



USTA Northern California Orange and Green Ball Tournament Rules

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	Orange	Green
Ball Type	Stage 2 Orange	Stage 1 Green Dot
Tournament Duration	4-6 hours max	One day (without Playoff round)
Court Size	60ft	78ft (full court)
Racket Size (required length)	23-25in	25-27in
Event Types	Co-Ed	Single Gender
Ball Usage	Tournament must start with new balls. Balls can be used for 4 hours max or for 8 sets. New balls are not required for the start of every new match.	Tournament must start with new balls. Balls can be used for 4 hours max or for 8 sets. New balls are not required for the start of every new match.
Draw Format	A minimum of 3 players is required. Players are guaranteed at least 3 singles matches. Format will be either a Round Robin, Round Robin with a Playoff, or a Compass draw.	A minimum of 3 players is required. Players are guaranteed at least 3 singles matches. Format will be either a Round Robin, Round Robin with a Playoff, or a Compass draw.
Scoring Format	One short set, first to 4 games by a margin of 1. At 3 games all, the next game wins the set.	One single set, first to 6 games by a margin of 2. At 6 games all, a 7-point Tie Break will be played.
Doubles Requirement	Doubles play is no longer required.	Doubles play is no longer required.
Youth Progression Awards	Players earn 4 Stars for participating in a tournament. An extra 4 Trophies can be earned for being the Champion of the tournament. Finalists are awarded 3 extra Trophies.	Players earn 4 Stars for participating in a tournament. An extra 4 Trophies can be earned for being the Champion of the tournament. Finalists are awarded 3 extra Trophies.

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http://s3.amazonaws.com/ustaassets/assets/635/15/norcal_junior_tournament_rules.pdf