

## 2019 Men's Combined Round Robin/Single Elimination Tournament Rules

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- This is a combined Round Robin (June)/Single Elimination (July) tournament with the winners of the Round Robin bracket advancing to the Single Elimination bracket. There may be a consolation bracket, if enough interest is received.
- **Duration** : 6/1 –7/31; Round Robin play must be completed by 6/30 and Single Elimination play must be completed by 7/31. Round Robin play may begin on June 1. All Teams and Individuals guaranteed 3 Round Robin matches, to be completed in June.
- **For Doubles**: Total of 16 Teams will compete in Doubles Tournament. Men are matched up by random draw from hat with goal of balancing all Teams competing (i.e. Blue Team members to partner with Red Team, and Green with White where possible). The Top 8 Teams will then be seeded into 4 Groups, with the remaining 8 Teams to be randomly assigned to each of the 4 Groups.
- All games to be played as **NO AD**, unless **both teams agree** to play regular tennis when the score is 'Ducece 40'.
- **Sun Rule**: When serving, play regular tennis rules unless **both teams agree** to serve away from the sun.
- **Scoring** :
  - Win 1 point per set.
  - 7 point tie breaker to decide the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> set.
  - If 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> sets are split, a 10 point match tie breaker will decide match instead of a third set.
  - Waive the Sun Rule for tie breakers.
- **Advancing Team Tie Breaks**: Team/Individuals with equal number of points will advance by a tie breaker rule.
- **Injured Player Rule** : Any Team or Individual that is unable to complete a match due to injury will result in 2 points being awarded to the other Team or Individual. No make-ups for injuries once the match has started.
- **Winning team to post score on the board at the courts and send email to [GOTC\\_Communication@Comcast.net](mailto:GOTC_Communication@Comcast.net).**
- Team/Individuals to **provide balls**, winning team/person takes balls at end of match
- Team/ Individuals will arrange the match date/time. See the Tournament roster below.
- **Make-Ups** : 1 permitted make-up to be played within 7 days of scheduled date. Any match not completed within 7 days will result in forfeit. All Round Robin play must be done by 6/30.
- **Suspended matches** : If a match is suspended due to rain, then reschedule and pick up where the score left off.

Please be aware of temperatures when you start play and reschedule if any player senses a health risk. Play can not be stopped once started, without one team forfeiting.

The Online sign up form



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The Manual sign up form:

Download and print. There will be some copies on the bulletin board at the courts. Fill out the form and Return to the GOTC mailbox at the clubhouse by close of May 15th.

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