



**NEW FORMAT FOR 2026!**

## **Winter Flex Singles League Info**

### **Southwest Washington (Tacoma/Olympia/Bremerton area)**

The Flex Singles League consists of ONE player who plays a singles match against another player. Just one player per team. You will be able to access the contact information of the other players in your group through TennisLink(click on the Captains' Report tab on your team page) and you schedule your matches at times that are convenient for you.

- Please note that if you reside in the Vancouver, Camas, or Longview, Washington areas, you will need to register for the Northern Oregon region's Flex Singles league.

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- There will be 2 flex singles leagues to choose from. You can play in both.
- Sign up for the **NTRP Flex Singles** league to play others at your NTRP level and to have matches count towards your Year End Rating.
- Sign up for the **Social Flex Singles** league if you'd like to play up a level. Matches will not count towards your Year End Rating.
- Players can play in both leagues.
- Please note that the league coordinator may adjust flights as needed to provide the best league experience for all players.

#### **NTRP Flex Singles Rules:**

- Players can only register at their current NTRP level.
- The top 2 finishers in each flight, will be allowed to play up one level in the Summer Flex Singles league.
- Match results count towards Year End Ratings.

#### **Social Flex Singles Rules:**

- Players can register at their current NTRP level or up one level...or play in both.
- Match results do not count towards Year End Ratings.
- Looking to practice your singles play? This is a great opportunity to do that.

#### **How to Register for Flex Singles:**

- Click on the link [HERE](#) or grab the link from the SWW League website [HERE](#).
- You will not be able to register until December 3rd, 2025.
- Select PNW and SWW as your section and region.
- Choose the NTRP League or the Social League...or both!
- Register at the appropriate level.

Tentative match schedules and league instructions will be emailed to all players no later than **January 23rd, 2026**.

Matches can be played between **January 30th and May 29th, 2026**.

## Match Format & League Instructions:

The home team will supply the balls. Home team is the team listed on the left side of the scorecard. If you are the (H) team player, the match will be held at a location of your choice. You are encouraged to find a mutually agreeable location. You can contact your opponent and give them a couple of choices of dates/times to play the match, please provide them with an address of your court location.

- The match dates and times on TennisLink are to provide a match number only. The date will show up as a Saturday at 2:15 am. **DISREGARD THIS.** I selected this time since it would obviously look wrong. Just enter the scores and date when you complete the match.
- Matches can be scheduled at any tennis court, both at private/public clubs or city parks and schools.
- If you play at a private facility please be sure to let your guest/opponent know what your club guest fee is to play.
- Matches can be indoors or outdoors.
- Format is best two out of three sets with a match tie-break for the third set (first to 10 points and ahead by two points)
- **No-Ad Scoring. The receiving player selects the side to receive from.**
- Change sides on odd games and use a standard Tie Break Procedure (change sides every 6 pts).
- For matches that do not finish within the court booking window and players need to vacate the court without an option to complete the match on an open court, the match can be finished at a later date or the match can be recorded as a Timed Match. You can follow our Timed Match Procedures to determine the match winner. Players should agree before the match begins on what they will do if the match isn't able to be played to completion. View the Timed Match Procedures [HERE](#).
- Either captain may enter the scores in TennisLink
- How to print a scorecard:  
[https://activesupport.secure.force.com/usta/articles/en\\_US/Article/Print-Blank-Score-Card](https://activesupport.secure.force.com/usta/articles/en_US/Article/Print-Blank-Score-Card)
- How to enter scores:  
[https://activesupport.secure.force.com/usta/articles/en\\_US/Article/Enter-League-Scores](https://activesupport.secure.force.com/usta/articles/en_US/Article/Enter-League-Scores)

Communication with your opponents is really key to making this league work.

**ENJOY YOUR USTA PNW WINTER FLEX SINGLES SEASON!**