Junior Team Tennis 2021

Sponsored by the Valley City Tennis Association

When: Summer Session June 9th – July 21th

Cost: \$50 per player. USTA Membership is **required** and all Junior memberships are now FREE: <u>https://www.usta.com/en/home/membership/all-plans.html</u>



Coaches: Erik Kringlie, Matt Nielson, Susan Kringlie, Sara Aberle, Hannah Aberle and others **All Coaches are required to pass the USTA background check and complete Safe Sport training

What is JTT: USTA Junior Team Tennis is the largest youth tennis program in the country, helping girls and boys ages 10 to 18 get in the game, get on the court, and have a good time. Teams are co-ed and made up of at least 6 players, 3 boys and 3 girls, based on similar ages and skill levels. The emphasis is on skill development, fun, teamwork and friendly competition.

Age Divisions

• 12 and Under: (Green Ball); 14 and Under: Intermediate (Yellow Ball); 18 and Under: Intermediate (Yellow Ball)

<u>Format</u>

- Format will be based on World Team Tennis (WTT) format
- Teams are coed and consist of at least 6 players, 3 boys and 3 girls, based on similar ages and skill levels
- Matches include boys singles, girls singles, boys doubles, girls doubles and mixed doubles
- Scoring format is 6 game pro-sets, No-ad scoring. All matches are determined by total games won

Practices:

- Wednesday evenings this summer in coordination with JV/High School Drill Night
- Practices may be arranged on different nights based on individual team coaches

Important Dates:

- June 9: First Night of matches/practices: come with your summer schedule so weekly practices can be determined o 6-7:30pm for 12U and 14U players
 7:30-9pm for 18U players
- June 23: JTT Match play in Fargo (compete against teams from Fargo & Mandan)
- July 23-28: Sectional Championships in MN (location TBD)
 - o Each team must complete 2 unique matches to qualify for Sectionals
 - o July 23-25th for 18U Intermediate
 - o July 26-28 for 14U Intermediate
 - o July 27-28 for 12U Green Ball

Sign-Up (Deadline May 17st by 6PM):

Please fill out and either drop off at 940 14th Ave SW OR take photo/text registration to 701-840-2168 (Erik Kringlie) *Checks payable to "**VCTA**" – payment due by 1st night of JTT

Name:	T-shirt size:
Address:	USTA membership #:
Player Cell Phone #:	Parent Cell Phone #:
Birthdate:	Current Age:
Player E-Mail Address:	Parent E-Mail Address: