



2017 Junior Tournament Rules and Regulations

I. Basic Information

a. Residency Requirements

- i. In order to be considered for a USTA Kentucky year-end ranking or be included in the regular standings list, a player must meet all residency requirements of the USTA, USTA Southern, and USTA Kentucky as stated in their respective rules and regulations.
- ii. To be eligible to compete in the Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier, a player must have a permanent address in Kentucky. Residents of Boone, Campbell, and Kenton counties are not deemed to be residents of the Kentucky district. All entrants must all be U.S. citizens, resident aliens in possession of a valid alien registration receipt card, or aliens who have resided in the United States continuously for more than one year.
- iii. To be eligible to be selected to represent Team Kentucky in the Southern Junior Cup, a player must have a permanent residence in Kentucky (excluding Boone, Campbell, and Kenton counties) for three (3) months and participated in at least one (1) junior tournament held in Kentucky during the calendar year.
- iv. USTA Kentucky shall have full authority to make conclusive interpretations and decisions regarding residency

b. Junior Sanctioned Events

- i. *Divisions Offered (not all divisions must be offered at each tournament)*
 - Boys and Girls 18U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
 - Boys and Girls 16U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
 - Boys and Girls 14U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
 - Boys and Girls 12U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
 - Boys and Girls 11U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
 - Boys and Girls 10U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
 - Boys and Girls 8U Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles
- ii. USTA Kentucky will not award any points for results in Mixed Doubles divisions

c. 2017 USTA Tennis Age Eligibility Chart

Age Division	Year Born	End of Eligibility
8	2008	Last day of month preceding month of 9 th birthday
8	2009 or Later	Eligible all year
10	2006	Last day of month preceding month of 11 th birthday
10	2007 or Later	Eligible all year
12	2004	Last day of month preceding month of 13 th birthday
12	2005 or Later	Eligible all year
14	2002	Last day of month preceding month of 15 th birthday
14	2003 or Later	Eligible all year
16	2000	Last day of month preceding month of 17 th birthday
16	2001 or Later	Eligible all year
18	1998	Last day of month preceding month of 19 th birthday
18	1999 or Later	Eligible all year

II. Event Guidelines

a. Tournament Director Guidelines

- i. **Sanction Period:** All tournaments must be sanctioned in TennisLink during the sanction period approved by USTA Kentucky. The sanction period for 2017 and 2018 Kentucky tournaments will be:
 1. 2017 Kentucky Level 1-3: October 1st, 2016 through June 30th, 2017 for all tournaments through calendar year 2017.
 2. 2017 Kentucky Level 4-6: October 1st, 2016 through December 31st, 2017.
 3. 2018 Southern Level 4: September 1st, 2017 through September 30th, 2017.
 4. Any tournaments submitted outside of the appropriate sanction period may be subject to a \$75 penalty unless extenuating circumstances exists.
- ii. To complete the sanction process, the following criteria must be met:
 1. The Tournament Director must be an active USTA member with a membership active through December 31st, 2017.
 2. The tournament director must complete a tournament director's workshop with the USTA Kentucky State Manager.
 3. The host CTA, Facility, or Organization must be an active USTA Org. Member through the end of the scheduled tournament dates.
- iii. All sanctioned tournaments must use the online registration option, post seeds, draws, schedules, and results on the tournament homepage on Tennis Link.

iv. Seeding Procedures

1. Seeding shall be determined using the 2017 USTA Kentucky seeding procedures based on tournament level (Appendix B).
2. Seeds shall be awarded on a 1:3 ratio using the “Power of Two”. Please use the following chart to determine the amount of seeds to place in your draw:

Total Players in Division	# of Seeds
2-11	1 or 2
12-23	4 or 2
24-47	8, 4, or 2
48-95	16, 8, 4, or 2
96+	32, 16, 8, 4, or 2

3. Seeding for 12-18 divisions Singles

a. All levels will seed based off the most recent Southern standings in that particular age division.

a. Southern Level 1, 1-A, 2, and 3

1. If playing up, only players in the Top 10 of the Southern standings can be considered

b. Southern Level 4

1. Triple the Southern standing of any player playing up and in the Top 100 of the Southern rankings.

c. KY Level 3 and 4/Southern Level 5

1. Triple the Southern standing of any player playing up

b. Kentucky Level 5 and 6 events will not seed any division.

4. Seeding for 12-18 divisions Doubles

a. Add the current standing of partner pair

b. If a player is playing up, triple their Southern standing before adding with partner

c. Teams with lowest combined total are seeded

5. Seeding for 10's division Singles and Doubles

- a. Always use the “auto-seed” function on TDM to determine seeds for 10U divisions.

v. Draw Format and Size

1. 10U and 8U divisions should give the player the opportunity to play as many matches as a facility and tournament organizer can handle. Draw formats such as feed-in consolation, round robins, and compass draws should be favored.

2. The following tournaments must split their draws in both singles and doubles once the total registrations in that event reach 17 or higher:

- a. Hilltopper Classic State Championship
- b. LTC Clay Court State Championship
- c. Stuart Blazer Memorial State Championship
- d. Tornado Classic State Championship

vi. Special Provisions

1. The following provisions may be granted to tournament directors running 10U or 8U divisions:

- a. The tournament director may serve as the tournament referee if the tournament is only hosting 8U and/or 10U divisions. If the tournament is hosting all eligible age divisions, the referee must be present on-site at all times during 10U and 8U matches.
- b. A reasonable rest period should be allowed between matches. Previous Friend at Court editions indicate rest periods of no more than 15 minutes is appropriate.

vii. **Head Tax:** Following the completion of the tournament, all tournaments Southern Level 3, 4, or 5 hosted in the state are required to submit their head tax payment to the USTA Kentucky office. The head tax is \$1 per player in the tournament, which is the number of players listed in the Competitors List on the tournament's homepage. Any tournament organized and run by the USTA Kentucky staff and Level 6 tournaments will be exempt from submitting a head tax.

III. Scoring Formats

a. Kentucky Level 1-4 Tournaments

i. Authorized singles scoring formats for 12-18's divisions:

1. Regular Scoring – Best 2 out of 3 tiebreaker sets

- a. All divisions must allow for a 10-minute break in between the 2nd and 3rd sets. No additional practicing is allowed during this break but coaching is allowed.
- b. The following events are required to use regular scoring format as KY Level 1-A, Southern Level 4 events. This regulation will not apply for the 12U and 10U divisions:
 - a. Ryan Holder Closed State Championship
 - b. Kentucky Clay Court Closed State Championship

- 2. Match Tiebreak in Lieu of 3rd set: Best of 2 tiebreak sets with a 10-point tiebreaker for the 3rd set if players split first 2 sets.**
 - a. All divisions must be given a 3-minute break before the 3rd set tiebreaker is played. Coaching is allowed during this break but players must not leave the court unless a bathroom break is requested. A reasonable amount of time is given for a bathroom break.
 - b. The following events are required to use the Match Tiebreak scoring format in the 12's division as KY Level 1-A, Southern Level 4 events.**
 - a. Ryan Holder Closed State Championship**
 - b. Kentucky Clay Court Closed State Championship**
- 3. Tournament directors must receive permission from the USTA Kentucky Competition Manager to use any of the following scoring formats in 12-18's singles divisions:**
 - a. No-ad scoring
 - b. 8-Game Pro Set
 - c. Short Sets to 4 (not including 10U divisions)
- ii. Authorized scoring formats for doubles events in 12-18's divisions:**
 1. 8-game pro set (tiebreaker at 8-8)
 2. Best of 3 tiebreaker sets
 3. Match Tiebreak in Lieu of 3rd set
 4. No-Ad scoring
- iii. Authorized scoring formats for 10 and Under Singles and Doubles divisions are:**
 1. Singles: Best of 2 Short Sets to 4 games with a 7-point match tiebreaker in place on a 3rd set. A 7-point set tiebreaker will be played at 4-4 in the first 2 sets.
 2. Doubles: 1 set to 6 games with a 7-point set tiebreaker played at 6-6.
- iv. Authorized scoring formats for 8 and Under Singles and Doubles divisions are:**
 1. Singles and Doubles: Best of 3 games to 7 points

b. Kentucky Level 5-6 Tournaments

- i. Authorized singles and doubles scoring formats for 12-18U divisions:
 1. Singles
 - a. Each format covered in III-a-i-1 through 3
 - b. Timed Matches
 2. Doubles
 - a. Each format covered in III-a-ii-1 through 4
 - b. Timed matches
- ii. Authorized singles and doubles scoring formats for 8U and 10U divisions:
 1. All formats listed in III-a-iii and iv
 2. Timed Matches
 3. 1 set to 6 games

IV. Ball and Equipment Regulations

a. Boys and Girls 12U Divisions

- i. Ball Color
 1. All Kentucky Level 4, 5 and 6 events must use green balls for singles and doubles 12U divisions. Yellow ball can not be offered in these divisions.
 2. All Southern Level 4 events and the Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier must use yellow balls in singles and doubles for the 12U division.
- ii. Court: The court shall be a full 78-foot court
- iii. Racket: The racket shall be no longer than 27 inches in length.

b. Boys and Girls 10U Divisions

- i. Ball Color
 1. Ball Color for 10U division will be determined during the sanctioning process in consultation with the USTA Kentucky Tournament Manager. 10U divisions must follow specifications for ball and court regulations depending on the sanctioning designation as part of the Youth Tennis Progression.
 2. All Southern Level 4 events and the Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier are required to offer a 10U Green Ball division. Tournament directors are given the option to offer a 10U Orange Ball division in addition.
- ii. Court
 1. Orange Ball divisions: The court shall be a 60-foot court
 2. Green Ball divisions: The court shall be a 78-foot court
- iii. Racket
 1. Orange Ball: The racket shall be no longer than 25 inches in length.

c. Boys and Girls 8U Divisions

- i. Court: The court shall be a 36-foot court.
- ii. Net: The net shall be no higher than 33 inches high at the center.
- iii. Ball Color: Red Foam or Red Felt Low Compression balls must be used.
- iv. Racket: The racket shall be no longer than 23 inches.

V. Inclement Weather Guidelines

a. Change of scoring format

- i. Scoring formats may be changed after a tournament has begun as a result of inclement weather.
- ii. Permission must be given to alter the scoring format to short sets, 8-game pro sets, or no-ad scoring.
 - 1. For Southern Level 3, 4, or 5 tournaments, permission is granted by the USTA Kentucky Competition Manager.
 - 2. For Southern Level 2, 1-A, or 1 tournaments, permission is granted by USTA Southern.
- iii. Tournament referees are encouraged to alert all players of any scoring format changes immediately once permission is granted.

VI. Rest Periods and Match Limitations

a. Rest Period Between Matches

- i. A minimum rest period of 60 minutes must be offered between all singles and doubles matches consisting of at least 2 sets, including regular scoring, no-ad scoring, and tiebreak in place of the 3rd set.
 - 1. In all singles matches where the format is two out of three standard tiebreak sets, a rest period of two hours shall be offered. This does not apply to any no-ad, short set, or match tiebreak matches.
- ii. A minimum rest period of 30 minutes must be offered between all singles and doubles matches using an 8-game pro set.
- iii. Players should be offered a minimum of 12 hours from the conclusion of their final match and the start of their next match the following day (“12-hour rule”).

b. Daily Playing Limitations

- i. All daily playing limitations can be found in the Friend at Court Table 8.
- ii. 8U and 10U Divisions
 1. While no official regulation is currently in place, the recommendation is 3-4 matches combined singles and doubles in a day for the 8U and 10U divisions.
- iii. 12U Divisions
 1. Best of 3 Tiebreak Sets: Players may play any of the following combination of matches in a day:
 - a. 2 singles matches
 - b. 1 singles + 2 doubles matches
 - c. 3 doubles matches
 2. Tiebreak in Place of 3rd set
 - a. 3 singles matches
 - b. 2 singles + 1 doubles matches
 - c. 3 doubles matches
- iv. 14-18U Divisions:
 1. Best of 3 Tiebreak Sets: Players may play any of the following combination of matches in a single day:
 - a. 2 singles + 1 doubles matches
 - b. 1 singles + 2 doubles matches
 - c. 3 doubles matches
 2. Tiebreak in Place of 3rd set
 - a. 3 singles + 1 doubles matches
 - b. 2 singles + 2 doubles matches
 - c. 1 singles + 3 doubles matches
 - d. 4 doubles matches

c. Night Play Limitations

- i. Children aged 8-14 can not begin or resume any match later than 8 p.m.
- ii. Children aged 15-18 can not begin or resume any match later than 10 p.m.

d. Multiple Entry Violations

- i. Players may not enter two tournaments at the same time. This is a violation of USTA Friend at Court Rules. If a player breaks this rule this will be assessed two (2) Junior Suspension Points for a first offense and five (5) Junior Suspension points for a 2nd offense.
- ii. Players can not play in the same event type in two different age divisions. For example, a player can not sign up for both the Girls 12's singles and Girls 14's singles division.
 1. Players can play in two different event types in different age divisions. For instance, a player can sign up for Boys 12's singles and Boys 14's doubles.

VII. Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier-Southern Closed Regulations

- a. The Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier will be used to determine the automatic spots that Kentucky has been allotted for each age division at the Southern Closed Championships. For 2017, the following quotas have been assigned to Kentucky:

Age Division	# of Quota Spots
10's Boys-Girls (32 draw)	8
12's Boys-Girls (160 draw)	9
14's Boys-Girls (192 draw)	10
16's Boys-Girls (192 draw)	10
18's Boys-Girls (192 draw)	10

- b. The tournament deadline for 2017 will be Friday, May 19th at 11:59 a.m. No late entries, under any circumstance, will be accepted into the event after the deadline passes. Players must be registered for both singles and doubles by that initial deadline if they want to play in those events.
- Doubles partners must be declared and assigned into TennisLink by Monday, May 22nd at 11:59 a.m. If a player is unable to do so themselves, they can email their doubles partner to the USTA Kentucky Competition Manager (bhash@ustaky.com) or call the office at 502-491-1290.
 - Players are allowed to play singles and doubles in different age divisions. Players must take on the responsibility to travel between sites in a reasonable amount of time if their singles and doubles matches are in different locations.
- c. The following players will earn automatic qualification into the Southern Closed Championships based on their finish at the state qualifier:
- Singles winner, runner-up, 3rd place, 4th place, Consolation Winner, and Consolation runner-up
 - All other bids given out by USTA Kentucky will be on a wildcard basis determined by the Junior Competition Committee on Thursday, June 1st.
 - These wildcards will be decided using a combination of Southern Rankings and Sportsmanship.
 - Wildcard players will be notified of their selection on Friday, June 2nd.
- d. Players must register for the Southern Closed Championships themselves whether they receive an automatic bid or not. USTA Kentucky will not be responsible for any player that does not register for the event before the deadline.

VIII. Levels/Points/Standings/Rankings

a. Standings

- i. A player's STANDING is a regularly occurring and updated list of current standing in each of the 5 age divisions. Players can earn points in both singles and doubles divisions. The following formula is used in determining a player's standing:

100% of player's Six (6) best singles results

+

25% of player's Six (6) best doubles results

- ii. A player's "best results" are determined by the amount of points received for that event, not by the round reached in an event.
- iii. A player's point earned in an older age division will count in the younger age division as long as the player is still age eligible in that division.
- iv. **Players will retain 20% of their points earned when they age out of a division.**
- v. Bonus points are not awarded for USTA Kentucky standings.

b. Rankings

- i. A player's RANKING is a year-end list that determines the final standings in each age and gender division. This list is run 1 time a year on the first Monday after New Year's.
- ii. A player's ranking is determined using only the results and points earned in the age division that child played. No points earned in older age divisions will count towards the year end rankings.
- iii. The following formula is used in determining a player's ranking:

100% of player's Six (6) best singles results

+

25% of player's Six (6) best doubles results

- iv. Bonus points will not be awarded for USTA Kentucky rankings.
- v. Tiebreak Procedures: In the event that two players are tied in the final rankings, the player who had the most points earned in their top earning event will earn the tiebreaker. The procedure will continue into the players' 2nd, 3rd, etc. highest earning events until a tie is broken.

c. Points (USTA Kentucky uses Points Per Round System)

- i. Points are awarded based on a player's finish in any tournament and based on the tournament level.
 1. All Kentucky Level 6 tournaments are "non-ranking" and no points will be awarded for those events.
- ii. A player must win a round to receive points for that round. Byes do not qualify as wins.
- iii. Walkovers, defaults, and retirements qualify as wins and players win receive points for advancing through that round.

IX. Points Tables

a. Table 1: Main Draw with Feed-In Consolation through Quarters and Semifinals (FICQ, FICS)

			KY	Level		
Player Result	1	1-A	2	3	4	5
Champion	2560	1920	960	320	225	44
2 nd Place	1920	1440	720	240	170	36
3 rd Place	1536	1152	576	192	136	26
4 th Place/Semifinalist	1280	960	480	160	113	24
Consolation Winner	1024	768	384	128	64	22
Consolation Runner-Up	896	672	336	112	56	22
Consolation Semifinalist	768	576	288	96	48	20
Consolation Quarterfinalist	640	480	240	80	40	20
Consolation QF Qualifying	512	384	192	64	32	18
Consolation Round of 16	384	288	144	48	24	16
Consolation Round of 16 Qualifying	307	230	114	38	19	14
Consolation Round of 32	230	172	87	29	14	12
Consolation Round of 32 Qualifying	154	115	57	19	10	10
Consolation Round of 64	102	76	39	13	6	8
Consolation Round of 64 Qualifying	77	58	30	10	5	6
Consolation Round of 128	51	38	6	3	0	4
Consolation Round of 128 Qualifying	26	19	3	2	0	0

b. Table 2: Modified Consolations, First Match Losers Consolation (FMLC), First Round Losers Consolation (FRLC), Compass Draw, Single Elimination, Round Robin

			KY	Level		
Player Result	1	1-A	2	3	4	5
Champion	2560	1920	960	320	225	44
2 nd Place	1920	1440	720	240	170	36
3 rd Place	1536	1152	576	192	136	32
4 th Place/Semifinalist	1280	960	480	160	113	28
Quarterfinalist	640	480	240	80	40	20
Round of 16	384	288	144	48	24	16
Round of 32	230	172	86	29	14	12
Round of 64	102	76	34	13	6	8
Round of 128	51	38	17	6	3	0
Round of 256	0	0	0	0	0	0
Points per Consolation Win	100	75	38	12	6	4

c. Table 3: Team Events

			KY	Level		
	1	1-A	2	3	4	5
Points Per Win	300	225	150	65	35	15

X. 2017 Tournament Level Chart (KY Level 1-3)

KY Level 1

May 27-31: Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier (Louisville)
June 9-12: Southern Closed 10's Championship (Tuscaloosa)
June 10-17: Southern Closed 12-18's Championship (various locations)
September 8-10: Southern Junior Cup 12's (Chattanooga)
September 15-17: Southern Junior Cup 14-18's (Chattanooga)

KY Level 1-A

August 4-8: Ryan Holder Closed State Championship (Lexington)
September 1-3: Kentucky Clay Court Closed State Championship (Louisville)
November 24-26: Icy Hot Fall Indoor Championship (Louisville)
December 27-30: Icy Hot Winter Indoor Championship (Louisville)

KY Level 2

February 17-19: Jason Isaacs Memorial Doubles Championship (Louisville)
June 23-25: Hilltopper Classic State Championship (Bowling Green)
July 7-9: Stuart Blazer Memorial State Championship (Ashland)
July 14-16: JTT State Championship, Advanced Divisions (Owensboro)
July 28-30: LTC Clay Court State Championship (Louisville)
September 22-24: Tornado Classic State Championship (Paducah)
September 29-October 1: Top Gun Academy Championships (Louisville)
December 15-17: Kentucky Junior Indoor Open (Louisville)
December 31-January 2: KY One Springhurst New Years Classic (Louisville)

KY Level 3

February 3-5: Bluegrass Winter Slam- 12's and 16's (Lexington)
February 10-12: Bluegrass Winter Slam- 10's, 14's, and 18's (Lexington)
March 3-5: Swing Into Spring Junior Championships (Louisville)
March 31-April 2: LIRC Spring Junior Championships- 12's and 16's (Louisville)
April 21-23: LIRC Spring Junior Championships- 10's, 14's, and 18's (Louisville)
May 12-14: Kentucky Junior Open (Louisville)
June 9-11: Frankfort Tennis Classic (Frankfort)
June 16-18: Owensboro Junior Championships (Owensboro)
June 30-July 2: Bluegrass Summer Slam (Lexington)
July 21-23: Hilltopper Tennis Classic #1 (Bowling Green)
August 11-13: Paducah Sun Junior Tournament (Paducah)
August 18-20: Owensboro Junior Open (Owensboro)
August 25-27: Top Gun Academy Junior Championships (Louisville)
September 29-October 1: Brenda Emery/Cross Court Circuit #2 (Lexington)
October 20-22: Festival of the Horse (Georgetown)
November 24-26: LTC Thanksgiving Junior Classic (Louisville)
December 1-3: Stephen Mather Memorial Doubles Championship (Louisville)

XI. Rules of the Court

a. Rules of Tennis and The Code

- i. The Code shall govern all matches in un-officiated play. Players can familiarize themselves with the code, which is found in the 2017 Friend at Court.

b. Player Conduct and Suspension

- i. The USTA Point Penalty System (PPS) shall be used in all USTA Kentucky sanctioned tournaments. This system can be used for player tardiness as well as overall conduct of players and spectators. The point penalty system can be used at all tournament activities and facilities, including tournament hotels or private housing for the tournament.
- ii. Players can file a formal grievance against another player, parent, or official by completing an official grievance form, which can be obtained by contacting the USTA Kentucky office.
- iii. Players can receive suspension points or violations for the following offenses:
 1. A parent/guardian interferes with a match by coaching, harassing the player or another player, or general unsportsmanlike behavior.
 - a. USTA Kentucky has the right to suspend parents/guardians for 30-90 days for unsportsmanlike behavior.
- iv. The following process will be used to assign suspension points to a player:
 1. A referee or tournament official will fill out and sign a code of conduct report and return it to the USTA Kentucky office. A player has the ability to review the report and claim they were unjustly penalized before the report is turned into USTA Kentucky. This report must be turned in within 48 hours of the completion of an event.
 2. The tournament director or referee will also input the violation into the Suspension Functionality in Tennis Link. The player will receive a copy of the report at that time.
 3. If a player reaches six (6) suspension points, the player and parent will be notified they are approaching the possibility of a suspension.
 4. The player will officially be suspended once they reach ten (10) suspension points. The player will have one week to file a written appeal to the suspension. If the appeal is denied, the player will be suspended for a term of three (3) months from any USTA Kentucky sanctioned events.
 5. At the conclusion of the suspension, the first ten suspension points will be removed from the player's record.

XII. Special Selections and Endorsements

a. Southern Closed Championships

- i. USTA Kentucky is given a quota of spots into each age and gender division of the Southern Closed Championships. You can find that table in VII-a.
- ii. Six players of each age and gender will earn an automatic spot through their finish in the Joe Creason Kentucky State Qualifier: Winner, Runner-Up, 3rd Place, 4th Place, Consolation Winner, and Consolation Runner-Up.
- iii. Players must play the age division at the Creason Qualifier that they wish to play at the Southern Closed. Players must register for the Southern Closed Championship on their own. This registration often occurs BEFORE completion of the Creason.
- iv. Any player that does not play in the Creason Qualifier but wished to be considered for Southern Closed must fill out a waiver request and submit it to the USTA Kentucky office before the registration deadline for the Creason. Any player who does not do so will not be considered for a spot from the Kentucky quota.
- v. The remaining spots allotted to Kentucky will be given on a wild-card basis by the USTA Kentucky Junior Competition Committee immediately following the completion of the Creason. A variety of factors, including current Southern Ranking, Creason performance, and any potential suspension points will be considered.
- vi. Players who do not earn an invitation from the Kentucky quota are still eligible to register for the Southern Closed Championship but will only get in based off a USTA Southern invitation.

b. Southern Junior Cup

- i. 3 boys and 3 girls from the 12, 14, 16, and 18's division will be invited to play for Team Kentucky.
- ii. The USTA Kentucky Junior Competition Committee will make decisions on the team invites on Tuesday, August 8th. Players must be age eligible in their invited age group as of September 30th, 2017.
- iii. Players will be selected based off current Southern standing in that age division at the time of selection. Suspension points will be a consideration as well. If players qualify for the team in 2 different age divisions, the player will be allowed to choose which division they wish to represent the state for at the competition.
- iv. USTA Kentucky will select one (1) coach for the 12U team and two (2) coaches for the 14-18U team. These coaches will be selected on consultation with the Junior Competition Committee and active coaches throughout the state. Coaches will be selected before team invites have been released.

- v. Invites will be made by phone the week of August 7th and published on ustaky.com.