



Eastern Region Tennis

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Making Tennis Fun

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Junior Development Competition RED BALL (Under 9).

Players must NOT turn 9 years of age during the season up to and including the grand final for that season.

- Beginners Competition – For children not ready for current JDC Green or Orange Ball competition
- 2 Parent Supervisors required (help with scoring, where to stand etc). The remainder of parents do not get involved and stay outside the court area.
- Players serve from the Service Line (not the Base line)
- The court area will be the 4 service squares
- 6 Game sets – No tie Break, If 3 all then a draw
- Game is Deuce then next point wins game. You **DO NOT** choose who receives the serve.
- Regionalized in close areas
- 6 or 8 team draws
- Open Doubles –3 players- Any combination of girls & boys
- Play 2 sets per person
- Start at 9am (Sunday) – 1 Court
- Can serve underarm
- Net can be lowered.
- Top 2 teams play in Grand Final for 6 Team draws
- Top 4 teams play finals for 8 Team draws
- Results entered online
- Use Modified **Red** Balls

PARENT SUPERVISORS-

One parent from either team will be on court to help the children with the score, where to stand, who is serving and when to change ends

Encourage the children to call out the score.

Sets are 6 games so could be 6 0, 5 1 or 3 all

Please use common sense with the beginners. We want to encourage them to play yet help them as much as we can.