2010 Adult League
Section Championships
& Captain's Packet

July 30-August 1, 2010
Scottsdale, AZ
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June 1, 2010

Dear Adult League Team Captain:

Congratulations to you and your teammates on winning your USTA League local season and advancing to the USTA Southwest Adult League Section Championships. The event is being held July 30-August 1, 2010 in Scottsdale, Arizona.

This packet contains the information your team will need to make the necessary preparations for the Section Championships. Please review the entire packet carefully and distribute the information accordingly to your team players. This packet will also be listed on the USTA Southwest section website at www.southwest.usta.com. Look on the left side of the page, point at Leagues, and click on Section Championships.

Host Hotel

Hotel Valley Ho
6850 East Main Street
Scottsdale, AZ 85251
Telephone: 480-248-2000
www.HotelValleyHo.com

The Hotel Valley Ho has blocked off rooms for tournament players and is offering the participants a room rate of $69 per night plus tax and fees per each single and $89.00 per double. Players must reserve rooms directly with the hotel and identify themselves as part of the USTA Southwest Adult League Section Championships.

Please note that the USTA Southwest Section has signed an agreement in advance to hold a limited number of rooms at this price. Future events may not provide discounted hotel rates if players decide not to stay at the hotel contracted by the USTA Southwest.

Player Registration

For the Adult, Mixed, Senior Mixed, and Super Seniors League players advancing to the USTA Southwest Section League Championships will now complete an on-line registration. This is to confirm each team has at least the minimum number of players allowed to attend. No teams may advance with out enough players to fill all courts for every match. The online registration feature will allow the players on your team to:

- Register on their respective teams to confirm attendance
- Pay their registration fee
- Order additional player party tickets for guests
- Order size of tournament shirt

Online Registration & Payment instructions will be posted online. All players participating in the 2010 Adult League Section Championships must complete the on-line registration.

All team captains must check in their team upon arrival on Thursday July 29, 2010 between 4:30-5:30pm. At this time rosters will be finalized, additional players may be added via online registration. Captains will receive updated event information at this time.

Please confirm your attendance by completing the USTA League Tennis Championships Team Confirmation Form (found later in this packet) and faxing back to 480-289-2701 no later than July 16, 2010. Or, you may email it to lucero@southwest.usta.com. THIS YEAR, WE ARE OFFERING A LADIES AND MENS TOURNAMENT SHIRT FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS, PLEASE KEEP THIS IN MIND WHEN SUBMITTING YOUR SHIRT SIZES.
Captains Meeting
A preliminary agenda is enclosed and attendance is mandatory for team captains and staff. The meeting will take place at the Hotel Valley Ho at 5:30 pm, Thursday, July 29, 2010. If you are unable to attend please contact Bill Lucero and notify as to who will attend in your absence.

Match Schedule
A tentative match schedule will be available on or after July 9, 2010 at www.southwest.usta.com. Teams must be registered in Tennis Link and all participants must have competed in a local league and have participated in at least two matches.

Some divisions will require two matches to be played any given day.

The final match schedule will be distributed during the Captain’s Meeting on July 29, 2010.

Match Format
Matches will be the best of three sets using regular scoring with a 10-point match tiebreak in lieu of the third set. We will be using the Coman tiebreak rotation for all set and match tie-breaks.

Identification
We will periodically check teams and players identification throughout the Championships.

USTA Membership
All team members must have current USTA memberships or players will be required to renew prior to their first match. Please instruct your players to renew ahead of the tournament to avoid any delays.

Player Activities
The USTA Southwest Section will be hosting a player party on Saturday, July 31, 2010 from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm with a cash bar, hors d’oeuvres and door prizes. In addition to the players party, the USTA Southwest Section will also host a hospitality area which will include fruit, water and light snacks for all Championship players as well as non-playing captains.

Awards
Awards will be presented to the Champions and Finalists upon completion of each division’s match play on Sunday, August 1, 2010. Up to ten awards will be provided for each Champion and Finalist team in the 3.0, 3.5, 4.0 and 4.5 divisions. For the 2.5 and 5.0 divisions, eight awards will be provided. Additional awards may be ordered at the teams expense. Please see the tournament director for the appropriate order form.

I look forward to meeting everyone attending the 2010 USTA Southwest Adult League Section Championships. If you have any questions please e-mail me at lucero@southwest.usta.com or call me at 480-289-2351 extension 106.

Have a wonderful time and good luck to you and your team at the tournament.

Sincerely,

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USTA Southwest Section
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General Schedule of Events

2010 USTA SOUTHWEST
ADULT LEAGUE SECTION
CHAMPIONSHIPS

The general schedule for the 2010 Adult League Section Championships is as follows:

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All times and facilities are tentative and subject to change
The Hotel Valley Ho has blocked off rooms for tournament players and is offering the participants in the 2010 USTA Southwest Adult League Section Championships a room rate of $69 per night per Single/$89 per night per Double plus tax and fees.
Tournament Information

Registration
After checking into the Hotel Valley Ho, team captains must register their team at the USTA Registration Desk open on **Thursday at 4:30 PM**.

Tournament Desk
There will be a Championship Tournament Desk conveniently located at each of the match sites.
- Phoenix Tennis Center-6330 N. 21st Ave. Phoenix, Arizona 85015 (602) 249-3712
- Scottsdale Ranch Park-10400 E. Via Linda Scottsdale, AZ 85258 (480) 312-7774
- Indian School Park-4289 N. Hayden Road Scottsdale, AZ 85251 (480) 312-2740

All team captains must check in at the scheduled site at least 30 minutes prior to each scheduled match and turn in their line-up cards.

Team Pictures
Team pictures will be taken at the tennis facilities. At the captains meeting, you may select a time on Friday or Saturday to have your team picture taken. As a courtesy of the USTA Southwest Section, we will furnish all captains a free team portrait from this event.

Team Shirts
Captains may pick up team shirts at the captains meeting Thursday evening. Shirts will be packaged together and given to the captains. Sizes are limited to inventory in stock and we will do our best to accommodate your teams’ request. We would appreciate it if only the captain’s ordered and picked up the shirts.

Tournament Play
Tournament play will take place at the facilities listed above.

Please be aware that matches may be played earlier whenever courts are available, and it is the responsibility of players and their team captains to be ready to play whenever their match is called. Balls and court assignments will be given when team captains check in.

All courts used will be outdoor-hard surface tennis courts.

**Penn will be the official ball of the championship.**

Matches will begin on Friday morning, **July 30, 2010 at 6:00 am**

Teams may be required to play two matches any given day. Possible rain delays should be considered. In the event of rain or conditions that prevent or delay play as scheduled, alternative scoring may be used. All captains must stay in contact with the Tournament Desk to receive further information.

Rain Delay Possibilities
- Matches being delayed.
- Having to wait on-site for further instructions.
- Matches being postponed until the following day.
- A shift to alternative scoring methods.

Players should commit themselves to the championships for the entire event, including being ready for evening/night play.

Cancellation of Tournament
If the championship, or part of the championship, is cancelled due to rain or unforeseen circumstances, the championship will not be rescheduled. The USTA Southwest Section will not be responsible for reimbursement of airfares and expenses due to cancellation of the event.
Tournament Rules of Play

Team line-up cards must be turned in to the Tournament Desk 30 minutes prior to the time of the scheduled match and all players must be present. If one of your players is not present at this time, it is imperative that you advise the Tournament Desk immediately before turning in your line-up.

All players must present current photo identification to the tournament desk prior to going on court for their match.

Please review your 2010 Regulations book for Area, Section and National championship eligibility.

Line-ups cannot be changed without approval of the Tournament Director.

A 7-minute warm-up period, including practice serves, and a 15 – minute default period shall be observed throughout the event.

At one set each, a Coman 10-point match tiebreak will be used in lieu of the third set.

At the conclusion of each individual match, the players of both teams must return to the Tournament Desk immediately to return balls and report scores.

When the entire team match is completed, BOTH TEAM CAPTAINS must report to the tournament desk to verify match scores and sign the scorecard.

Auto-Confirmation of Scores at Section Championships - If a team Captain fails to sign a scorecard and cannot be located on the premises, the scores for his/her team will automatically be confirmed after one hour.

Roving umpires may be on hand to enforce proper conduct and observance of rules.

Sanctions for teams leaving Section Championships early: Teams leaving without permission are subject to sanctions such as suspension up to but not including 12 months. Sanctions will be determined by the Grievance Committee.

In the spirit of fair play, good sportsmanship and NTRP observation, all individual matches in each team match should be played to completion.

A complaint against a player or team alleging a violation during championship league competition shall be filed with the Grievance Committee in accordance with rules in the USTA Tennis League 2010 Regulations book. The complaints must be written on specific forms obtained from the site director and returned within the time restraints.

COURT CONDUCT

All players will abide by the USTA Rules and “The Code”.
Online Registration Instructions

For the participants in Adult, Mixed, Senior Mixed and Super Senior Leagues advancing to the USTA Southwest Section League Championships will now complete an on-line registration which will include:

- Register players on their appropriate teams to confirm attendance.
- Pay their registration fee
- Order additional player party tickets.
- Select size of Tournament/Event Shirt.

This service will help communicate needs to the event managers which will result in a more successful event.

Instructions:

- Go to the on-line registration link on the USTA Southwest Section homepage or you can mouse over “League Tennis”, click on Section Championships and find the link there.
- Captains and Players will enter by clicking on the “New User” button.
- Follow the prompts to register on your team.
- When you reach the payment screen, confirm your order and submit your payment information. Click on the “submit” button when finished. A confirmation e-mail is sent after each transaction. Print and save this email for your records.
- Deadline for registration is **July 18, 2010**. Any registrations after this deadline will incur a $10 late registration fee.
Captains Meeting Agenda

2010 USTA SOUTHWEST ADULT SECTION CHAMPIONSHIPS

Thursday, July 29, 2010
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM

Hotel Valley Ho, Scottsdale, AZ

Welcome & Introductions

Captains’ Call- Team captain or a representative must be in attendance. If you cannot attend please contact Bill Lucero and notify him of who will be in attendance for your team.

Court Location & Schedule:

- Facilities
- Schedule of Play
- Court Rules and Regulations

Team Line-Up Sheets- Completed cards must be turned into the Tournament Desk by the team captain at the playing location 30 minutes prior to when the match is scheduled to start. All team members on the line-up card must be present at the scheduling desk before courts and balls will be assigned. A match could start as early as 30 minutes prior to the scheduled time, so it is very important that your team is present and ready to play when the captain turns in the team line-up card. All players must be prepared to present photo identification to the tournament desk staff prior to going on court.

Tournament Rules- Please review the enclosed tournament rules. Please keep in mind:

- When you are assigned a court please ask your opponent what position they are playing. Make sure you are playing the right team and position.
- When the team match is completed the captain from each team must go to the Tournament Desk to turn in scores and sign the scorecard.
- The 7-minute warm-up rule will be strictly enforced
- Match format will consist of a Coman 10-point Match Tiebreak in lieu of the third set.
- Some divisions will play two matches any given day

Awards- Awards will be handed out as play ends on Sunday after completion of each division’s matches. The USTA Southwest Section will provide up to ten awards for each Champion and Finalist team in the following divisions: 3.0, 3.5, 4.0 and 4.5. For the 2.5 and 5.0 Divisions the USTA Southwest Section will provide up to 8 awards per team for Champions and Finalist. Additional awards may be purchased at the team’s expense.
Map from Hotel to Phoenix Tennis Center

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Hotel Valley Ho
6850 East Main Street, Scottsdale, AZ 85251 - (480) 248-2000

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Map from Hotel to Scottsdale Ranch Park

1. Head northeast on E Main St toward N 69th St/N El Dorado Ln
go 367 ft
total 367 ft

2. Take the 1st left onto N 69th St/N El Dorado Ln
Continue to follow N El Dorado Ln
go 0.1 mi
total 0.2 mi

3. Take the 2nd right onto E Indian School Rd
About 8 mins
go 2.6 mi
total 2.8 mi

4. Turn left to merge onto AZ-101 Loop N
About 5 mins
go 4.8 mi
total 7.6 mi

5. Take exit 42 for 90th St toward Pima Rd
About 1 min
go 0.4 mi
total 8.0 mi

6. Turn right at N 90th St
About 1 min
go 0.3 mi
total 8.3 mi

7. Take the 1st right onto E Via Linda
About 5 mins
go 2.0 mi
total 10.3 mi

8. Make a U-turn at N 109th St
Destination will be on the right
About 1 min
go 0.3 mi
total 10.6 mi

10400 E Via Linda, Scottsdale, AZ 85258

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Map from Hotel to Indian School Park

Hotel Valley Ho
6850 East Main Street, Scottsdale, AZ 85251 - (480) 248-2000

1. Head northeast on E Main St toward N 69th St/N El Dorado Ln
go 357 ft
total 357 ft

2. Take the 1st left onto N 69th St/N El Dorado Ln
Continue to follow N El Dorado Ln
go 0.1 mi
total 0.2 mi

3. Take the 2nd right onto E Indian School Rd
About 5 mins
go 1.6 mi
total 1.8 mi

4. Turn left at N 82nd St
About 1 min
go 0.3 mi
total 2.1 mi

5. Take the 2nd left onto E Glenrosa Ave
go 0.2 mi
total 2.2 mi

Indian School Park
Scottsdale, Arizona 85251 - (480) 312-2740

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Safety Precautions for Playing in Warm Weather

You may be playing your matches in conditions to which you are not accustomed. The temperature and/or humidity can get quite high. If you follow the suggestions below, there is no reason why you cannot have good matches and a good time.

YOU MAY WANT TO CONSIDER AN EARLY ARRIVAL IN ORDER TO ALLOW YOUR BODY TO BECOME SOMEWHAT ACCLIMATED TO NEW CONDITIONS.

You will lose fluid from your body through perspiration. Along with water you lose sodium, potassium and other electrolytes. It is necessary to replenish your body with BOTH water and these electrolytes.

All athletes should drink plenty of fluids (water, sport drinks, juice, milk, etc.) throughout the day. If you wait until you are thirsty, you have waited too long. Note: your body can lose a lot of fluid, via evaporation, while you are flying since the air in the passenger compartment is very dry. You should drink 1 cup of non-caffeine or non-alcoholic drink per hour.

Drink another cup of fluid just prior to play. In fact, also drinking 16 to 20 ounces of water, juices, or sports drink 60-90 minutes before your match can further help in avoiding heat disorders.

Bring a large thermos with you on court and drink frequently (i.e., at every changeover). There will also be water available on the courts. Water and/or sport drinks are effective.

After your match, drink plenty of fluids. It could be water, Gatorade, lemonade, juice, etc. If you prefer, dilute any of these to your own taste. Water by itself does not replace necessary electrolytes. Don’t forget to eat! Fresh fruit and fruit juices are excellent source of some electrolytes and carbohydrates, but you may have to make a special effort to replace some salt as well.

Wearing white really can help in hot weather. Use cotton/polyester blends rather than 100% cotton or tightly woven nylon. Have an extra dry shirt available for change. Perspiration can block ventilation when the shirt is soaked and on humid days, the cooling of evaporation is of little significance.

Use sunscreen. Use waterproof/sweat proof sunscreen that blocks both UVA and UVB rays. Have an SPF of at least 15, but an SPF 30 or above is preferred. Wear a wide-brimmed hat that is well ventilated and shades the neck as well.

Remember, you are allowed 25 seconds between points and 90 seconds at the changeover. Use this time to recover. Take advantage of shade during changeover as much as possible. Change the shirt frequently (and shorts if necessary), and use a cool towel on the face and upper back.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HEAT DISORDER

Heat cramps: muscle spasms, usually due to extensive and repeated sweat losses, fatigue, normal body temperature.

Heat exhaustion: extreme weakness, exhaustion, headache, dizziness, nausea, profuse sweating, chills and cool skin, normal body temperature, rapid pulse, sometimes unconscious.

Heat stroke: hot, dry skin, headache, nausea, confusion, staggering gait, extremely high body temperature, collapse, unconsciousness, sometimes death.

IF ANY OF THESE CONDITIONS (#2 OR #3) SHOULD OCCUR:

• Call a doctor or emergency vehicle. (Keep applying ice water continuously and generously until medical assistance arrives).
• Loosen the player’s clothing at once.
• Place player in a prone position in the shade.
• Apply ice to head and body (or whatever means are available to providing cooling).
Heatstroke and Heat Exhaustion

Exposure to high ambient temperature may lead either to excessive fluid loss and dehypovolemic shock (heat exhaustion) or to failure of heat mechanisms and dangerous hyperpyrexia (heatstroke).

Common sense is the best preventive; strenuous exertion in a very hot environment and insulating clothing should be avoided, and an adequate fluid intake is important.

Heatstroke (Sunstroke)

An abrupt onset is sometimes preceded by prodromal headache, vertigo, and fatigue. Sweating is usually but not always decreased, and the skin is hot, flushed, and usually dry. The pulse rate increases rapidly and may reach 160; respirations usually increase, but the blood pressure is seldom affected. Disorientation may briefly precede unconsciousness or convulsions. The temperature climbs rapidly to 41°C and the patient feels as if burning up. Circulatory collapse may precede death; after hours of extreme hyperpyrexia, survivors are likely to have permanent brain damage.

Old age, debility, or alcoholism worsens the prognosis.

Heroic treatment measures must be instituted immediately. If distant from a hospital, the patient should be wrapped in wet bedding or clothing, immersed in a lake or stream. The temperature should be taken every 10 minutes and not allowed to fall below 38°C to avoid converting hyperpyrexia to hypothermia.

The patient should be taken to hospital as soon as possible after the emergency methods have been instituted for further management.

Bed rest is desirable for a few days after severe heatstroke, and temperature liability may be expected for weeks.

Heat Exhaustion

Because of excessive fluid loss, this disorder gives adequate warning by increasing fatigue, weakness, anxiety, and drenching sweats, leading to circulatory collapse with slow thready pulse; low or imperceptible BP; cold, pale, clammy skin; and disorientation followed by a shock-like unconsciousness.

Syncope (faint) is a mild form of heat exhaustion and is precipitated by standing or a long time in a hot environment, eg. the soldier on the parade ground, and is due to pooling of blood in the heat-dilated vessels of the lower extremities.

Heat exhaustion is more difficult to diagnose than heatstroke, but its prognosis is far better unless circulatory failure is prolonged.

Treatment is aimed at restoring normal blood volumes and improving brain perfusion, thus the patient should be placed flat or with their head slightly down. When they start responding, small amounts of sugar water should be given.

First Aid for Heat Exhaustion & Heat Stroke
© American Institute of Preventive Medicine
HYDRATION TIPS FOR TENNIS PLAYERS

Drink cool water or sport drinks during play. Sports drinks are especially helpful during long matches, in hot weather and for recovery after play. Use a similar hydration routine before, during and after practice.

BEFORE PLAY
Drink 12-16 ounces about 1 hour before play begins.
Drink fluids often throughout the day.
Prepare at least 2 quarts (64 ounces) to drink during play.
Sports drinks are preferable for long matches or during play in hot weather.

DURING PLAY
Drink 4 to 8 ounces (4 to 8 normal swallows) after the warm-up and during every changeover.
Many players like to drink a sport drink and water, with an emphasis (e.g., 2:1) on the sport drink.
For some players, fluid requirements may even be higher in very hot or humid environments.

AFTER PLAY
Weigh yourself before and after play and drink about 20-24 ounces of fluid for every pound of post-play body weight deficit.
Immediately begin to replace fluid, electrolytes and carbohydrates with water, other fluids (e.g., juice, sport drinks, etc.) and food. Sport drinks are very effective if you are going to play again soon.
Consider adding salt to your food and/or drinks if sweat losses were extensive.
USTA League Tennis Regulations

Interpretation of Implementation of the Set or Match Tie-break in Lieu of a Third Set

In a match where players or teams split sets, the set or match tie-break in lieu of a third set shall be played and scored in the following manner:

PLAY:
The tiebreak shall be played according to the current RULES OF TENNIS and TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS with the following exceptions:

In a doubles match, partners may change sides of court for service return just as they would be allowed in a third set. Once the change is made, they will continue to play that side of the court for the remainder of the tiebreak.

In a doubles match, partners may change order of service just as they would be allowed in a third set. Once the change in order of serve is made, they will continue to serve in that order throughout the remainder of the tiebreak.

SET BREAK:
A Set Break of a maximum of 120 seconds may be taken by any of the participants at the conclusion of the first and second sets.

SCORING:
At local or championship competition, the scorecard should be recorded in the following manner 6-4, 3-6, 1-0. The winning team should be circled.

The winner of the third set shall be credited with a set won and a game won. (3.03C)
The loser of the third set shall be credited with a set lost and a game lost. (3.03C)

Should the “Procedures in the Event of a Tie” go to GAMES, 3.03I (3), only the actual number of games played will be counted.
Example: With a score of 6-4, 4-6, 1-0, the winner shall be recorded with 10 games lost and the loser shall be recorded with 11 games lost.

NUMBER OF MATCHES SCHEDULED AND REST:
Events using the Set or Match tiebreak may schedule no more than three matches per day per team. A minimum of 30 minutes rest will be provided between matches. If a team/player enters more than one Division or event then these limitations shall apply separately to each.

COACHING: Coaching is not permitted at any time during a match that uses the set or match tiebreak in lieu of a third set.
The following guidelines and procedures will be used during this championship. Please review carefully.

GRIEVANCE (Written formal complaint regarding an alleged violation of a regulation or procedure.)

2.02 D(1) All complaints alleging a violation during championships competition shall be in writing and delivered to the duly appointed site director within thirty minutes of completion of the team match, or prior to the commencement of the next team match involving the player or team, whichever occurs first.

2.02B Self Rate Eligibility Grievance complaint: Self rated players who enter the USTA League Tennis program by misrepresenting their actual skill level are considered to have violated the standards of good conduct, fair play and good sportsmanship and may be subject to a grievance complaint and possible disqualification by the Section League Grievance Committee. Complaints regarding self rate issues are handled under Grievance and Appeal Procedures.

Please take the time to review the balance of 2.02D (Championship Procedures) to familiarize yourself with the process. Forms may be obtained from the site director or the Section League Coordinator.

GRIEVANCE APPEAL (Request for reconsideration of a previous decision determination or finding.)

Any party to the complaint may file an appeal.

2.03A(3) The party appealing shall file written notice of appeal with the appropriate coordinator or designee who shall send to the: chairman of the appropriate Grievance Appeal Committee and shall, chairman of the Grievance Committee whose decision is being appealed, Local, District or Section League coordinator, and to the other party(ies) involved in the complaint. Forms may be obtained from the site director or the Section League Coordinator.

NTRP DISQUALIFICATION

For 2009, there will be no dynamic disqualification of Year-end Computer (C) or Benchmark (B) players. Only players with NTRP published level followed by A (appeal-all), S (self-rated), M (mixed exclusive), T (tournament exclusive), D (dynamic rating-usually an Early Start Rating moved down) in the Adult and Senior divisions are subject to Dynamic Disqualification.

3.04A(2) Championship NTRP Disqualification: The USTA Southwest Section shall utilize the following option at each championship event:

3.04A(2) a Run dynamic calculations and produce ratings throughout the championship. Through the conclusion of the championship event notify and disqualify those players that meet the criteria for NTRP disqualification and reverse appropriate matches played.

Disqualified players will be notified by the Section League coordinator or designee and have the right to a review in accordance with procedures in 3.04B – NTRP Disqualification Review Procedures.

NOTE: Disqualified players will be notified immediately by the administrator and have the right to review in accordance with procedures in 3.04B(3)

NTRP REVIEW PROCEDURE

Forms may be obtained from the site director or the Section League Coordinator.

3.04B(1) Reviews are considered based solely on missing or incorrect information.

3.04B(3) Championship. If the team captain or the player disqualified during or after the conclusion of championship competition desires a review of the disqualification, he/she must request, in writing, a review before the NTRP Review Committee of the nearest available jurisdiction within the deadline set by the chairman of the championships committee.

3.04B(4) The request for a review shall be delivered to the chairman of the NTRP Review Committee. A review shall be held as soon as reasonable.
REMINDER: ALL PLAYERS MUST REGISTER ONLINE BY CLICKING THE REGISTRATION LINK AT [WWW.SOUTHWEST.USTA.COM](http://www.southwest.usta.com)
I Love the 80's Player Party

Players and Captains:
Guys dig out those parachute pants and ladies put on your best jelly shoes and get ready to show everyone how much you love the 80's!!

Saturday, July 31
6:30 P.M. TO 9:30 P.M.
SoHo Ballroom at the Hotel Valley Ho

Costume Contest: Funky Fresh Prizes to the Best Dressed Guy, Girl and Team of the Championships!!

Dancing and Music

I pity the fool that isn't at this party!!