Dallas Parochial League Tennis Tourney Rules & Guidelines 2012

When/Where:

Tournament will be held at Collin County Community College (2800 E. Spring Creek Parkway, Plano, Tx 75074) on Saturday, November 10, 2012.

Entry Deadline:

Registration Deadline is Wednesday, October 31 by 5pm. Entries received after this date will not be accepted. Tournament brackets will be posted on the web and distributed to the A.D.'s on November 5th. We will have just 8 courts available to us this year so the number of players that can participate will be limited. So get your entries in early!!!

Eligibility & Fees:

Entry Fee is \$35.00 per player. All students must be eligible students as per DPL rules in all other sports.

Important Entry Notes:

Students may be signed up for singles OR doubles, **but not both**. 5th & 6th graders are considered JV and 7th & 8th graders are Varsity. Players should be placed in the appropriate division (recreation or competitive) based on their skill level. **The "recreation division" is for players who are just beginning to play the game.**

Tournament Rules and Structure:

There will be separate divisions as listed below as long as the number of entries warrant the divisions:

JV Singles-Boys (Recreation and Competitive)	Varsity Singles-Boys (Rec/Comp)
JV Singles-Girls (Rec/Comp)	Varsity Singles-Girls (Rec/Comp)
JV Doubles-Boys	Varsity Doubles-Boys
JV Doubles-Girls	Varsity Doubles-Girls

Players must report to the site supervisor upon arrival (30 min. before game time) to receive court assignment.

Each game is a regular set, 1st to win 6 games. If it gets to 5-5, you must win by 2 making the final score 7-5. If it gets to 6-6, whoever wins the next game wins the set 7-6.

Players must know enough about tennis to be able to keep their own score. **Games will be played 15-30-40-Game. No ad scoring**. Disputes will be settled with "Rock, Paper, Scissors, or from a designated parent spectator that is keeping track. Regardless of whether players or parents are keeping score (we prefer players), it is common courtesy to regularly call out the score so that all are of one accord. Players will rotate sides of the court as per standard tennis rules (after game 1, 3, 5, etc.).

Game times are approximate. 10 minute default rule: if players are not present 10 minutes after their scheduled game time then they forfeit.

All results should be reported to the tournament director on site immediately after the completion of each match. Players will also confirm their next match time.

Players will be guaranteed at least 2 matches. Winners in each division will receive gold medals, 2nd place will receive silver medal.