

CSRAWTL
January 5, 2023
Minutes

Review of the changes to Rules of Tennis implemented in August 2022.

1. In C division, 3.5 rated player must play in lines 1 or 2.
2. All score cards must be submitted electronically by midnight of the night of the match.

Financial: Balance of \$8179.20

Expenses: awards and league apps fees

Contribution of \$500 each to:

Reminder of what we did in the fall.

Fall 2022: Brenda's Angels/Thyroid Cancer Tournament

Proposal and Vote to approve the following two:

Spring 2023: Ann Taylor Scholarship/Aiken Community Tennis (Don Moody)

Spring Tournament: Hosted at PRC we get all 17 courts April 25-27

Request for a representative from each club to be the designated tournament helper.

Lisa suggested we get someone from each team to be a tournament cheerleader to spread the word.

Kim Kelly asked for suggestions from the captains on awards. She requests something practical.

We are looking to have at least 100 participants.

Kim asked for a response to a possible night before the tournament starts to have a night of kickoff party and maybe an exhibition of pros.

Schedule Questions:

Do we need to continue to consider school schedules for future schedules? Maybe vote on that at the next meeting.

Rain date Scheduling:

Reminder on promptly set a rain date with the other team within 24 hours and notify the secretary. Once the rain date has been set it is just like that is a scheduled match. The only reason that date can be changed is if it rains for that date.

If it rains at one facility, check with the visiting team to see if they can host before you cancel.

Talk about Friday before Masters week. No suggestions were made to the schedule when it was emailed out in December but now there seems to be issues. They need to talk ASAP and make a plan.

Schedules

Schedules for A & C passed as proposed.

B Team chose Plan B with a 2 week later start date.

Schedules will be posted on the website.

Talk about the League App App on your phone. And talk about the website use for inviting players each season and the information you can find on the website. www.csrawtl.com

Request to have a line on the score card for court assignment.

Lots of discussion on dual rosters or former swing players. A strong reminder to all captains to discuss with their players that if you are playing on two teams you need to be playing at the top of one and the bottom of the other. The dual roster was intended to offer a more challenging option for those on the cusp of a new division not for players to move down a league.

If this continues to be an issue a new Rule of Tennis will be suggested and implemented next season.

Request was made to call for a vote on moving B team from 6 to 5 lines during the Fall Season.

Meeting called after a long hour and half meeting

Recorded by Lisa Rowland

Transposed by Ellyn Gilbert