

SUMMER ADULT LEAGUES AND TOURNAMENTS

NON USTA SUMMER LEAGUES

This Summer Courts Plus Fitness Center is offering 4 non-USTA leagues. Please note that these leagues are not for beginning play. Each participant must be USTA level 2.5 or above or must have played in one of our Fall or Winter leagues.

The cost for these leagues is \$20. Sign up is at the front desk at Courts Plus. Please make sure you sign up before June 1st to guarantee your spot.

LEAGUE	DAY	TIME & PLACE	DATES OF LEAGUE
Women's 3.5 Match Play	Monday	6 – 7:30pm @ Discovery	6/1 – 8/9
Women's 2.5/3.0 Match Play	Tuesday	6 – 7:30pm @ Discovery	6/7 – 8/16
Men's Match Play	Thursday	6 – 7:30pm @ Island Park	6/6 – 8/15
Mixed Doubles	Sunday	6 – 7:30pm @ Island Park	6/7 – 8/16 (no play 7/5)

These leagues are match play leagues and they are run in the same way as our Fall and Winter Saturday match play league. You just show up earlier than the scheduled start time and the league supervisor will pair you up in either singles or double matches.

To register for this league please sign-up at the front desk or call Oliver Summers at 237 – 4805.

WEATHER CANCELLATION POLICY

In case of inclement weather leagues will be cancelled. Please call 237-4805 after 4pm on the day of the league if you are unsure if a league will be cancelled or not. No decision will be made before 4pm.

SUMMER TOURNAMENTS

The Red River Open

JULY 10th – 12th

Don't forget the famous Red River Open. All levels and ages of players are encouraged to participate and play in this fun tennis event. For information call Ryan at Courts Plus at 237 – 4805. To register, go to www.northern.usta.com, click on tennis link, tournaments and enter tournament ID# 555091109.

The North Dakota Adult Championship

JULY 24 – 26th

This year marks the first year of the North Dakota Adult Championship here in Fargo. This tournament features Adult divisions only but juniors are encouraged to enter as well. For more information call Oliver at Courts Plus at 237 – 4805. To register, go to www.northern.usta.com, click on tennis link, tournaments and enter tournament ID# 555128509.

FREE COURT TIME

From June 1st – August 31st all members at Courts Plus Fitness Center get to use the courts for free. This includes the ball machine!. Be sure to take advantage of this great benefit.

If you have any more questions about any of the leagues please contact Oliver Summers at 237-4805.



www.courtsplus.org

USTA Tri-Level League

USTA Northern Tri-Level Leagues have a new format in 2009 that will make it even more rewarding than previous years. Instead of a "Tri"-Level team with three different rating levels represented per team, all that is needed for a team this year is a partner with the same rating - A player will only play doubles teams of their own rating level.

A maximum of four people can be on a team, but only two will play in a match. An unofficial USTA Northern Section Championship will be played October 16-18 at Life Time Fitness Lakeville, MN. Although it cannot be guaranteed because it is not a USTA sponsored championship, there has been a National Tri-Level Championship each March during the final weekend of the Indian Wells professional tennis tournament in Palm Springs, Calif.

How you register to play

Basically, the player would go to <http://tennislink.usta.com/leagues/FormsLogin.asp> and click on "Create a Team Online" The would choose Northern Section, Fargo Area, Women's/Men's Tri-level and then add their partners two last names as the team name. They would need to write down the team number and give it to their partner. The partner would go to the same web site and click on "Register for a Team" The partner would register by entering in their USTA and Team number.

Season starts June 1st, 2009

Men will play at 6:00 or 7:30 on Monday nights and Women will play at 6:00 or 7:30 on Wednesday nights at Island Park.

Price is \$22 plus you need to be a USTA Member which is \$40 for the year, if you already are one, then you are set! If you aren't a USTA member, you just need to join which is very easy to do online at www.northern.usta.com and then click on the membership tab at the top of the page.

The matches need to be completed by August 31st.
2 out of 3 sets, 10 point tie-breaker

The individual doubles winner from each gender/level 3.5, 4.0, 4.5 will advance to sectionals in Minneapolis. The individual doubles winner from sectionals would then advance to nationals if they host it again.

All levels are open to playing tri-level. 2.5 up to 5.0.

*3.5, 4.0 and 4.5 all have a sectional option as well as a national option.

*2.5, 3.0 and 5.0 don't have a national option but hopefully a sectional option.

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