TENNIS DOUBLES RULES
MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY - MOORHEAD INTRAMURAL SPORTS
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Team Captain’s Meeting
Attendance at the team captain’s meeting is MANDATORY for new captains. The captain’s meeting is also highly recommended for every captain to attend.

Entry Fee
The entry fee of $40/team must be paid at the captain’s meeting. The acceptable forms of payment are cash or checks made out to: MSUM Intramurals. Payments can also be made online at IMLeagues.com via PayPal.

League Schedules
Schedules for league play and playoffs will be done through IMLeagues. Please go to the MSUM Campus Rec website at http://www.msumdragons.com/sports/2012/5/9/Logo.aspx?tab=homepage and click on the IMLeagues hyperlink to access the IMLeagues website.

Forfeit/Default
If you are unable to compete in a contest, please notify the Intramural Director by phone (218.477.2016) by 5pm day of competition. After ten minutes if your team does not show, or you do not have enough players, it will result in a forfeit.

Questions
Please feel free to contact the Intramural Staff with any questions or concerns.

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General Procedures
Please refer to the Intramural Sports Handbook for all policies and procedures related to intramural contests. The handbook can be found on the Intramural Sports at website (Insert webpage hyperlink here)
1. Each participant must present a valid MSUM student I.D. to the intramural staff stationed at the check-in desk.
2. All participants must be on the team roster. Any member not on the roster may complete an add sheet at the time of the contest. No participant may play on two teams in the same league or a forfeit will be charged to the second team he/she participated on. Roster additions are only allowed during the regular season and cannot be made for post-season contests.
3. Each participant must wear appropriate apparel and non-marking athletic footwear.
4. First aid treatment is typically, but not always, available during intramural contests. Any bleeding must be stopped and cleaned up before participant can re-enter the contest.
5. All visible jewelry: i.e. earrings, watches, and bracelets etc. must be removed or covered legally prior to participation.

Rules
1. GAME SETUP:
   a. The game will start with Rock, Paper, Scissors to determine the serve.
   b. All games will be played according to USTA Rules.
      - The first two win 4 games, by two, wins the set.
      - The first to win two sets wins the match.
      - Traditional scoring (Love-15-30-40) will be used.
      - Win by two
   c. A ball touching any part of the boundary line is a good ball.
   d. Out of bounds balls must be allowed to hit the ground.
   e. The server must announce the score prior to each serve.

2. PENALTIES:
   a. Touching opponents ground, the net or posts or any other person in the game.
   b. Carrying the ball or catching it in the racket.
   c. Hitting the ball or catching it in the racket.
   d. Hitting the ball two times or before the crosses the net.
   e. If the ball hits or touches anything on or carried by the player (except the racket).
   f. Throwing the racket or other kinds of racket abuse.
   g. Anything else will be governed by USTA rules.

3. PARTICIPATION:
   a. Teams will consist of at minimum two players.
   b. Teams may have more than two players on the roster, but only two allowed on the court during play.
   c. All co-rec teams must have 1 female and 1 male on the court at all times.

4. ATHLETIC ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY:
a. The 2012-13 MSUM Tennis players may not participate in tennis intramurals during the 2012-13 academic year **unless** they enter the **power league** and will not be on the varsity roster the following year.