



The 8th Triple-A Asian Charity Tennis Rules and Regulations

- I. The 8th Triple-A Asian Charity Tennis is sanctioned by Tennis Canada. All participating players must be governed by the Code of Conduct.
- II. Tournament Committee: Abigail Liu, Eric Lu, Frank Zhang, Lijie Cai, Minzhi He, Judy Liu, Li Yu, Sunny Shen, Joanna Chen, Ricky Lu, Rui Li, Xiaojian Ni, Hongpeng Wang
- III. Date: Labor Day Weekend, Sept 5 – 6, 2020
- IV. Venue: TBD
- V. Fees: 50\$ (all proceeds will be donated to Barbara and Norman Kadanoff Fund for Cancer Research)
- VI. Matches: For pandemic prevention, this year there are only singles. The system will be single eliminations with consolation matches.
- VII. Category:
 - Adult: 40+, 18+
 - Junior: U18, U14, U12 U10
- VIII. Balls will be used according to age group:
 - U18-18+: Penn Championship (extra felt)
 - U12, U14: green dot balls
 - U10: orange balls
- IX. Points and Officiating:
 - Preliminary rounds: a player who wins EIGHT games wins the set. When the score reaches 7:7, the one who wins 9 games wins. A 7-point tie-breaker will be played at 8:8.
 - Semi finals and finals: regular match with best of three sets will be played. A 7-point tie breaker will be played at 6:6. If the set score reaches 1:1, a 10-point super tie breaker will be play in lieu of a third set.
 - No ad scoring: when the score in a game reaches 40:40, the receiver will choose which side to return the serve. Only one point will be played to determine the winner.
 - Courtesy point: in a doubles' match, when two male players plays against the team with one female player (or against two female players), the male side gives one courtesy point to the female player in every game. Every game starts at 0:15 and from the ad court.
 - Officiating: in the preliminary, players officiate his/her own side. Once a match is over, the both players shall report the score to the Committee. In case of dispute, the side where the ball lands has the right over the opponent. Players shall file any complaints with the Committee. An umpire may be stationed for the player who has been complained two times.
- X. Player's Code of Conduct: the Triple-A Asian Charity adopts the player's Code of Conduct set forth by Tennis Canada. All players shall be regulated by this Code of Conduct. Any player who has shown following actions will be considered in violation of the Code:
 - Abuse of balls, racket, equipment, any fixtures or non fixtures in the court;
 - Verbal or physical abuse, audible or visible obscenity to any other persons including the other player, official, spectator or other person within the tournament site.

- Only the players called to play the match shall enter the courts. All other people (players, spectators) are advised to stay outside of the courts. U10 players shall only enter the courts when accompanied by a volunteer.
- Spectators shall keep silence when a point is being played, no noise, standing or walking.
- Unreasonable delays. The reasonable rest time are as follows:
 - Between points: 25 seconds;
 - Changeover: 90 seconds
 - Set break: 120 seconds
- Improper attire.

XI. Safety rules on Covid-19:

- Players shall answer all the questions in the registration regarding Covid-19. Should any possibility appears please refrain from participating the event;
- Players shall clean the hands as frequently as necessary, at least upon registering, before and after a match;
- At any time respect the 2-meter distancing rule;
- Please refrain from hand shaking and body contact;
- Immediately leave the courts after match;
- Spectators shall not enter the courts, shall respect the 2-meter distance rule, all spectators must wear a face mask.

XII. Anyone in violation of any of the above X or XI will be penalized (not limited to) following ways: verbal WARNING, POINT PENALTY, DEFAULT.

XIII. Triple-A Sports reserves the right to final explanation of the rule and regulations.