature Park and Apex Community Park and you will see the court assignments. There are QR codes at the facilities so you can look it up at the courts too.

Make Up match court request form is <u>here</u>.

Western Wake is now scheduling make up matches for the town of Apex. There are two locations (Nature Park & Community).

#### Town of Morrisville

All 5 court Town of Cary locations will have a staggered start except Sunday at 7pm.

The order the players take the court for a <u>staggered</u> match of 2 Singles and 3 Doubles: 1st time slot (match start time listed on TennisLink) - #1 singles, #1 doubles and #2 doubles. 2nd time slot - #2 singles and #3 doubles. Exception: Both captains agree to the following order: 1st time slot - #1 singles, #2 singles, #1 doubles. 2nd time slot - #2 doubles and #3 doubles. The order the players take the court for a <u>staggered</u> match of 1 Singles and 4 Doubles: 1st time slot (match start time listed on TennisLink) - #1 singles, #1 doubles and #2 doubles. 2nd time slot - #3 doubles followed by #4 doubles

Only Morrisville Community Park and Church Street Park are currently hosting USTA Matches.

Name/Link	Address
Church Street Park	5800 Cricket Pitch Way
Aquatics & Fitness Center	1301 Morrisville Parkway
Morrisville Community Park	3500 Kudrow Lane

Court assignments can be found on this link -

https://www.morrisvillenc.gov/recreation/parks-recreation-cultural-resources/tennis-and-pickleball

Make up match court request form is here.

## Town of Holly Springs

No matches are staggered at Holly Springs locations.

Name/Link	Address
Holly Springs High School	5329 Cass Holt Rd
Ting Park	1151 N. Main Street
Womble Park	1201 Grigsby Ave

Only Ting Park and Holly Springs High School are currently hosting USTA Matches.

Match locations can be found on our Quick Links page as well as on this website - <a href="https://www.hollyspringsnc.us/1837/TennisPickleball-Complex">https://www.hollyspringsnc.us/1837/TennisPickleball-Complex</a>

Make up match court request form is <u>here</u>.

# Playoffs

Playoffs will be held for all levels with 2 or more flights.

Flights with 10 or more teams will have the top two teams advancing to playoffs (only if there is more than one flight and that flight has less than 5 teams).

Tentative schedule for playoffs will be posted on the website and social media when available. The weekends of **May 9-11**, **16-18** will have most matches, but matches can be held anytime between **May 1 and May 29**.

Most playoffs should have covered court back up at CTP at WWTA's expense. This information will be included in the Playoff Schedule that will be posted on our website soon.

# Qualifying for Championships

**USTA Regulation-** Playoffs are considered part of the Championship season and not considered part of the regular season. A player who participates in a playoff match must have played the required number of matches in the season to play in either a playoff or state championship match. For the spring season **2 matches** are required to participate in the local playoffs or state championships. (Other season requirements can be found in Rules & Regulations.)

# 2025 State Championships

League State Championships	Date	Location	Levels
USTA League 65 & Over	May 16-18	Greenville	All
USTA League 55 & over	May 30- June 1	Asheville	All
USTA League Adult 18 & Over	June 12-15	Lake Norman	All
USTA League Adult 40 & Over - Men	June 19-22	Hickory	All
USTA League Adult 40 & Over - Women	June 19-22	Winston-Salem	All
Southern Tri-Level	Sept 19-22	Raleigh	All
NC Singles League	Oct 2-5	Goldsboro	All
Southern Combo Doubles (Part 1)	Nov 6-9	Wilmington	5.0, 6.5, 8.5
Southern Combo Doubles (Part 2)	Nov 13-16	Wilmington	5.5, 7.5, 9.5 5.5

# Captain's Agreement

The required Captain's Agreement will serve as notification that you viewed our 2025 Virtual Captain's Meeting.

Captain's Agreement



# Wrap up

Thank you being here.

Email me with any questions -

leagues@westernwaketennis.com



Be kind to each other. Remember to promote good sportsmanship. We are all fortunate to have the opportunity and the means to play tennis. Be respectful and kind to your teammates, partners and opponents. Show the good character that you all possess by using appropriate spoken and body language as well as following the regulations and guidelines of our sport.

Sportsmanship is the ethical and moral dimension of sports. It is demonstrated by a number of attributes and attitudes such as fair play, respect for the rules and traditions of the sport and various traits of good character including integrity (abiding by the letter and spirit of the rules and concepts of honor); demonstrated respect for others including teammates, opponents, officials and spectators; accountability, self-control, and graciousness in victory and defeat.

#### **Michael Josephson**

Play your matches on the scheduled date!

# Thank you!

Thank you for being captains. The league could not run without you.

Let's make it a fun year!

