



DATE: AUGUST 11th & 12th, 2023

VARSITY TOURNAMENT

4 MATCH GUARANTEE – 16 TEAM COMPASS DRAW

LOCATIONS: PG, LP, AF & LEHI

16 TEAMS – 7 PLAYING POSITIONS: 10 PLAYERS

(1-4 SINGLES & 1-3 DOUBLES)

FULL MATCH PLAY: 2 out 3 sets (10-point tie break in lieu of a 3rd set.)

STATEWIDE COMPETITION (4A – 6A)

JV TOURNAMENT

4 MATCH GUARANTEE – 16 TEAM COMPASS DRAW

FULL MATCH PLAY: 2 out 3 sets (10-point tie break in lieu of a 3rd set.)

LOCATION: CORNER CANYON

DOUBLES ONLY – 2 DIVISIONS: A & B (2 teams - 4 players)

16 TEAM COMPASS DRAW for EACH DIVISION

STATEWIDE COMPETITION (4A – 6A)

PLEASE REVIEW THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY

Hello Coaches,

We are excited to host the Utah Valley Ashton Invitational. This is the 5th year of this event and is made possible by generous donations and support from Alan Ashton and combined efforts from American Fork, Pleasant Grove, and Lone Peak High School coaches. This tournament is by invitation only and every effort has been made to provide the best competition possible to make this the best high school tournament of the year.

EVERY team is required to provide a full roster for both Varsity and JV and play every match they are scheduled to play through the end of the tournament. No “special accommodations” will be made for any teams or players to move match times or locations. If your players have other conflicts, you should bring players who can commit to every match on both days.

You and your players must agree to and honor these expectations. If you cannot, we ask that you decline your invitation immediately.

DATE & TIME: Friday & Saturday August 11th & 12th. Varsity teams must check in for each match 30 min prior to their match time at each match location. JV Doubles teams must check in 15 min prior to each match at the tournament desk/ Director at Corner Canyon High School.

TOURNAMENT INFO: Updated tournament info will be available at www.uvtennisinvite.com View draws, results, match locations and more.

FEES: \$500/per team (Roughly \$35/player). Includes 10 varsity players & 2 JV Doubles teams (4 players). You may pay by credit card or check. If paying by check, please make payment to: Pleasant Grove High School. If paying by card, please call 801-610-8170 and ask for the Finance office. You will receive an invoice for your records and payment is due upon receipt.

HIGH SCHOOL ADDRESSES:

PLEASANT GROVE - 700 E 200 S, Pleasant Grove, UT 84062

AMERICAN FORK - 510 Caveman Blvd, American Fork, UT 84003

LONE PEAK - 10189 N 4800 W, Highland, UT 84003

LEHI – 180 N 500 E, Lehi, UT 84043

CORNER CANYON – 12943 S 700 E, Draper, UT 84020

Thank you, we look forward to having another great tournament!

Sam, Jason & Roger

CONTINUOUS COACHING EXPECTATIONS

Each team is allowed a total of 5 coaches. 3 coaches for Varsity matches and 2 for JV. Each coach must be identified to the site director prior to the start of each match, recorded on the draw sheets and cannot be changed once the matches begin.

We understand you may have 7 matches going on at the same time and your players may need your help before you may have time to get over to their court.

Continuous coaching allows designated coaches to instruct their players during changeovers, as well as in between points. This coaching method will be allowed for the duration of the entire match (tiebreaks included). However, continuous coaching **MUST NOT** interfere with the flow and timing of the match. The players will still have 20 seconds between each point and 90 seconds for each changeover. You may NOT pull your players over to the fence between points or after a game unless it is during a changeover.

A few reminders:

- Only certified & designated coaches are allowed to coach.
- Continuous coaching may begin once the point has ended but must stop when the server goes into motion for the next serve.
- Cannot slow the pace of play.
- Cannot coach during a point.
- Cannot be on the court unless during a changeover and only after the 1st game of each set.
- Coaching is NOT.... saying or yelling disparaging things about the other player/players to your player/players.
- Cannot cause distractions to opposing players/teams or other matches.

Remember the purpose of this is to help your players improve but not hurt others. Please remember this is a high school sporting event and more than likely there will be a lot of noise and distractions. Part of coaching is helping our players learn to concentrate and focus on their own match and learn to not let these things affect them. Distractions may come from fans, family, parents, friends or other teams and coaches. But as coaches, we should never do anything to intentionally hinder or distract the players. There is no room for disrespect or unsportsmanlike conduct, and we have a zero-tolerance policy on this.

If such a problem arises, those involved will be removed immediately from the tournament and the facilities. We are committed to putting on a highly competitive and fun event with sportsmanship being the top priority. Please help us make this happen.

THE ASHTON AWARD: This is the highest award a team can win at the tournament. It recognizes team excellence. Each coach will vote for the team they believe displayed the best sportsmanship and overall excellence during the tournament. The team with the most votes from their peers will win this award.