

DMTC HOUSE LEAGUE 2017 Rules

The House League is intended to provide friendly, competitive play in a fun, social atmosphere.

It will run Wednesday evenings from May 25th to Sept 7 followed by a Potluck Awards Social on Sept 14th.

The league will consist of 4 teams. Each team plays for 1 hour (at 7pm or 8pm) including a 5 minute warm-up.

Each team will play four doubles' matches, ex: 1 men's doubles, 1 ladies doubles, and 2 mixed doubles teams.

Each player is allowed "first serve in" on their first service games only.

Scoring:

1. Each match is played as one 10 game pro set. (first to 10 games by a margin of two; regular 12 point tiebreaker at 10 all)
2. The scoring is the same as a regular game. (Play out deuce.)
3. Play ends at the warning whistle at the end of each hour or in case of rain.
4. Your team receives one point for each game won during the pro set.
5. Default by a team occurs if there is no play or play is delayed by 15 minutes or more. The offending team scores 0 points for a default. The opponents score 10 points.
6. For a complete rain out of a set, each team will receive 5 points per pro set.
7. Substitutes may be used from the spare list or another team.

The success of the House League depends on each scheduled player being present. Your captain will email or call with your game schedule. Please respond promptly. If once scheduled you must cancel please consult with your captain re finding a substitute.

Players with two NO SHOWS who have not communicated with their captains in a timely way will be removed from the team and be placed on the spare list.