

	<u>10U BEGINNER AND 10U INTERMEDIATE - LEAGUE FORMAT & RULES</u>
Match Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10U Beginner typically plays at 3 PM on Saturdays and 10U Intermediate at 2 PM on Saturdays (but this can be modified to maximize player involvement).
Match Locations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Matches are both "home" and "away".
Serve	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Players alternate serving games. Can serve underhanded (no bounce- Michael Chang serve) or adult serve.
Season Duration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6-10 matches, depending on the number of registered teams. Typically, the spring season runs April 2nd-May 30th. Typically the fall season runs from Sept. 24-Nov. 15.
Number of matches weekly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One match each week on Saturday afternoons.
Court Size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Played on Adult court, but with modified width and length markings for smaller court. 60 foot court
Ball	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Orange Ball
Team Size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 4 players to a team; ideally 6 players.
Team Gender	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team can consist of any combination of boys/girls and team may be any combination of boys and girls.
Match Format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Match Format- 2 singles and 1 doubles.
Doubling Up ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Doubles players may also play singles (doubling up is allowed).
Scoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MATCH SCORING: Two, 4 game short sets. Third deciding "set" is 7 point tiebreak, win by 1. First player to reach 4 games, wins set. At 3-3, it's win by one game. If players split sets, the deciding set is a 7 point tiebreak, win by one. Tiebreaker is always recorded as 1-0. (Tiebreak Instructions are detailed next) No Ad scoring. Receiving team picks their preferred side to return from at Deuce.
3rd Set Tiebreak	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The first server is determined by continuing the service rotation of the current set. Start the serve for the first point on the deuce side (right). After the first point, the opposite team or player serves twice: the first on the ad (left) followed by the second on the deuce (right) side. The rotation of servers continues with each server serving two points, the first point on ad side and the second point on the deuce side. After 6 total points are played, the players or teams switch ends of the court. Switching continues after every 6 points. The winner is the first player to reach 7; YOU CAN WIN BY 1 point. The Tiebreak score is recorded as 1-0.
Match Winner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TEAM MATCH WINNER IS DECIDED BY TOTAL GAMES. How many games did each of your players get (added up), versus how many games did each of their players get (added up).
Age Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AGE: Can't turn 11 before 8/31. Age Eligibility may be flexible at the discretion of the Coordinator.
Team Parent Liason	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Each 10U Team needs a team parent volunteer to liaison with league staff.
USTA Membership Requirement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If this is your child's first year playing JTT, their USTA annual dues are FREE! Please ask for the coupon. (Player Registration fee still applies.)
JTT Fee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> JTT Player Registration Fee: \$45
ENTERING SCORES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HOME TEAM ENTERS SCORES.
Court Monitors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Court monitors should be used as needed in 10U Intermediate. Court monitors for 10B are required- 2 for doubles and 1 for singles.
Match Order of Play	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Doubles teams may start after the singles is completed or play simultaneously with singles courts.
Lineup Courtesies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent Volunteers exchange lineups 5 minutes before match time. If a child is sick or a no show, you may switch lineup. If you know in advance that you can not field a full team, please contact the opposing captain. Strength of players is indicated by how high in the lineup they should play. All players must be registered before they play in a match.
Player Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All player levels are welcomed for the Beginner 10U Division. Typically, the Intermediate level player has three or more years of experience.
Team Advancement ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams are eligible for JTT Advancement to Regional competition at the discretion of the Coordinator.

10 LEAGUE SCORECARD for Match Days (Org. Beginner & Org. Intermediate)

QUESTION? Email a picture of this scorecard to Lila at u8andu10jtt@gmail.com or text 804-334-6160

MATCH ID NUMBER: (listed in TennisLink website and league issued schedule) _____

MY TEAM NAME: _____ **Vs. OUR OPPONENT TEAM NAME:** _____

TEAM MATCH WINNER? _____ (who won more games)

MY CELL & NAME: _____ () _____ — _____

My signature once the final match scores have been confirmed by both teams. _____

OPPONENT'S CELL & NAME: _____ () _____ — _____

Opponents signature once the final match scores have been confirmed by both teams. _____

MY SINGLES #1 PLAYER	OPPONENT'S SINGLES #1 PLAYER	LINE #1 WINNER ?
NAME _____	NAME _____	_____
Games Won in Set 1 _____	Games Won in Set 1 _____	
Games Won in Set 2 _____	Games Won in Set 2 _____	
Split?	Split?	
Tiebreak (counted as 1 Game) _____	Tiebreak (counted as 1 Game) _____	
TOTAL GAMES WON _____	TOTAL GAMES WON _____	

MY SINGLES #2 PLAYER	OPPONENT'S SINGLES #2 PLAYER	LINE #2 WINNER ?
NAME _____	NAME _____	_____
Games Won in Set 1 _____	Games Won in Set 1 _____	
Games Won in Set 2 _____	Games Won in Set 2 _____	
Split?	Split?	
Tiebreak (counted as 1 Game) _____	Tiebreak (counted as 1 Game) _____	
TOTAL GAMES WON _____	TOTAL GAMES WON _____	

MY DOUBLES PLAYERS	OPPONENT'S DOUBLES PLAYERS	DOUBLES WINNER ?
NAME _____	NAME _____	_____
NAME _____	NAME _____	_____
Games Won in Set 1 _____	Games Won in Set 1 _____	
Games Won in Set 2 _____	Games Won in Set 2 _____	
Split?	Split?	
Tiebreak (counted as 1 Game) _____	Tiebreak (counted as 1 Game) _____	
TOTAL GAMES WON _____	TOTAL GAMES WON _____	

ENTERING SCORES AFTER A MATCH: Go to <http://tennislink.usta.com/TeamTennis/Main/Homepage.aspx> Login using your USTA number. Under My Options on Right, click "Score Entry". Enter "Match ID #" and fill out the form using your match results.