

Spring 2025 CATA JTT Coaches Meeting

Wednesday, January 22 - 12:00 - 1:30pm

Welcome Coaches!

Thank you for being a part of CATA's 2025 Spring Season! You are providing a great entry into the tennis pathway for Austin area junior players. By communicating well with the other coaches, following our simple regulations and of course having fun, we will have a successful season. Please reach out to me with any questions. Thanks much!

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Additional JTT Help:

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Weekly Process:

- 1) Exchange match information with your opposing coach by Tuesday.
 - a) Communication is key. Confirm number of players, site, time, etc.
- 2) Touch base with your opposing coach by Friday to finalize details.
- 3) Before the match begins exchange Match Cards or Line Ups with opposing coach
 - a) Once this is exchanged, your lineup cannot be changed.
 - b) All players in your lineup must be eligible to play.
- 4) Match winners are responsible for entering scores into TennisLink by Monday.
 - a) CATA will be checking for this on Tuesdays..

New Scoring Format for Advancing League:

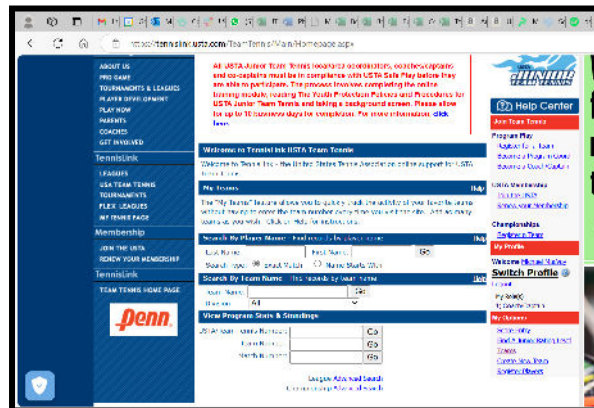
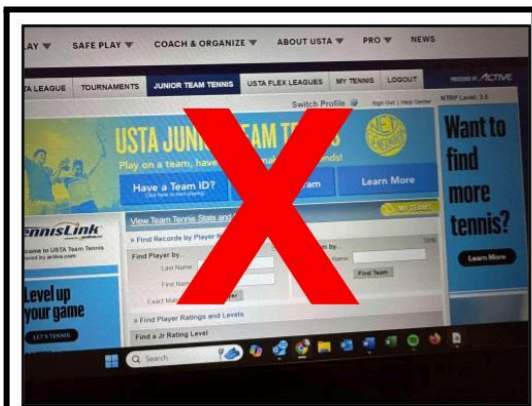
Singles and Doubles will play best of two short sets to 4, with a 7-point match tiebreak at one set all. No ad scoring.

Coupon Code:

For use when your player is on two teams. At check out you will have the option to add a coupon code. Use 'ADDCATA' and this will eliminate all fees except for the \$3 TennisLink processing fee.

Coaches TennisLink Log-In Screen:

Once you are a Safe Play approved coach in the system, your log-in screen should look like the one on the right. If it does not, then please contact Melissa ASAP.



Spring Season Timeline:

- **Wednesday, January 22 12:00 - 1:30pm** - **MANDATORY** JTT Coaches Meeting at North Lamar Rudy's! Lunch provided. We will start promptly at noon.
- **Wednesday, January 22** - All JTT Coaches must be Safe Play certified
- **Wednesday, January 29** - Coaches due date for rosters for Advancing League. All rosters must be entered into Tennis Link.
- **Monday, February 3** - Spring Season schedules released for Advancing League.
- **Sunday, February 9** - Coaches due date for rosters for Non-Advancing League 10s Orange. All rosters must be entered into Tennis Link.
- **Sunday, February 16** - First Match for Advancing League
- **Monday, February 17** - Spring Season schedules released for Non- Advancing League 10s Orange.
- **Sunday, March 2** - First Match for Non-Advancing League 10s Orange
- **Sunday, March 9** - Spring Red Ball City Championships #1
- **Sunday, March 16** - No matches due to Spring Break
- **Sunday, March 23** - No matches due to Spring Break
- **Sunday, April 27 or Sunday, May 4** - Last Match for Advancing League
- **Sunday, May 4 at 4:30 - 7:30pm** - CATA Junior Awards Banquet
- **Sunday, May 4** - All Advancing League scores must be entered into Tennis Link for Spring Season
- **Monday, May 5** - JTT Spring Sectionals registration deadline
- **Sunday, May 11** - Spring Red Ball City Championships #2
- **Saturday, May 17 - Sunday, May 18** - JTT Spring Sectionals, Abilene
- **Sunday, May 18** - Last Match for Non-Advancing League 10s Orange
- **Sunday, May 31** - Age cut-off date for Advancing League participants

WTN Details:

Division Descriptions

ITF World Tennis Number rating bands are used to determine the divisions (novice, intermediate, and advanced)

DIVISION	MINIMUM WTN	MAXIMUM WTN
8U and 10U Red Ball	N/A	N/A
10U Orange Ball	N/A	N/A
10U and 12U Green Ball	No minimum (40)	No maximum
12U Beginner (Yellow Ball)	No minimum (40)	29
12U Intermediate (Yellow Ball)	No minimum (40)	19
12U Advanced	No minimum (40)	No maximum
14U Beginner	No minimum (40)	29
14U Intermediate	No minimum (40)	19
14U Advanced	No minimum (40)	No maximum
18U Beginner	No minimum (40)	29
18U Intermediate	No minimum (40)	19
18U Advanced	No minimum (40)	No maximum

Note: For any Red, Orange, or Green Ball divisions in local or sectional seasons, please refer to the PlayTracker rules and regulations.