Pool Play and Playoff Formats: 9 Teams

Pool play format: 3 courts, 4 referees, 9 teams, 25 matches
Two rounds of 3 pools of 3 teams

For two rounds of 3 team pools, the best of 3 sets will win matches. Each non-deciding set will be won by the team that first scores 25 points with a minimum 2-point advantage (no scoring cap). If there is a deciding set, it will be won by the team that first scores 15 points with a minimum 2-point advantage (no scoring cap). Change sides when a team earns 8 points. A point will be scored on each rally. If the receiving team wins the rally, they score a point and gain the serve.

Match order:
[team in () refs]

Match 1	Match 2	Match 3
1 vs. 3 (2)	2 vs. 3 (1)	1 vs. 2 (3)

Tournament format: All teams advance. All teams must be ranked within their pools based on match percentage first. For any ties, use the tie-breaking procedure below. All first-place and second place teams from the second round to the Gold playoffs (2 courts.) All third place teams from the second round to the Silver playoffs (1 court.) Playoff positions on the tournament brackets will be based on pool finish to avoid teams from the same pool playing each other in the first round.

Seeding procedure:
Round 1:

Pool A	Pool B	Pool C
Seeds 1, 6, 7	Seeds 2, 5, 8	Seeds 3, 4, 9

Round 2

Pool AA	Pool BB	Pool CC
Seeds A1, B2, C3	Seeds B1, C2, A3	Seeds C1, A2, B3

For the first round, teams from the same club, regardless of seed, should not be placed in the same pool.

Tie-breaking:

Since all teams advance to playoffs, ties will not be decided by playing a set.

1. If 2 teams from the same pool are tied, their head-to-head match determines their order of finish.
2. If 3 teams from the same pool are tied after match and set % and point differential have been calculated, a coin flip will determine their order of finish.

Set % key:

4 sets		5 sets		6 Sets	
4-0	1.000	5-0	1.000	6-0	1.000
3-1	0.750	4-1	0.800	5-1	0.833
2-2	0.500	3-2	0.600	4-2	0.667
1-3	0.250	2-3	0.400	3-3	0.500
0-4	0.0	1-4	0.200	2-4	0.333
		0-5	0.000	1-5	0.167
				0-5	0.000

Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16U Pool: A Court: 1

Teams (including 11-digit team code)	Matches Won	Matches Lost	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Set %	Points	Finish
1 Johnston 16U National G15JHNSN3IA							
2 QC Panthers 15U Blue G15QCPNR1IA							
3 Misfits G16DTNDR2IA							

Pool A

	Match 1 8AM 1 vs. 3 (2 refs)		Match 2 9AM 2 vs. 3 (1 refs)		Match 3 10AM 1 vs. 2 (3 refs)	
Set 1						
Set 2						
Set 3						
Break 15Minutes						

Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16U Pool: **B** Court: 2

Teams (including 11-digit team code)	Matches Won	Matches Lost	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Set %	Points	Finish
1 Iowa Rockets 16 Black G16IARCK3IA							
2 TNT 15U G15TIPTN1IA							
3 NS Lancers Pink 16G G16LACR1IA							

Pool B	Match 1 8AM 1 vs. 3 (2 refs)		Match 2 9AM 2 vs. 3 (1 refs)		Match 3 10AM 1 vs. 2 (3 refs)	
Set 1						
Set 2						
Set 3 Break 15 Minutes						

Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16U Pool: C Court: 3

Teams (including 11-digit team code)	Matches Won	Matches Lost	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Set %	Points	Finish
1 CR SURGE VBC 16U G16CRPSR3IA							
2 Fearless 16U G16FRLSS1IA							
3 HHVBC 16U G16HMRHK1IA							

Pool C

	Match 1 8AM 1 vs. 3 (2 refs)		Match 2 9AM 2 vs. 3 (1 refs)		Match 3 10AM 1 vs. 2 (3 refs)	
Set 1						
Set 2						
Set 3						
Break 15Minutes						

Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16U Pool: **AA** Court: 1

Teams (including 11-digit team code)	Matches Won	Matches Lost	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Set %	Points	Finish
A1							
B2							
C3							

Pool AA

	Match 1 11:15am 1 vs. 3 (2 refs)		Match 2 12:15pm 2 vs. 3 (1 refs)		Match 3 1:15pm 1 vs. 2 (3 refs)	
Set 1						
Set 2						
Set 3 Break 15 Minutes						

Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16U Pool: **BB** Court: 2

Teams (including 11-digit team code)	Matches Won	Matches Lost	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Set %	Points	Finish
B1							
C2							
A3							

Pool BB	Match 1 11:15am 1 vs. 3 (2 refs)		Match 2 12:15pm 2 vs. 3 (1 refs)		Match 3 1:15pm 1 vs. 2 (3 refs)	
Set 1						
Set 2						
Set 3 **Break 15 Mintues**						

Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16U Pool: CC Court: 3

Teams (including 11-digit team code)	Matches Won	Matches Lost	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Set %	Points	Finish
C1							
A2							
B3							

Pool CC

	Match 1 11:15am 1 vs. 3 (2 refs)		Match 2 12:15pm 2 vs. 3 (1 refs)		Match 3 1:15pm 1 vs. 2 (3 refs)	
Set 1						
Set 2						
Set 3 Break 15 Minutes						

Tournament: Corridor Courts Date:1-4-26 Division: [redacted] Bracket: Gold

15-16U

2nd place Pool BB

M1: 1st place Pool AA refs

Start time 2:30p

Court 1

2nd place Pool CC

Loser of M1 refs

M4: Court 1

Start time 3:30pm

1st place Pool AA

1st place Pool CC

M2: 1st place Pool BB refs

Start Time 2:30PM

Court 2

2nd place Pool AA

Loser of M2 Refs

Court 2

M5:

Start Time 3:30pm

1st place Pool BB

M7: Last loser of M4/M5 refs

Court 1

Start Time 4:30pm

Tournament: Corridor Courts Date: 1-4-26 Division: Gold15-16 U

Bracket: Silver

3rd place Pool AA

M6: Loser of M3 Refs

Court 3

Start Time 3:30pm

3rd place Pool BB

Court 3

M3: 3rd place Pool AA refs

Start time 2:30pm

3rd place Pool CC