

GJTA MENS TENNIS 2010 PROPOSAL "A"

In 2009 we had 78 players sign up by the deadline, 6 players were added just prior to the start of play. Preferences for Singles and Doubles broke down as follows (the 6 players added late are listed under "No Preference" category as their preferences are not known):

Singles	19
Doubles	35
No Preference	30

We have use of eight tennis courts on two days of the week (Tuesdays and Thursdays). Many players play indoors during the winter by setting aside a particular day of the week to play.

I propose that for the 2010 season we seriously consider playing Singles on Tuesdays, and Doubles on Thursdays (or vice versa). Players would be allowed to sign up for either Singles, Doubles or both. Bear in mind that there are many players skilled and/or interested in playing both Singles and Doubles. GJTA would likely charge an additional fee for players signing up to play both Singles and Doubles.

Teams could still be drafted as per our usual routine. All players must specify whether they are playing Singles, Doubles or Both in order for the Captains to determine their value to a team.

If desired, it would also be feasible to have separate Singles teams and separate Doubles teams.

Using all eight courts playing Singles, 16 players would be needed if only one match was played on each court. If we played two matches on each court 32 players would be needed. Depending on the number of matches decided at the beginning of the season, Singles matches could be Pro Sets, or best of three sets with or without a super tie breaker as the third set.

Similarly in Doubles, 32 to 64 players would be needed to play one match per court up to two matches per court.

RESULTS

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Please read the proposal for Mens Tennis 2010 and respond below. Please only one vote per member.

YES - In Favor	15 (47%)
NO - Against	13 (41%)
Neutral or No Opinion	4 (13%)