



2020 USTA ARKANSAS LEAGUE REGULATION AMENDMENTS

*(Governing play resumed after COVID-19 suspension
in Adult 18 & Over, 40 & Over and 55 & Over – **Changes in Red**)*

1. Team Size Limit

Current Arkansas Regulation:

Team Size Limits:

USTA 18 & Over 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 4.5	16
USTA 40 & Over 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 4.5+	16
USTA 18 & Over 2.0, 2.5, 5.0+	12
USTA 40 & Over 2.5	12
Adult 55 & Over	14
Adult 65 & Over	12
Mixed 18, 40, 55 and 65 & Over	14
Interim (2.0, 2.75, 3.25, 3.75, 4.25, 4.75)	14

Amendment: Team size limits are waived for the following levels: Adult 18 & Over, Adult 40 & Over and Adult 55 & Over. Teams may have an unlimited number of players on these rosters only.

2. Team Defaults

Current National, Southern and Arkansas Regulations:

2.03L Scoring of Full Team Defaults. If a team defaults an entire team match for any reason during round robin play, that team is ineligible to continue play at that championship. All matches of the defaulting team already played shall be null and void when determining standings but will be used for ratings and advancement purposes. If all teams with a mathematical chance to advance have played the defaulting team in good faith, those matches shall stand as played when determining standings. The Sectional Association may impose further penalties on the defaulting team.

A team forfeiting an entire team match during championship play may receive further penalties imposed by the applicable Championship Grievance Committee.

Amendment: If a team defaults an entire match in local play, USTA Arkansas will allow further play by that team and will use matches played by that team in determining league standings. USTA Arkansas will allow that team to compete at the State Championship if otherwise eligible."

~~USTA Arkansas will follow 2.03L. If a team defaults an entire team match for any reason during round robin play, that team will be ineligible to participate in the Mid-season Tournament and the State Championship.~~

If a team defaults an entire match during local round robin play or fails to complete its league matches, a grievance may be filed against the captain and the team by the State League Coordinator. The Grievance Committee may assess penalties and/or fines up to \$50 per player on the roster and up to \$100 per captain. A player will be unable to participate in any USTA league until his/her fine is paid.

Amendment: This following provision is waived for the Adult 18 & Over, Adult 40 & Over and Adult 55 & Over seasons only:

~~If a team defaults an entire match during local round robin play or fails to complete its league matches, a grievance may be filed against the captain and the team by the State League Coordinator. The Grievance Committee may assess penalties and/or fines up to \$50 per player on the roster and up to \$100 per captain. A player will be unable to participate in any USTA league until his/her fine is paid.~~

*(***Note that the remainder of the rules governing team defaults remain in effect. If a team defaults an entire match during round robin play, that team will be ineligible to participate in the State Championship.)*