

# PC MARC Flex League Information Packet

Please see <https://secure.rec1.com/UT/park-city-ut/catalog> for details on dates offered.

## Focus:

Flex league is an in-house league that will give you the *flexibility* to set match times that work for you and your busy schedule. Can't commit to a weekly, set schedule? No problem! Participants will be given a list of members to contact in their division and set up matches. Winners will be announced at the end of the season based on a point system explained below. The purpose of flex league is to play lots of tennis, get to know local tennis players and most importantly **have fun**. *The cooperation of all members is needed to maintain a respectful and pleasant atmosphere for all participants to enjoy.*

## Format:

1. Participants will need to provide their NTRP rating at time of registration. Please register under your **current** USTA rating unless otherwise directed. *The league coordinator reserves the right to move players in or out of division if necessary.*
2. Each participant must provide the league coordinator with their number and e-mail they check most often. Changes to the contact sheet must be communicated immediately.
3. The day league begins, the league coordinator will provide everyone a contact list for their division. Participants will be responsible for contacting opponents to schedule matches. You can contact anyone in your division to play. **If you do not receive an e-mail the day league begins, please check your spam folder and view attachments on e-mail for contact sheet.**
4. Participants should not play the same person back-to-back. Though not required, we encourage you to play at least one match a week with a different person to get the most out of the program.
5. Responses should be given within a 24- 48 hour period. If a player is repeatedly declining challenges or not responding within the given time frame, please notify the league coordinator.
6. Player etiquette: If someone reaches out to play and you can't make that time, offer an alternative time to play that works for you.
7. Each player must bring a can of fresh, new balls. A racquet spin can help determine which balls are used for the match. Balls are available to purchase at the MARC front desk.
8. Any match format may be used so long as both players/teams agree on the format. A common format that may be used is 2 sets to 6 with a 10-point tiebreak if applicable with no-ads. Tailor your match format to the amount of time you are scheduled to play.
9. At the end of the season one winner will be announced in each division based on a point system. Each time you win a match you will receive 3 points and each time you lose a match you will receive 1 point. The player with the *most points and matches played* in each division will win and receive bragging rights and free admittance for the upcoming flex league.
10. If a match was not completed in the planned time frame, the person with the highest score in the given set will be considered the winner unless the players agree to reschedule. If you choose to report a tie each player/team will only receive 1 point.
11. The *winner* of the match must send match results via e-mail to the league coordinator the same day the match is played using the correct match score report format provided below. Failure to report scores correctly and within the given time frame may result in scores not counting. In order to diligently track points, match score reports will only be accepted via **e-mail**.
12. Players will not be limited to a specific number of matches, but at a minimum must complete 4 matches during the season. Each player that completes 4 matches will receive an additional 4 points at the end of the season. Participants are only eligible to win if they have met this requirement. The success of the division and frequency of play time is entirely up to the coordination and responsiveness of the members in the division.
13. **Doubles Division only rule:** If your partner is injured or out of town, you may ask a sub to play in for your partner that fits the appropriate division rating. If your sub plays half the season or more they must pay initial \$20 fee.
14. **Mixed Doubles only rule:** Male+Female team. We will be offering a 6.5 and 8.5 team, please register according to which rating you fit best. Ratings between you and your partner can not be more than 1 point apart.

15. Doubles players must register separately and provide partners name upon registration.
16. Players may register for multiple divisions if ratings overlap, i.e a 3.0 player may register for the 2.5-3.0 *and* 3.0-3.5 division if desired *and/or* if they wish to play singles *and* doubles.
17. The league coordinator will give updates-if any-via e-mail each week announcing who played.
18. Though we encourage participants to take advantage of PC MARC courts, any agreed upon location may be used to play matches. If playing at the PC MARC, the court cancellation policy still applies- patrons who cancel courts within 24 hours of court time must pay full court fee. This policy applies to everyone including MARC pass holders.
19. If playing at the MARC, look at court availability on tennisbookings before agreeing on a time. If you're having trouble booking courts we recommend using the waitlist option on tennisbookings *and/or* looking into purchasing the [MARC pass](#) to have the ability to book 2 weeks in advance.
20. Players should be respectful of each other and show up at the agreed upon time. If your opponent is 20 minutes late without contact, you can leave and record the no-show as a forfeit win. Multiple no shows will lead to league suspension.
21. If you're unable to play for any length of time, please communicate this to players who reach out.
22. Players who register will **not** be eligible to receive refunds once the season begins. Additionally, players who start late will need to pay the full price of the session.
23. Please e-mail the league coordinator with any questions or concerns.

**League Coordinator Contact Information:**

Tera Johnson – 435-615-5429 / [Tera.johnson@parkcity.org](mailto:Tera.johnson@parkcity.org)

**Match Score Report Format- The winner of the match should report scores in this format:**

The subject of the e-mail should read (for example) “Women’s 3.0-3.5 Singles Match Results”  
Date of match, Challenger/Challengee, Match Score, Winner of Match.

**Fee:**

\$20/person. *This price doesn't include balls or court time used for matches. MARC passes are applicable.*

**Divisions:**

Men's: 3.0- 3.5 & 4.0- 4.5 Singles & Doubles

Women's: 2.5- 3.0, 3.0- 3.5 & 3.5- 4.0 Singles & Doubles

Mixed Doubles: 6.5 and 8.5 Division. Male+Female team.

***\*Please see chart below to self-rate or contact league coordinator for additional guidance.***

**NTRP Self-Rate - visit USTA website for additional information for guidelines on self-rating.**

<b>2.5</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>
Can sustain a rally of slow pace with other players of similar ability and is beginning to develop strokes. This player is becoming more familiar with basic positioning. This player is ready to play social matches, leagues and low-level tournaments.	I've played for a few years & play matches. This player is consistent when hitting medium pace shots but is not comfortable with all strokes and lacks control when trying for directional intent, depth, or power.	I have a reliable game built over years of match play. This player has achieved improved stroke dependability and direction on moderate pace shots, but still lacks depth and variety. This player exhibits more aggressive net play, has improved court coverage and is developing teamwork in doubles.	This player has dependable strokes with directional control and the ability to alter depth of shots on both forehand & backhand sides during moderately paced play. This player can also use lobs, overheads, approach shots, and volleys with success.	This player has begun to master the use of power & spin and is beginning to handle pace, sound footwork, can control depth of shots and is beginning to vary tactics. This player can hit first serves with power and accuracy, place the second serves and rushes the net.

